

EXTENSION LECTURE SERIES

Title: Legal Claims in Railway Tribunal

Date: Wednesday, 28th March 2018

Venue: Seminar Hall, Lloyd Law College

Speaker(s): Mr. K.P. Yadav, Registrar, Railway Claims Tribunal, Principal Bench, Delhi

The administration of the Railways is not limited only to the running of the Railway, it is something beyond that. The functioning of the Railways also includes issues like the loss or damage to the goods of passengers travelling in the trains, non-delivery of the goods, thefts, accidents causing injuries and death of the passengers as well as of the common people and many more issues. Substantive liability of the Railway Administration for these issues is laid down in the Railway Act, 1989. Since it is difficult to get fast adjudication in the normal courts because there are a large number of cases of all the areas running in these courts, so the Railway Claims Tribunal was established under the Railway Claims Tribunal Act, 1987 which came into force to provide the speedy justice to the rail users and passengers by way of expeditious payment of compensation to the victims of rail accidents.



Lloyd Law College organised teaching sessions for the detailed discussion on the said topic for the benefit of the students and for the better understanding of the topic with respect to the Railway rules. The topic was guided by Mr K.P. Yadav who being the registrar in Railway Tribunals has an expertise in the said topic since he has real life cases and incidents to widen his knowledge in this regard and to help the students with the same.



Mr. K.P. Yadav is presently working in the Railway Claims Tribunal and is designated as the Registrar of the said department at the Principal bench of Delhi. He has expertise regarding the topic as he is familiar with the real life cases dealing with railway accidents and compensation thereafter on a regular basis.