



Special Lecture on Drafting and Pleading- 2018



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Legal drafting and pleading constitute important aspects of the process of litigation which ensures legal documents are well structured, and enforceable. Drafting may be defined as the synthesis of law and fact in linguistic form. Legal drafting is carried out by lawyers as a foundation for establishing all legal relationships, transactions, contracts and proceedings which are critical for protection of rights and interests of clients, as well as resolution of any disputes and mitigation of risks. Legal drafting plays an important role in proper understanding and interpretation of laws, legal doctrines and principles and conducting legal research.

Pleadings are statement in writing delivered by each party alternately to his opponent, stating what his contentions will be at the trial, giving all such details as his opponent needs to know in order to prepare his case in answer. It is an essential requirement of pleading that material fact and necessary particulars must be stated in the pleadings and the decisions cannot be based on the grounds outside the pleadings. They form the foundation for any case in the court of law. It is a statement in writing filed by the counsel of plaintiff stating his contentions on the case, on the basis of which the defendant shall file the written statement defending himself and explaining why the plaintiff's contentions should not prevail.

Surendranath Law College organized a special lecture on the topic 'Legal Drafting and Pleading' on 17.02.2018. Renowned Advocate of Alipur Judges Court and Senior Special Public Prosecutor, Govt. of West Bengal, **Advocate Swapan Pathak** gave lecture on this important topic for law students. Legal Drafting is the most important instrument of legal communication. Legal Drafting is central to the legal profession as it ensures that the legal document is prepared as per rules. Legal drafting & skills requires a strong command over the language. Pleading serve an important function in the legal profession. Pleading means a written statement or a plaint which for us the backbone of every suit. The workshop gave the students an invaluable opportunity to get a basic understanding of the fundamental principles of various pleadings and drafting documents that enabled them to grasp the practical applications of law practice in addition to the theoretical content of their syllabi.



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SPEAKER

Adv. Swapan Pathak

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Senior Special Public Prosecutor, Govt. of W.B.
Former Faculty Surendranath Law College

DATE & TIME

17.02.2018 from 8 am to 10 am

VENUE

Seminar Room

