REPORT ON

VISIT TO NATIONAL LOK ADALAT, 2024

Event Date: 14/12/2024

Venue:

- 1. MACT COURT 2
- 2. MACT COURT 3
- 3. CJM COURT
- 4. DISTRICT & SESSIONS JUDGE COURT CAMPUS

Rapporteur: Dr. Chandamita Sarma, Assistant Professor (Law), Dispur Law College

Objectives:

- 1. for completion of the practical project on the subject Alternate Dispute Resolution (ADR) in partial fulfillment of the requirement for the Degree of LL.B. and B.A., LL.B.
- 2. In order to provide an introductory knowledge to the students of LL.B. and B.A., LL.B. regarding Lok Adalat and the hierarchy and functioning of different courts in the District of Kamrup (M). This is essential for the enhancement of their practical understanding.

On the order of The District Legal Services Authority, Kamrup (M) vide Memo No. DLSA/3264-65/2024, students of three years LL.B. 3rd Semester and BA.,LL.B. 7th Semester of Dispur Law college has on 14th of December, 2024 have visited different courts under Kamrup(M) for the purpose of National Lok Adalat as a mandatory requirement for their practical paper i.e., Alternate Dispute Resolution(ADR). This visit to the Lok Adalat was constituted under the aegis of The District Legal Service Authority proved to be crucial for the enhancement of knowledge and skill of the students.





Fig.1.0 & 1.1: Students at District& Sessions Judge, Kamrup (M) and CJM Court, Guwahati

Three Assistant Professors of the college have been assigned to accompany and guide the students of the above mentioned semesters to their respective assigned courts on the day fixed for Lok adalat at different courts in the District of Kamrup (M). Students of Three years third semester were divided into three groups and two of them (Group1 and Group2) was supervised by Dr. Chandamita Sarma, Assistant Professor (Law). Group1 (comprising of 30 students) visited MACT Court 2 and Group2 (comprising of 30 students) visited MACT Court 3. Group3 (comprising of 33 students) visited the C.J.M. Court, Panbazar and accompanied by Dr. PlabitaSaikia, Assistant Professor (Law). Another group comprises of students from B.A., LL.B. 7th Semester (41 students) which was accompanied and guided by Mrs. Rupanjali Das, Guest faculty to the Court of District and Sessions Judge, Panbazar, Guwahati.





Fig. 2.0 & 2.1: Students at MACT Court

In MACT Court 2 and MACT Court 3 many cases have been disposed of. On the day of Lok Adalat, around 200 Death and Injury cases have been disposed of in these two courts. The students have interacted with Honorable Member Abdul Hakim (MACT 2) and Honorable Member Sujit Kumar Ghosh (MACT 3). The whole session proved to be productive and helpful for the students.

In the Conference Hall of District and Sessions Judge, a considerable number of Death and Injury Cases (MACT Court 1) have been disposed of. The students had a good interaction with Shri Raktim Duarah, AJS Presiding Officer STAT, Assam & Member, MACT-1, Kamrup (M).

In the CJM Court, Panbazar, a large number of pending cases have been disposed of. The cases in this court were related to NI Act, MV Act, Indian Penal Code (IPC) etc.

After a daylong visit to the Lok Adalat, the students were enriched with practical knowledge as to the actual court functioning in different types of courts.

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