Constitution Day Celebration (26th November 2021) To be organized by IQAC, Dispur Law College.

Concept Note

26th November is celebrated as the Constitution Day, which marks the coming into force of the Constitution on this day in the year 1949. This year will mark 72nd Anniversary of the coming into force of the Indian Constitution.

Constitution Day (or Samvidhan Divas), also known as National Law Day, is celebrated in India on 26 November every year to commemorate the adoption of the Constitution of India. 26 November was chosen to spread the importance of the Constitution and to spread the thoughts and ideas of Ambedkar, the Chairman of the Drafting Committee and the other members of the Constituent Assembly. The constitution was drafted by the Constituent Assembly, which was elected by the elected members of the provincial assemblies. The 389-member assembly, which was, reduced to 299 following withdrawals of the Muslim League members after the partition of India. The final draft was published in January 1948 with suggestions and amendments being invited from the people, the press, the provincial assemblies and the Constituent Assembly. In the light of those suggestions and amendments the draft Constitution was finally adopted on 26th November, 1949 and came into force on 26th January, 1950. It took almost three years to draft the Constitution of India.

The celebration of Constitution Day is emphasised by the Government so that citizens of India respect the objectives of the Preamble and abide to follow the Fundamental Duties mentioned in the Constitution. Reading the Preamble and the Fundamental Duties on the Constitution Day is the most important Constitution Day Activities. In the law schools and law colleges "Constitution Day" is also celebrated as "National Law Day".

To commemorate the Anniversary of the coming into force of the Constitution, the College has decided to celebrate the Constitution Day on 26th November, 2021. A State level Inter Institutional Debating Competition is organised by IQAC Dispur Law College on this day from 10.30 am onwards. The motion of the debate is in the opinion of the House "Opposition party is not at all essential for a healthy democracy." The competition is open to undergraduate and postgraduate students of any Institution within the State of Assam. The competition will be held on online mode. Both team/individual participation are encouraged in the competition.

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