

## Recent Books of Law and Human Rights – February 2008

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Novel and conventional methods of Audit, investigation and fraud detection /

Chetan Dalal  
New Delhi : Wolters Kluwer India Pvt. Ltd., 2007  
978-81-89960-98-8  
\$ 42.50

[Novel and conventional methods of Audit, Investigation and Fraud Detection, offers an insightful descriptive account of the frauds, accounting, irregularities, and methodologies to detect them by using a combination of novel conventional audit approaches.

The methodologies are clearly described with extensive case studies and examples. The objective of this book is to provide a practical approach for investigation to auditors and persons entrusted with the task of investigating white collar crimes. The book intends to provide greater awareness of possible frauds and an insight into structured as well as uncommon methods of fraud detection. It attempts to bring together case studies of frauds and an insight into structured as well as uncommon methods of fraud detection. It attempts to bring together case studies of frauds that have been researched and adapted from real life situation.]

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The ancient monuments and Archaeological sites and Remains Act, 1958 (with rules, amendments, notifications and orders) / Alok Tripathi

New Delhi : Sundeeprakashan, 2007  
xiv, 234 p.  
81-7574-183-X  
\$ 28.50

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Civil laws in Kautilya's Arthashastra / Y.D. Sharma

New Delhi : Standard Publishers, 2007  
81-87471-33-6  
\$ 25.00

[The aim of this work is to establish Kautilya as a great Indian jurist, who has so far remained hidden from the legal world. It is a matter of great satisfaction that the work has found a permanent place in the field of legal philosophy of law. Kautilya is also known as Vishnugupta or Chanakya. He gave Arthashastra first translation to the world which was a naturally crude. He made valuable contributions in the field of maintaining law and order and prevention of crimes etc. This book consists of the following heads of legal action: I) Laws of contract, ii) Laws of marriage and Conjugal relation, iii) Laws relating to property of women, iv) family law relating to partition and inheritance of male property, v) Laws relating to landed property, vi) laws of debts and deposits, vii) Laws of service and partnership, viii) Laws of gifts, purchase and sale, ix) Laws of civil injuries and x) Gambling and miscellaneous subjects. Now in the 21<sup>st</sup> century, Publication of this work may herald a new era. The Kautilya system of law has many and various kinds of legal procedures which needs

study and research. This book is goldmine for researchers and thinkers in numerous fields. It will be a useful work of reference for jurists, judges, advocates of higher courts, diplomats, students of legal research and comparative law, historians, Sanskrit scholars, writers and the general public. It is hoped that the book will bring an awareness, recognition and rediffusion of the Indian learning at home, and in other parts of the world.]

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Intellectual property: global and Indian Dimensions / J.K. Bagchi  
New Delhi : Manas Publications, 2007  
Includes Index  
81-7049-317-X  
\$ 12.50

[The evolution of the world trade organization after intense discussion over 8 year has generated great interest the world over. The first round proved to be market by different from the earlier rounds. The present book deals with "Intellectual property" which was a critical area in the negotiations.

As we all know before the WTO, this important area was dealt by the paris Agreement (1863), Berne Convection (1886), Marred Agreement (1891), Universal copyright convention (1952), Rome Convention (1961), Geneva Convention (1961) and IPIC Treaty (1989), even through these agreements and conventions had excellent ideas, they lacked the capabilities for implementation.]

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Human Rights Watch – World Report 2007 (Events of 2006)  
New Delhi : Book well, 2007  
556 p. : ill. ; 24 cm.  
81-89640-37-2  
\$ 25.00

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Human rights : many sides to a coin / Sreenivasulu N.S  
New Delhi : Regal Publications, c2008  
xvi, 405 p. ; 23 cm  
Includes Index  
81-89915-93-2  
\$ 36.25

The book speaks on the Philosophy, foundations and genesis of human rights. It discusses the various dimensions of human rights including human rights of weaker sections, backward classes, marginalized people, and special classes. It contains certain case studies on human rights violations with notes on possible remedial actions. It highlights the constitutional measures and legal mechanism in the regulation and enforcement of human rights

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Intellectual Property Rights In India : General Issues and Implications / Edited by Prankrishna Pal  
New Delhi : Regal Publications, c2008  
xx, 328 p. ; 22 cm.  
Includes Index.  
89-89915-87-8  
\$ 26.25

[Intellectual Property Rights: General Issues and Implication is an edited volume based on papers presented at the Ministry of Human Resource Development sponsored Seminar organized by Department of Economics, Rabindra Bharathi University, Kolkata and invited papers from the distinguished scholars. Thematically

these papers are arranged into two sections: (i) General Issues and (ii) Implications.]

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Women and the Law / Laxmidhar Chouhan

New Delhi : Mittal Publications, c2007

280 p. ; 22 cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

81-8324-238-3

\$ 18.75

[The book is an incisive searching analysis of the pressing legal issues resulting from the numerous problems women face, including low pay, sexual harassment, flexible working conditions, parental rights and discrimination. Locating women's service status within the social unit of the family as a contributory factor to their continued disadvantage within the paid workforce, it assesses how such a position makes women more prone to the issue they confront.

Exploring these problems in depth, it also addresses head-on the factors of class, race and financial status, which give rise to difficult conflicts of interest between and among women. Analysing various religious, social, cultural and national legal frameworks with respect to women's rights, it also offers multidimensional solutions to eradicate women's sufferings.]

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Agricultural Law / Sukhbir Bhatnagar

New Delhi : Mittal Publications, c2007

276 p. ; 22 cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

81-8324-235-9

\$ 18.75

[This book is aimed at providing farmers, as well as agricultural scientists with a reliable manual detailing the legal provisions for alleviating the problems within agriculture. With the increasing sophistication of farming processes, issues of intellectual property, trade, finance, credit and general transactions often arise. More, agri-law are not only associated with plants and animals, but also with land use, environmental rules and food products.

Elaborating on the legal set-up for agriculture, this book explores the laws and rules for the numerous legal issues within agriculture, analysing and critiquing these laws, and what more needs to be done. With emerging technologies which have only added to the issue, these arise yet another problem. This has been taken under consideration. Moreover, case studies have been provided to help gain a better understanding.]

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Preventive Detention and Human Rights / Priti Saxena

New Delhi : Deep and Deep Publications (P) Ltd., c2007

xix, 243 p. ; 23 cm

81-7629-992-8

\$21.50

[India's commitment to human rights is reflected in the Constitution and the laws in its institutional mechanism of an independent judiciary, free press and fair democratic elections. Courts, as sentinels on the qui vive, are striking a balance between the changing needs of the society for peaceful transformation with order and protection of the rights of the citizen. P.U.C.L. v. Union of India AIR 2004 SC 456 is an instance.

In view of the social/academic importance of the subject matter, the present work was undertaken. The present book traces the history of detention laws in depth,

surveys the case law, analyses the two major Acts on detention laws e.g. NSA and COFEPOSA and of course offers many sound suggestions to uphold human rights of all.]

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Marine Law / J. Thannapan

New Delhi : Anmol Publications Pvt Ltd., c2007

263 p. ; 22 cm.

Includes Index.

978-81-261-3205-8

\$ 17.00

[This book assesses the navigational regime established by the 1982 Convention, with emphasis given to the continuing importance of the freedom of the seas. navigation in the territorial sea and international straits is reviewed, especially in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore, and the Torres Strait. Archipelagic navigation from the perspective of two claimant states, Indonesia and the Philippines, and a user state, South Korea, is also considered. The interaction of environmental concerns with navigational rights is an important feature of the current law of the sea regime with relevant conventions assesses and the role of the International Maritime Organization in developing navigational standards considered.]

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Dowry Deaths : Legal Provisions and Judicial Interpretation / Vinay Sharma

New Delhi : Deep & Deep Publications Pvt. Ltd., c2007

xvi, 187 p. ; 22 cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

81-7629-917-0

\$ 11.00

[The book is about a social problem 'Dowry-Deaths : Legal Provisions and Judicial interpretation'. This book has dealt-rooted historical perspective how dowry is a deep-rooted problem of Indian society slowly and steadily how the growth of the social problem took place.]

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An introduction to legal theories / Gokulesh Sharma

New Delhi : Deep and Deep Publications Pvt. Ltd., c2008

viii, 344 p. ; 24 cm.

Includes Index

978-81-8450-048-6

\$ 35.00

[In this book a comparative legal philosophy, on one hand, on the Hindu, Muslim and Chinese thought relating to the eastern world and communist philosophy of Russia, and on the other hand, western philosophy of Greek, Roman, British and American thinkers is given. Although brief role of German, Australian and other thinkers of various other nations have also been taken up for consideration.

The book is divided into two parts and have sixteen chapters. The first chapter deals with a brief outlook of the whole subject. It gives a description of the Greek Theories. Second chapter describes the meaning of Law, Justice, and Ethics. A good discussion of thought of available philosophers of law has been taken up along with a new approach to existing law and future trends. Third chapter deals with Science and Legal Theories. Fourth chapter is about Legal Theory and social evolution. It also provides discussion how legal theories whether Oriental, Continental, European, American and what so ever.

The second part of the book has twelve chapters. Fifth chapter deals with Analytical Theories which are also called positive theories. Chapter seven describes Historical and Anthropological Approaches. Chapter eight provides Economic Approaches.

Chapter nine likewise details about Sociological theories. Chapter ten provide real view of Realistic Theories. Chapter eleven describes Philosophical and Natural Law Theories. Further chapter twelve provides Oriental and Continental Approaches which is a unique feature of this book. Chapter thirteen discloses various kinds of Critical Legal studies, likewise chapter fourteen provides a good work for weaker section of society under Feminian Theories. Chapter fifteen and sixteen are very latest and of recent origin. These describes Post-modern Theories and Current available Trends of Legal Theories.]

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Ancient judicial system of India / Gokulesh Sharma  
New Delhi : Deep and Deep Publications Pvt. Ltd., c 2008  
xi, 205 p. ; 22 cm  
Includes Index  
978-81-8450-049-3  
\$ 18.00

[The present book is a unique collection of rules of Ancient Judicial System of India. The present book deals with Legal System of Ancient Indian Society. Hindu Religious scriptures have ample provisions of Law. It shows that Judiciary under ancient system was not only important but also indispensable. It was noteworthy that legal rules, Political Rules were mixed under ancient system.]

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An introduction to legal systems of the world / Gokulesh Sharma  
New Delhi : Deep and Deep Publications Pvt. Ltd., c2008  
viii, 284 p. ; 22 cm  
Includes Index.  
978-81-8450-045-5  
\$ 22.00

[Principles of legal system of Hindus, Muslims, Chinese, Jewish, Roman along with the basic principles of English law as well as of various countries and tribes of Africa have been compiled. Their original work has been collected so that the reader may know that system correctly.

The book has been divided in Two parts and Nine chapters. Part 1 consists seven chapters and Part 2 consists 2 chapters. Each legal system has been allotted one chapter.

Chapter 1 covers legal system of Hindus, Chapter 2 covers Legal system of Muslims, Chapter 3 covers legal System of Chinese, chapter 4 covers Legal systems of Jewish, Chapter 5 covers Legal system of Romans, Chapter 6 covers Legal system of English, Chapter 7 covers Legal System of Africa, Chapter 8 covers Present Position and future Prospects of these systems and last chapter 9 deals with the conclusion.]

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Feminine Jurisprudence In India : Women's Right / Edited by Gokulesh Sharma  
New Delhi : Deep and Deep Publications Pvt., Ltd., c2008  
x, 204 p. ; 23 cm.  
Includes Index.  
978-81-8450-037-0  
\$ 17.00

[The book has been written with special reference to women in India. Relevant instances of foreign countries have also been adopted. The book has been divided into six chapters. First chapter deals with introduction, i.e. problem of women. Second chapter deals with the philosophy why man is reasonable why not women in legal sense. Third chapter describes feminist approaches of human rights, i.e. special human right of ladies. Fourth chapter is with regard to legal education of women in India. Fifth chapter is a detailed study of comparative human right of women and

man. Sixth and final chapter is a conclusion what should be done in India future for women.]

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Constitutions of Saarc Nations / Gokulesh Sharma  
New Delhi : Deep and Deep Publications Pvt., Ltd., c2008  
x, 1001 p. ; 22 cm.  
Includes Index.  
978-81-8450-052-3  
\$ 82.50

[The book has been divided into two parts of ten chapters. The Part 1<sup>st</sup> deals with eight constitutions of SAARC Nations. The part is divided in eight chapters. Chapter 1 elaborates Indian Constitution. Chapter 2 describes Constitution of Bangladesh. Chapter 3 focuses Constitution of Nepal, a tiny hill state. Chapter 4 describes Constitution of Sri Lanka. Chapter 5 points out Constitution of Pakistan. Chapter 6 provides us Constitution of Bhutan. Chapter 7 lays down one of the latest Constitution of Maldives. Latly, Chapter 8 describes Constitution of Afghanistan. Part 2<sup>nd</sup> is further sub-divided between 2 chapters. Chapter nine describes Working of Constitutions among SAARC Nations and lastly Chapter ten provides Conclusion and Future Guidance.]

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An Introduction to Jurisprudence / Gokulesh Sharma  
New Delhi : Deep and Deep Publications Pvt., Ltd., c2008  
viii, 1016 p. ; 24 cm.  
Includes Index.  
978-81-8450-044-8  
\$ 90.00

[This book presents a comparative legal philosophy on one hand, of the Hindu, Muslim and Chinese thought relating to the eastern world and communist philosophy of Russia, and on the other hand, western philosophy of Greek, Roman, British and American Thinkers. Although brief role of German, Australian and other thinkers of various other nations have also been taken up for consideration. The book is divided into nineteen chapters. Part 1 Introduction to Subject, Part 2 Sources of Law, Part 3 Techniques of Law.]

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Constitutional law of India : as amended upto Ninety-Third Amendment – 2 volumes / G.S. Pande  
Jaipur, India : University Book House Pvt. Ltd., c2007  
2 v. ; 23 cm  
81-8198-014-X  
\$ 50.00

[The last edition of this book was published late in 2003, but the law is so fast changing that publication of this edition became imperative. Besides judicial pronouncements on important problems, seven formal amendments of the Constitution have also been made since the publication of the last edition. They have made such important changes as to render the text of the book useful to readers, particularly those who wants to get depth knowledge of the subject. It was, therefore, decided to update the text by incorporating all recent amendments of the Constitutions, made by Parliament and important decisions of the apex court published till the final printing of this edition of the book. Some important changes made by legislations like Citizenship (Amendment) Act, 2003 and Citizenship (Amendment) Act, 2005 have also been incorporated at appropriate places in this edition of the book. In addition to the above, recently, some special problems have

arisen regarding defections and coalition culture. The author has drawn attention on all such problems.]

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Legal Regime of Marine Environment in the Bay of Bengal / M. Habibur Rahman  
New Delhi : Atlantic Publishers and Distributors (P) Ltd., c2007  
xxviii, 377 p. ; 23 cm  
Includes Bibliography and Index  
81-269-0759-2  
\$ 20.00

[The present book is a treatise on the legal regime of the marine environment in the Bay of Bengal. It provides a comprehensive description and assessment of the legal regime governing this particular maritime area. It focuses on its protection, preservation and development. It deals with fisheries as well as the protection of the environment against pollution and the discharge of waste from land.]

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Human rights as a western concept / Raimundo Panikkar and Arvind Sharma  
New Delhi : D.K. Printworld (P) Ltd., 2007  
vii, 103 p. ; 22 cm  
Includes Bibliography and Index  
81-246-0429-0  
\$ 4.00

[Whether the discourse on Human Rights constitutes an authentically universal discourse, or merely Western discourse masquerading as such, is an issue which has persisted ever since the Universal Declaration of Human Rights was adopted in 1948, and shows no signs of letting up. This book presents an in-depth exploration of this issue in a novel format, with a detailed response to it by Arvind Sharma, thereby laying bare several key dimensions of the debate which may otherwise escape notice.]

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Cases and Materials on Service Disputes : Practical Hints relating to Public Service /  
Ranadhir Kumar De  
Kolkata : Eastern Law House, c2007  
638 p. ; 23 cm.  
Includes Index  
978-81-7177-200-1  
\$ 20.00

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Goyle's the Law of Trusts / M.R. Mallick  
2<sup>nd</sup> edition (1<sup>st</sup> edition on 1989)  
Kolkata : Eastern Law House Private Ltd., c2007  
588 p. ; 23 cm.  
Includes Index  
978-81-7177-198-1  
\$ 20.00

[Goyle's law of Trust is already an established treaties on its own merit as an exhaustive treatment of the Indian Trusts Act 1882. It was originally a subject-wise analysis but in this outstanding edition the treatment is rendered statute-wise for the sake of convenience of the readers.

The term 'trust' means an obligation annexed to the ownership of property arising out of a confidence reposed in and accepted by the owner for the benefit of another as the beneficiary. Thus, a 'trust' as distinguished from 'a power of attorney' is an obligation whereby the trustee is bound to perform some act with the intention of

doing good to the beneficiary. Thus, a trust is imperative while a power is discretionary.]

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Laws of Marriage and Divorce / H.K. Saharay  
Fifth Edition

Kolkata : Eastern Law House, 2007

931 p. ; 23 cm.

Includes Index.

978-81-7177-197-4

\$ 28,00

[This edition contains a comprehensive study of all the facets relating to marriages taking place in India and also in foreign countries like Australia, U.K. and U.S.A. It adequately focuses on day to day matrimonial problems with suggestions for solutions in the light of judicial pronouncements from competent courts. This historical background and development of matrimonial institutions, rules of construction in matrimonial matters, grounds for dissolution, extra-judicial separation, maintenance, custody of child as well as divorces are the major areas reflected upon this exhaustive volume.]

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Human Rights in India / Asish Kumar Das and Prasant Kumar Mohanty

New Delhi : Sarup and Sons, c2007

267 p. ; 21 cm.

Includes Bibliography and Index.

81-7625-795-8

\$ 16.25

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