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The Term 'Lok Adalat' Means 'People's Court' And Is Based On Gandhian Principles. As Per The Supreme Court, It Is An Old Form Of Adjudicating System Prevalent In Ancient India And Its Validity Has Not Been Taken Away Even In The Modern Days Too. It Is One Of The Components Of The Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) System And Delivers Informal, Affordable And Expeditious Justice To The Common People. In View Of Its Growing Popularity Over Time, It Was Given Statutory Status Under The Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987. The Act Makes The Provisions Relating To The Organization And Functioning Of The Lok Adalats . NALSA Was Constituted Under The Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 Which Came Into Force On 9th November 1995 To Establish A Nationwide Uniform Network For Providing Free And Competent Legal Services To The Weaker Sections Of The Society. The Legal Services Authorities Act, 1987 Was Amended In 2002 To Provide For The Establishment Of The Permanent Lok Adalats To Deal With Cases Pertaining To The Public Utility Services.

Students Of Surendranath Law College Got An Opportunity To Visit The DLSA, Lok Adalat At City Civil Court, Kolkata On 12th March 2022 Organized By NALSA.

Dr. Mohammadi Tarannum , Vice-Principal Of Surendranath Law College Facilitated And Organized This Visit Which Gave The Students A Great Professional Exposure. Prof . Amit Ghosh And Prof. Dipanwita Datta Were The Faculty Convenors Of This Programme. Students From Different Semesters Were Part Of This Study Tour.

They Collected Surveys Of The People Who Visited The Lok Adalat To Settle Their Disputes. A Total Of 100 Surveys Were Collected. Students Got Practical Knowledge About The Alternative Dispute Resolution Mechanism. Overall The Visit Was A Fruitful Academic And Professional Exposure Activity For The Students Of Surendranath Law College, Which Helped Them A Great Deal In Honing Their Professional Skill Sets.



