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EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

Army Institute of Law, Mohali, Punjab, (2010-2015)

- Five year Integrated B.A. L.L.B course. Secured an aggregate of 71.86%

Sanskriti School, New Delhi

- Class XII: Secured 78.5%

Loreto Convent, New Delhi

- Class X: Secured 89.6%

ACADEMIC ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Awarded the Tata Memorial Scholarship for academic excellence in five consecutive academic sessions, 2010 to 2015 for securing the first position.
- Awarded the Army Welfare Education Society Scholarship for securing an aggregate of above 70% in three consecutive academic sessions, 2011 to 2014.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- **HSA Advocates, New Delhi**

(Associate - Corporate Commercial, M&A and Private Equity – November 2, 2015 - present)

Advised on diverse assignments and transactions in the corporate commercial transaction advisory, M&A and strategic private equity transaction space. Some of the significant M&A transactions advised on are detailed below:

Representative Matters

Mergers and Acquisitions, Joint Ventures, Private Equity

- **Hero Electronix Private Limited**, part of the Hero Group, on the acquisition of a strategic stake in Bangalore-headquartered leading semiconductor engineering services company, Tessolve Semiconductor, which has operations pan-India and across USA, Singapore, Malaysia and several other regions across the globe.
- **Rockman Industries Limited**, one of the flagship entities of the Hero Group and one of leading manufacturers of automotive components, on the acquisition of a majority equity stake in Moldex Composites, one of the leading carbon composite manufacturing companies in the world in the automotive component manufacturing sector, including for Formula 1 race cars.

- **Autostrade Indian Infrastructure Development Private Limited/Atlantia S.p.A. Group** on the acquisition of equity stakes in two large road projects in India owned by Reliance: (i) Pune - Satara 6 laning project (Target: PS Toll Road Limited) and (ii) Delhi - Agra 6 laning project (DA Toll Road Limited).

Renewable Energy M&A

- **ReNew Power Ventures Private Limited**, on the acquisition of 100% equity stakes of four companies owned by Vikram Solar, namely Lexicon Vanijya Private Limited, Symphony Vyapaar Private Limited, Star Solar Private Limited and Sungold Energy Private Limited, owning four 'commissioned' solar power projects totalling 30 MW in the state of Rajasthan.
- **Actis GP LLP** on the proposed acquisition of 100% share capital of 20 special purpose vehicles/target companies owning solar projects in the states of Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Madhya Pradesh and Karnataka, owned by a global renewable energy conglomerate.
- **Ostro Energy Private Limited**, on the acquisition of 100% of the total issued, subscribed and paid up share capital of Prathamesh Solarfarms Limited (owned by Suzlon Energy Limited), which owns a 50MW solar power project in the State of Telangana.
- **Ostro Energy Private Limited**, on the acquisition of 100% of the total issued, subscribed and paid up share capital of 4 special purpose vehicles owned by Suzlon Energy Limited, which collectively own solar power projects totalling 60MW in State of Rajasthan.

- **ZeusIP Advocates, New Delhi**

(Associate - Trademarks, Copyright & Designs team - June 29, 2015- October 31, 2015)

Assisted in drafting of opposition pleadings - advised in relation to copyright and trademarks issues including, rights of exclusive and non-exclusive licensee under the Indian Copyright regime, proposed strategy regarding the registrability of trademark under the Indian Trademark law and enforcement strategy against conflicting marks.

INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

- **Luthra & Luthra Law Offices, New Delhi**

(Legal Intern, February 02, 2015-February 27, 2015 and October 20, 2014- November 14, 2014)

- Researched and prepared a note on the meaning of "equity shares of the same class" and researched on the applicability of Section 8 of the General Clauses Act.
- Researched on the powers of the court under Section 391 of Companies Act, 1956 to do away with creditor's meeting for a scheme of amalgamation.
- Summarized and verified litigations for "*Outstanding litigations and Material Developments*" chapter in an offer document.
- Prepared a compliance checklist for variation of shareholders' right under Section 106 of the Companies Act, 1956.

- **Ranbaxy Laboratories Limited, Gurgaon**

(Legal Intern, March 03, 2014- March 28, 2014)

- Researched on conflicting brands & assisted the team with the analysis & proposed opposition strategy.
- Assisted the team in drafting opposition pleadings.
- Reviewed license & supply agreements and drafted addendums for the same.

PUBLICATIONS

- Published paper titled “*Content Filtering vis-à-vis Freedom of Speech*” in RGNUL Law Review, 2014.
- Published paper titled “*Jeopardy of foreign companies: Need for an effective legislation in International Commercial Arbitration in India*” in Volume 3, Issue 1 of the A38 Journal of International Law, 2014.
- Published paper titled “*Vision for an Effective Consumer Redressal System*” in Army Institute of Law Journal, Volume V, 2012.