



Fair Competition  
for Greater Good

# Rajiv Gandhi National



## University of Law, Punjab

*in collaboration with*

## Competition Commission of India

*organises*

## Regional Workshop on Competition Law & Policy

Date: 20th March 2024

Timings: 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Venue: Conference Hall at RGNUL



# ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY



The Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law (RGNUL), Punjab, was established by the State Legislature of Punjab by passing the Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab Act 2006 (Punjab Act No. 12 of 2006). The Act incorporated a University of Law of national stature in Punjab, to fulfil the need for a Centre of Excellence in legal education in the modern era of globalization and liberalization. The University acquired approval of the Bar Council of India (BCI) in July 2006. The University also got registered with the University Grants Commission (UGC), New Delhi under Section 2(f) of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 and has been declared fit to obtain grant from the (UGC) under Section 12-B of the UGC Act, 1956. The University was accredited with 'A' Grade by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) in 2015. RGNUL, Punjab was granted autonomy under UGC Regulations, Clause 5 Dimensions of Autonomy for Category-II Universities in April 2018. The Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, ranked RGNUL the first amongst the cleanest Higher Educational Institutions, Swachh Campus (2019) in the category of Government Residential Universities.



# ABOUT THE CCI



The Competition Commission of India is the chief national competition regulator in India. The Commission was established by the Central Government with effect from 14th October 2003. CCI consists of a Chairperson and 6 Members appointed by the Central Government. It is the duty of the Commission to eliminate practices having adverse effect on competition, promote and sustain competition, protect the interests of consumers and ensure freedom of trade in the markets of India. The Commission is also required to give opinion on competition issues on a reference received from a statutory authority established under any law and to undertake competition advocacy, create public awareness and impart training on competition issues. The role of the Commission is to create and sustain fair competition in the economy that will provide a 'level playing field' to the producers and make the markets work for the welfare of the consumers.



# ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

The aim of regional workshop is to foster understanding and compliance with competition laws and regulations among stakeholders at the grassroots level. The workshop serves as platforms for educating about the importance of fair competition and the detrimental effects of anti-competitive practices on markets and consumers. By disseminating knowledge, exchanging experiences, and addressing regional concerns, these workshops contribute to building a competitive and dynamic economic environment conducive to innovation, efficiency, and consumer welfare across various regions of India. The Workshop entails two panel discussions to raise awareness about the recent amendments in the Indian competition regime and to advocate for the practical interplay of sustainability with competition law.

## REGISTRATION

To register for the workshop, fill the Google form [HERE](#).

The registration fees is Rs. 500 + 18% GST.

Please note that participation preference will be given to students from the Northern Region.

RGNUL students are not required to pay any Registration Fees.



## PANEL ONE

# Understanding the Recent Amendments to Competition Law in India



Ms. Neha Raj Kochhar,  
Joint Director (Law) at Competition  
Commission of India

Manas Kumar Chaudhari  
Partner at Khaitan & Co.



## MODERATOR



Dr. Manoj Kumar Sharma  
Associate Professor of Law at Rajiv  
Gandhi National University of Law,  
Patiala



## PANEL TWO

# Competition Law and Sustainability in Practice



Ms. Sanskriti Jain,  
Deputy Director at Competition  
Commission of India

Dr. Vijay Kumar Singh  
Professor & Dean, Department  
of Law at SRM University



## MODERATOR



Dr. Gurmanpreet Kaur  
Associate Professor of Law,  
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# ORGANISING COMMITTEE

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