

## Report on Half Day Seminar on Competition Laws – 4<sup>th</sup> November 2017



The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter in association with Competition Commission of India organised Half Day Seminar on Overview of Competition Law: Cartelisation and Leniency, on 4<sup>th</sup> November 2017.

The programme was presided by CS Vasanth Kumar, Chairman, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter, CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member, ICSI, CS Pradeep B Kulkarni, Secretary, The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter and Speakers Mr. Rakesh Bhanot, Adviser, Competition Commission of India, New Delhi, Mr. Prashanth S Shivadass, Advocate, Bangalore and Mr. Tanmay Bhargav, Director, Head Anti - Trust Services, KPMG, Gurgaon, Haryana.

CS Vasanth Kumar, Chairman, welcomed the gathering and introduced the Speakers to the audience present.

CS Gopalakrishna Hegde, Council Member, ICSI in his address congratulated Bengaluru Chapter for organising the programme and informed that the opportunities for Company Secretaries is increasing day by day and competition law is another opportunity which the Company Secretaries can undertake for professional growth and development.

The 1<sup>st</sup> Technical session on Overview of Competition Law: Cartelisation and Leniency, was taken by Mr. Rakesh Bhanot, Advisor, CCI, New Delhi wherein he informed that the Competition commission has emerged as one of the key regulators, gaining significant traction in the last 5 years. He further informed that the Objective of the CCI is to prevent any practices which has an appreciable adverse effect on competition in India.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Technical Session on Abuse of Dominance was taken by Mr. Prashanth S Shivadass and Mr. Tanmay Bhargav, where in the speakers covered Penalties, Compliances, Compliance structure, framework, Scope of Competition Act 2002, Risk of Non Compliances, Provisions of Competition Act, etc before concluding the session.

The session ended with vote of thanks to the Speakers.

Link for accessing the photographs of the programme: <http://bit.ly/2zhwkbq>

## Report on Valedictory of 36<sup>th</sup> MSOP – 11<sup>th</sup> November 2017



The Valedictory of 36<sup>th</sup> MSOP was organized by The ICSI-Bengaluru Chapter on 11<sup>th</sup> November 2017 at the Chapter premises.

The Programme was presided by Chief Guest Mr. Harish Mysore, Director, IEEE India Operations and CS Vasanth Kumar, Chairman The ICSI – Bengaluru Chapter.

CS Vasanth Kumar, Chairman, welcomed the gathering and introduced the Chief Guest

Mr. Ravi SK and Mr. Nagarjun shared their feedback about the 36<sup>th</sup> Batch of MSOP.

Later the Chief Guest in his address congratulated all the participants for successfully completing MSOP. He inspired the participants to take up the opportunities in the right spirit and make best use of it. He advised each one of them to be sure of what they do which comes from constant knowledge upgradation and also emphasized on developing collaborative working style and to be proactive in the various roles they play as a Company Secretary.

The programme then followed with prize award distribution and the below awards have been given to the participants:

<b>Best team Presentation</b>	REAL ESTATE REGULATIONS ACT 2016	Ms. Kripa N Jai, Mr. Jerin Mathew Joseph, Ms. G. Likitha and Ms. Nandaprabha K Charate
<b>Best Project Report</b>	OFFENCES & PENALTIES UNDER COMPANIES ACT WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON PROCEDURAL ASPECTS OF COMPOUNDING OF OFFENCES	Mr. R. Muralidharan, Mr. Raghunath P, Ms. Keerthana S and Ms. Deepa G
<b>Best Critic Team</b>		Mr. Aashish Jain, Mr. Krishnaswamy G.S, Ms. Shubham Anil Shingvi and Ms. Shweta Ghosh
<b>Best Presenter Male</b>		Mr. Shubham Anil Shingvi
<b>Best Presenter Female</b>		Ms. Muktha Rangappa
<b>Best Participant</b>		Mr. Arun Marepally
<b>Class Representative</b>		Mr. Ravi S.K

The prize awards was then followed by distribution of the MSOP completion certificates to all the participants by the dignitaries.

The programme ended with vote of thanks to the Chief Guest.