MESSAGE FROM THE PATRON- PROFESSOR IN CHIEF

I am privileged to present to all our dear readers the second issue of the inaugural volume of *Journal for Law and Justice*. The inaugural volume was widely acclaimed by the readers, mostly students learning the law from different colleges and universities of our country. The number of young and bright students has increased in every college and university. Their willingness to learn the art of writing a research article is appreciable. This journal is an answer to the needs of not only the students of our Centre, but also of other students of law all over the country. Students take a lead role in managing this Journal as well as learning the skills of editing from a team of esteemed faculty members on the editorial board.

The present volume has selected eight long and short articles on contemporary topics, such as armed conflict, land related laws, international law relating to governance of space activities, family law, law on contract, labour law and the legal system. Selected articles have been carefully peer-reviewed and edited by the entire editorial team. In addition, an attractive section, i.e., book review, adds another feather in the cap of this journal as it has selected two books on torts and on law and justice for it. I take this opportunity to congratulate the entire editorial team for bringing out this issue in a timely fashion with strict adherence to the highest standards of scholarly editing. I wish the entire editorial team a huge success in broadening the base of readers of this student research journal by tagging the journal to their Linkedin profile and by such other means.

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MESSAGE FROM THE FACULTY EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Dear Readers,

It is with enormous pride and privilege that I pen this note as the Faculty Editor-in-Chief of the second edition of Journal for Law and Justice, a distinguished student-run academic initiative of Law Centre-II, Faculty of Law, University of Delhi. This establishment, nestled within the hallowed precincts of Law Centre-II, Faculty of Law, University of Delhi, is now fastly making its name as a paragon of intellectual curiosity, academic excellence, and scholarly rigor.

The legal field being a melting pot that turns ideas into action of societal transformation does demand tireless effort when it comes to questioning the old tenets and discovering the new ones. As a journal committed to the culture of critical thinking, informed discourse, and conscientious research, we strongly believe in the importance of creating a thriving academic community between scholars, practitioners, and students in deliberating such issues that touch our lives and most of today's world.

The journal has been one of the principal forums to bring forth upcoming scholars and researchers in the field to showcase their work and contribute to discussions in a meaningful way for the continuing conversations around their respective fields. This journal serves as a repository of ideas and is also a testament to the symbiotic relationship that pedagogy has with praxis - where academic engagement informs the legal practice and the other way as well.

The editorial process in itself deserves a special mention; the sterling standards of review, painstaking attention to detail, and commitment to ethical publication reflect the ethos of academic excellence that forms the hallmark of Law Centre-II. Truly commendable is the dedication of the student editors who toiled long and hard to ensure that every contribution meets the highest of standards of quality. It is encouraging to watch them in all their hard work, showcasing prodigy through the labyrinths of editing tasks with admirable resolve and professionalism.

Budding scholars from our student editorial team have worked round the clock to make the best possible assortment of articles, legislative comment, and book reviews from a huge pool

of submissions. Their contributions, a reflection of scholars, practitioners, and students from diverse backgrounds and disciplines, range widely in themes and topics from the Environmental Impact of Armed Conflict, Land Governance, Space Commercialisation and Extraterrestrial Ventures, Analysis of Conjugal Rights of Prisoners, Identification of Jurisdictional Dissonance in the Indian Tribunal System, Examination of the impact of Citizenship Amendment Act, Force Majeure Clauses in Commercial Contracts in India to Legislative comment on The Rajasthan Platform Based Gig Workers (Registration and Welfare) Act, 2023 as well as book reviews of Justice R.V. Raveendran's "Anomalies in Law and Justice" and Shweta Vishwanathan's "Simply, Legal! Torts" adorns this edition.

As we savour the launch of second edition, this is also the ideal moment to stop and look back at the trajectory of the journal and the responsibilities ahead. The legal fraternity, both in and beyond academia, will thus look upon such initiatives as repository for thought leadership and innovation. Surely, the Journal for Law and Justice will continue to mature as a formidable platform for scholarly contributions, shaping the discourse on law and justice, in which Justice will continue to evolve as a formidable platform for scholarly contributions, shaping the discourse on law and justice in ways that are both impactful and enduring.

Warm Regards,

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