

V.S. DREAM COACHING

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| 3. | Every acquittal should ordinarily lead to the inference, that an innocent person was wrongfully prosecuted | State of Gujarat Vs. Kishanbhai Etc. 2014 AIR SCW 557 |
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| 7. | Disciplinary proceedings and the criminal trial simultaneously | M/s Stanzen Toyotetsu India P. Ltd. Vs. Girish V and Ors. AIR 2014 SC 989 |
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| 10. | A picture of a nude/semi-nude woman, as such, cannot per se be called obscene | Aveek Sarkar and Anr. Vs. State of West Bengal and Ors., |

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| 14. | Specific performance of an agreement for sale of property. | Rajinder Kumar Vs. Shri Kuldeep Singh and Ors., AIR 2014 SC 1155 |
| 15. | Recovery of public dues should be made expeditiously. | Mathew Varghese Vs. M. Amritha Kumar and Ors., AIR 2015 SC 50 |
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| 17. | In an International Commercial Arbitration, venue can often be different from the seat of arbitration | Enercon (India) Ltd. and Ors. Vs. Enercon GMBH and Anr. AIR 2014 SC 3152 |
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| 19. | State is bound to ensure a fair and equitable treatment to officers in various categories/cadres of services while preparing the common seniority list. | State of Sikkim and Ors. Vs. Adup Tshering Bhutia and Ors. 2014 AIR SCW 3263 |
| 20. | A specific provision relating to a specific subject, defined and describable would prevail over a general provision relating to a broad subject.” | Commercial Tax Officer, Rajasthan Vs. M/S. Binani Cements Ltd. and Anr. 2014 AIR SCW 1514 |
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| 28. | The complainant or informant or aggrieved party may, be heard at a crucial and critical juncture of the Trial so that his interests in the prosecution are not prejudiced or jeopardized. | Sundeep Kumar Bafna Vs. State of Maharashtra and Anr. AIR 2014 SC 1745 |
| 29. | Implementation of the Employment of Manual Scavengers and Construction of Dry Latrines (Prohibition) Act, 1993, inter alia, seeking enforcement of fundamental rights guaranteed under Articles 14, 17, 21 and 47 of the Constitution | Safai Karamchari Andolan and Ors. Vs. Union of India and Ors., 2014 AIR SCW 2268 |
| 30. | An act which is not an offence on the date of its commission or the date on which it came to be known, cannot be treated as an offence | Mahipal Singh Vs. CBI and Anr., AIR 2014 SC 2660 |
| 31. | Interpretation- "Reading down" the provisions of a statute cannot be resorted | Dr. Subramanian Swamy and Ors. Vs. Raju Thr. Member |

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| | to when the meaning thereof is plain and unambiguous | Juvenile Justice Board and Anr. AIR 2014 SC 1649 |
| 32. | High Court Judges, appointed from the Bar are entitled for an addition of 10 years to their service for the purposes of their pension | P. Ramakrishnam Raju Vs. Union of India and Ors. AIR 2014 SC 1619 |
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| 36. | Maintainability of suit cannot be decided in the proceedings under Articles 226 and 227 of Constitution. | Jacky Vs. Tiny @ Antony and Ors., AIR 2014 SC 1615 |
| 37. | In criminal cases, especially based on circumstantial evidence, forensic science plays a pivotal role | Dharam Deo Yadav Vs. State of Uttar Pradesh 2014 AIR SCW 2253 |
| 38. | No citizen can be discriminated on the ground of gender identity, including those who identify as third gender | National Legal Services Authority Vs. Union of India and Ors., AIR 2014 SC 1683 |
| 39. | A woman government employee having minor children below 18 years can avail CCL for maximum period of 730 days | Kakali Ghosh Vs. Chief Secretary, Andaman and Nicobar Administration and Ors. 2014 AIR SCW 2336 |
| 40. | State is the legal owner of spectrum as a trustee of the people | Association of Unified Tele Services Providers and others Vs. Union of India AIR 2014 SC 1984 |
| 41. | Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 – Direction issued for speedy and expeditious disposal of cases under the Act. | Indian Bank Association and Ors. Vs. Union of India and Ors. AIR 2014 SC 2528 |
| 42. | Constitutionality or legality of the policy decision of the State Government can be examined by the Court in exercise of its power of judicial review.” | Goa Foundation Vs. Union of India and Ors., 2014 AIR SCW 6014 |

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| 43. | A crime does not stand obliterated or extinguished merely because its commission is claimed to be in public interest. | Rajat Prasad Vs. C.B.I. 2014 AIR SCW 3116 |
| 44. | Constitutional validity of the Uttar Pradesh Lokayukta and Up-Lokayuktas (Amendment) Act, 2012 examined | Mohd. Saeed Siddiqui Vs. State of U.P. and Anr., AIR 2014 SC 2051 |
| 45. | There has to be a boundary line or the proverbial 'laxman rekha' while examining the correctness of an administrative decision taken by the State or a Central Authority after due deliberation and diligence which do not reflect arbitrariness or illegality in its decision and execution | Jal Mahal Resorts P. Ltd. Vs. K.P. Sharma and Ors., 2014 AIR SCW 6720 |
| 46. | Supreme Court issued some directions to all the police stations in dealing with the offence of rape. | State of Karnataka by Nonavinakere Police Vs. Shivanna @ Tarkari Shivanna, (2014) 6 SCC (Cri) 423 |
| 47. | Power of the Election Commission | Ashok Shankarrao Chavan Vs. Dr. Madhavrao Kinhalkar and Ors. AIR 2014 SC 3102 |
| 48. | Section 6A(1) of the Delhi Special Police Establishment Act, 1946 (DSPE Act) which requires approval of the Central Government to conduct any inquiry or investigation into any offence alleged to have been committed under the Prevention of Corruption Act, is invalid and violative of Article 14 | Dr. Subramanian Swamy Vs. Director, Central Bureau of Investigation and Anr., AIR 2014 SC 2140 |
| 49. | The medium of instruction for children schools | State of Karnataka and Anr. Vs. Associated Management of (Government Recognised – Unaided – English Medium) Primary and Secondary Schools and Ors. AIR 2013 SC 2930 |
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| 52. | Indian judicial system is grossly afflicted, with frivolous litigation” and “ways and means need to be evolved | Subrata Roy Sahara v. Union of India and others, AIR 2014 SC 3241 |
| 53. | Kerala cannot be permitted to contend that river Periyar is an intra-State river. | State of Tamil Nadu Vs. State of Kerala & Anr. AIR 2014 SC 2407 |
| 54. | Bullock-cart Race and such events per se violate Sections 3, 11(1)(a) and 11(1)(m)(ii) of Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act | Animal Welfare Board of India Vs. A. Nagaraja & Ors., 2014 AIR SCW 3327 |
| 55. | Detention of the husband of the appellants for a period of twelve months instead of three months, at a stretch is clear violation of the prescribed manner and contrary to the provisions of law.” | Cherukuri Mani w/o Narendra Chowdari Vs. The Chief Secretary, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh and Ors., AIR 2014 SC 2090 |
| 56. | Improper acceptance of nomination by the returning officer and its effect on elections was examined | Kisan Shankar Kathore Vs. Arun Dattatraya Sawat and Ors., AIR 2014 SC 2069 |
| 57. | Evidence of the expert witness. | Chandra Prakash Vs. State of Rajasthan, 2014 AIR SCW 3055 |
| 58. | Speeches delivered during election campaign “cannot be put on the pedestal of real public interest litigation | Jafar Imam Naqvi Vs. Election Commission of India, AIR 2014 SC 2537 |
| 59. | Akshardham Temple in Gandhinagar case, all the accused-appellants acquitted | Adambhai Sulemanbhai Ajmeri and Ors. Vs. State of Gujarat, (2014) 7 SCC 716 |
| 60. | It is the duty of a member of the Bar not to demean and disgrace the majesty of justice dispensed by a court of law | Bal Kishan Giri Vs. State of U.P., 2014 AIR SCW 3375 |
| 61. | Proceedings under Section 25(2) of the Patents Act. | Dr. Aloys Wobben and Anr. Vs. Yogesh Mehra and Ors., AIR 2014 SC 2210 |
| 62. | Any disability not recorded at the time of recruitment must be presumed to have been caused subsequently and unless proved to the contrary | Sukhvinder Singh Vs. Union of India and Ors., 2014 (8) Scale 619 |
| 63. | Concept of mental cruelty in context to | Dr. (Mrs.) Malathi Ravi, M.D. |

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| | matrimonial and divorce law was examined | Vs. Dr. B.V. Ravi, M.D., AIR 2014 SC 2881 |
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| 65. | Allotment of coal blocks | Manohar Lal Sharma Vs. The Principal Secretary and Ors. 2014 AIR SCW 5068 |
| 66. | This is what the Constitution suggests and that is the constitutional expectation from the Prime Minister not to choose a person with criminal antecedents to the role of a Minister | Manoj Narula Vs. Union of India, 2014 AIR SCW 5287 |
| 67. | In death penalty cases, oral hearing in review petitions should be in the open Court. | Mohd. Arif @ Ashfaq Vs. The Registrar, Supreme Court of India and Ors., 2014 AIR SCW 5337 |
| 68. | There is no restriction, restraint or impediment for the State Legislature in adopting one of the languages in use in the State as an official language | U.P. Hindi Sahitya Sammelan Vs. State of U.P., AIR 2015 SC 1154 |
| 69. | Guidelines in the investigation of police encounters | People's Union for Civil Liberties and Anr. Vs. State of Maharashtra and Ors., 2014 AIR SCW 5940 |
| 70. | Judicial Magistrate should make all possible attempts to encourage compounding of offence in N.I. Act Cases. | J.V. Baharuni and Anr. Vs. State of Gujarat and Anr. (2014) 10 SCC 494 |
| 71. | Magistrate in N.I. Cases can issue process against Director in charge of and responsible for the conduct of the business of the company at the relevant time. | Gunmala Sales Private Ltd. Vs. Anu Mehta and Ors. AIR 2015 SC 1072 |
| 72. | Directed issued to follow certain guidelines for speedy and expeditious disposal of N.I. Act. cases. | KSL and Industries Ltd. Vs. M/s Arihant Threads Ltd. and Ors. AIR 2015 SC 498 |
| 73. | Gender inequality in the film industry-duty of the State to frame policies | Charu Khurana and Ors. Vs. Union of India and Ors., AIR 2015 SC 839 |
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| | Petition - Death sentence commuted life imprisonment. | India and Anr., 2015 AIR SCW 520 |
| 75. | When an individual behaves in a disharmonious manner ushering in disorderly things, the Court cannot abandon its sacrosanct obligation and pass an order at its own whim or caprice. | Neeru Yadav Vs. State of U.P and Anr. 2015 AIR SCW 441 |

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