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ONLINE
CASE ANALYSIS
COMPETITION

# PRISM OF PRECEDENTS

**Registrations Open** 

**August 21, 2025** 

Submission Deadline

October 12, 2025

Declaration of Results

November 04, 2025

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# **REGISTRATION DETAILS:**

Individual Registration: ₹200

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Maximum of TWO authors allowed for one submission

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#### **ELIGIBILITY**

Open to students currently enrolled in any Three-year or Five-year law program at a recognized law school/university in India.

#### **SUBMISSION FORMAT**

- Word Limit: 2,000 to 2,500 words (excluding footnotes)
- File Format: PDF only
- Font: Times New Roman
- Font Size: 12 (main text), 10 (footnotes), 14 (headings)
- Line Spacing: 1.5 (main text), single (footnotes)
- Margin: 1 inch on all sides
- · Alignment: Justified
- · Citation Format: Bluebook 20th Edition

#### **GUIDELINES**

- 1. Submissions must be original and unpublished. Plagiarism exceeding 15% will result in disqualification.
- 2. Each entry must include a cover page with: Name(s) of Participant(s), Institution Name, Contact Details.
- 3. All submissions will be evaluated by a panel of legal academicians and professionals with relevant expertise.

### THEMES FOR SELECTION OF CASES

- 1. Right to Privacy vis-à-vis Protected Communications
- 2. The Constitutional Development of the Personal Law related Rights
- 3. Freedom of Speech and Expression vis-à-vis Reasonable Restrictions
- 4. Constitutional Morality and Public Morality
- 5. Environmental Jurisprudence within the Constitutional Framework
- 6. Constitutional Protection of the Rights of Indigenous Communities
- 7. Constitutional Dimensions of Intellectual Property Rights
- 8. Right to Health and Medical Accountability
- 9. Constitutional Safeguards in Criminal Justice
- 10. Constitutional Morality in Economic Regulation

#### **CASE LAW SELECTION CRITERIA**

- 1. Relevance to Theme The case must relate to one of the prescribed themes and address substantial constitutional or legal issues within that theme.
- 2. Current Legal Standing The case must not have been overruled, reversed, or rendered obsolete by subsequent judgements or legislative amendments.
- 3. Jurisdiction Strictly choose Supreme Court of India's Judgements for the case analysis competition.
- 4. Judicial Significance The case should have contributed to the evolution, clarification, or reinterpretation of constitutional principles, fundamental rights, or statutory provisions in India.
- 5. Recency or Ongoing Relevance While landmark cases may be historical, preference should be given to judgments that continue to have legal and social relevance in contemporary discourse.