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“FROM ABUSED TO ABUSER: MISUSE OF LAW BY WOMEN IN INDIA”



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Dear Researchers,

We are pleased to invite you to contribute a chapter as original/unpublished chapters in an edited book entitled “*FROM ABUSED TO ABUSER: MISUSE OF LAW BY WOMEN IN INDIA*” to be published by a reputed publisher with ISBN number.

About:

Institute of Legal Studies and Research, GLA University, Mathura is one of the newly emerging law schools of India which provides quality education. It is the only private law school in India to adopt the Trimester system. The institute encourages the students to indulge in research-oriented works so as to make the learning process easy and as researchers they can understand the past and recent developments in the field of law.

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Concept Note:

Women, from the ancient times have been subjected to many inequalities and they have not been given enough rights as compared to their counterparts. But as the time has passed there has been a change in the conditions of the women. They are given equal status in every field as men. To improve their deteriorating conditions many provisions have been incorporated in the Constitution of India and other statutes are also enacted by the Parliament of India like the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961, etc.

But as these provisions are implemented, they also bring some disadvantages with them. Sexual discrimination against girls or women is still a more severe problems in most parts of

the world. However contrary to the popular belief, men and boys can also be subjected to discrimination. Men are also victims of domestic violence and sexual assault, but state institution and society in general take such violence less seriously because of the prevailing attitudes towards men, such as the belief that men are fearless, sustain greater pain and are more capable of self-defence.

There have been ample cases where the law has been misused. Women use the law as a weapon to extort money out of their counterparts. Small incidents of little consequence are exaggerated in a large number of complaints.

Sub-Themes:

- 1) Misuse of Rape Laws under IPC,
- 2) Misuse of POCSO Act, 2012,
- 3) Misuse of the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1961,
- 4) Misuse of maintenance laws under CrPC and other Personal Laws,
- 5) Misuse of the Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005,
- 6) Misuse of provisions regarding Outraging the Modesty of women under IPC,
- 7) Disadvantages faced in obtaining Child Custody by Men,
- 8) Misuse of Divorce Laws,
- 9) Misuse of Marital Rape Laws,
- 10) Constitutionality of Gender Biased Laws.

Note: The author can choose any other appropriate theme that is in resonance with the main theme.

Who Can Participate

Academicians, legal practitioners, research scholars and students.

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Important Dates

The last date of abstract submission is **20th April 2023**.

The last date for paper submission is **31th May 2023**.

Note: The acceptance of the abstract shall be notified through the email by 30th April 2023.

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