



MANIPAL UNIVERSITY JAIPUR

Faculty of Arts & Law

School of Law

Class: LLB Semester-I

Public Interest Lawyering Legal – Aid and Para Legal Services (PIL) | LA1103 | 2 1 0 3

3 Credits - 42 Sessions (60 Minutes each session)

Session: July– Dec 16 | Faculty: Ms. Kanika Dhaka

COURSE OUTCOMES: At the end of the course, students will be able to

LA1101.1. Elaborate the meaning, importance and relationship of Bar and Bench

LA1101.2. Develop skills pertaining to legal profession and discuss the role of lawyers and judges to promote ethics in society

LA1101.3. understand the moral obligations between client and advocate

LA1101.4. describe the importance and procedure of public interest litigations

LA1101.5. inculcate the ethical values towards legal profession

A. SYLLABUS

Legal Aid-Meaning, Nature, Scope and Development, Legal Aid and Constitution of India, Legal Services Authorities Act-Objectives, Establishment of Authorities and their powers, Eligibility for Legal Aid, Legal Aid to accused at State expenses (303-304 of the Cr. P.C.), Public Interest Litigation-Meaning, Scope, Necessity, Locus-Standi, Lok Adalats and their working, Para-Legal Counselling Meaning, Necessity, Scope, Training for Para-legal services, leading cases of the Supreme Court on PIL.

Cases Referred:

1. Shivaji Nilangekar v. Mahesh Goasvi , A.I.R. 1987, AC, SC 294
2. R.S. nayak v. A. R. Antulay, A.I.R. 1984, SC 684
3. Sub Committee of Judicial Accountability v. Union of India (Justice V. Ramswami, A.I.R. 1992, SC 320)
4. Anil yadav v. State of Bihar, A.I.R. 1982, SC 1008 (Blinding of prisoners in Bhagalpur Case)
5. Bandhua Mukti Morcha v. Union of India, A.I.R. 1984, SC 802
6. People Union for Democratic Rights v. Union of India, A.I.R. 1982, SC 1502.

B. Text Books :

1. M. Krishna Murthy Iyer's Book on Advocacy

