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REPORT ON ORIENTATION PROGRAM &

08.09.2018 Topic: "Opportunities Available in the Legal Profession"



The Orientation Programme held on 8th September 2018, with the distinguished speaker, Sri Indiresh, Govt. Advocate, High Court of Karnataka, Bengaluru, being the Resource Person His session on "Opportunities Available in the Legal Profession" provided valuable insights into the various career prospects within the legal field. Sri Indiresh discussed the different avenues students could explore, including litigation, corporate law, academia, legal research, and public service. His expertise and experiences inspired the students and guided them towards making informed decisions about their future career paths.

Highlights of the Orientation Programme Speech:

A career as a lawyer is highly respected as lawyers serve to maintain law and order, ensuring justice for the innocent and punishment for offenders. It is a challenging and risky profession, but at the same time, it is prestigious and honourable. Lawyers and solicitors hold positions of respect and influence in society. The field of law offers numerous areas of specialisation, such as bankruptcy, defence, fraud, tax, international law, criminal law, divorce law, social security law, and more. Students pursuing law can choose to practise in courts or work in law firms. To become an advocate and practice law in India, individuals must enrol with the local State Central Bar Council and adhere to the codes and regulations set by the Bar Council of India and State Bar Councils.

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Apart from practicing law, there are various career opportunities for law graduates. Government services provide positions such as law officers, assistant advisors, deputy legal advisors, and legal advisors through the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC). State legal services also appoint lawyers through State Public Service Commission (SPSC) exams for senior positions in the state police, revenue, and judicial departments. Additionally, there are opportunities in the judiciary, such as magistrates, district and session judges, public prosecutors, solicitors, attorneys general, advocate generals, notaries, and oath commissioners. Law graduates can also work as legal secretaries, law inspectors, legal officers in banks, judicial members of income tax, sales tax, and excise departments, government advocates, and staff in the registrar of companies offices.

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