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NATIONAL LEGISLATION DRAFTING COMPETITION

"Assured Price Mechanism in the Agricultural Sector"

ABOUT RGNUL

The Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law (RGNUL), Punjab, was established by the State Legislature of Punjab through the enactment of the Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab Act, 2006 (Punjab Act No. 12 of 2006). The Act established a law university of national stature in Punjab, fulfilling the need for a Centre of Excellence in legal education in the era of globalisation and liberalisation. The University received the approval of the Bar Council of India (BCI) in July 2006.

In May 2015, RGNUL became the first and only National Law University (NLU) to receive accreditation from the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) with an 'A' grade. In 2018, RGNUL was among the four NLUs granted autonomous status by the University Grants Commission (UGC). The University has consistently been recognised among India's leading law schools and has featured among the top 10 law schools in India under the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) of the Ministry of Education, Government of India.

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ABOUT SALE

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THEME OF THE COMPETITION

"Assured Price Mechanism in the Agricultural Sector"

This legislative drafting competition focuses on creating robust statutory frameworks for an assured price mechanism in the agriculture sector. Currently, guaranteed pricing through the Minimum Support Price (MSP) system is largely confined to paddy and wheat. This heavy concentration on just two major crops has triggered serious environmental and economic problems, including severe groundwater depletion, ecological degradation, and a steep drop in crop diversification.

To address these critical challenges, the competition invites participants to draft legislation that expands and extends price assurances to a much wider variety of crops regardless of market fluctuations. The proposed legal mechanisms aim to encourage crop diversification, reduce farm dependence on water-intensive crops, and tackle the root causes of agricultural debt and farmer distress. Ultimately, the goal is to develop legislative solutions that protect farmer livelihoods, ensure long-term environmental sustainability, and drive employment across the farming ecosystem..

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Eligibility & Team Structure

Eligibility: Open to undergraduate (3-year or 5-year B.A. LL.B.) and postgraduate (LL.M.) law students enrolled in any recognised law college.
Composition: Individual participation or teams of two authors (Maximum). Cross-institutional teams are allowed.

Application will be subject to independent internal review by the firm

Formatting & Submission Specification

Format: Word (.docx) and PDF (.pdf) formats required.
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Chapter / Part Titles: 14 pt
Sub-headings / Section Headings: 12 pt
Body Text/Statutory Provisions: 12 pt
Line Spacing: Body: 1.5
Footnotes: 1.0
Footnotes / Citations: 10 pt
Margins: 1 inch (2.54 cm) on all sides
Page Numbers: Bottom centre of each page
Word Limit: 10,000 to 12,000 words (Exclusive of Cover Page and Footnotes).
Citation Style: Uniform adoption of either ***OSCOLA (4th Edition)*** or ***Bluebook (20th/21st Edition)*** throughout the text.

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