



REGIONAL LAW REVIEW CONSULTATION
ON
LAWS RELATED TO WOMEN IN PRISONS
(North East Region)



Organized by Govt. Mizoram Law College & National Commission for Women

Date: 14th January, 2025 @ Aijal Club, Mizoram

PROGRAMME

Programme Schedule

9:30 AM -10:00 AM	Registration Participants register and receive programme materials
10:00 AM – 10:40 AM Chairman: Mrs Rebecca Lalrindik Asst. Professor, GMLC	Inaugural Session Welcome Address by Dr. Esther.L. Chhangte, Principal, Govt. Mizoram Law College Keynote Address by Chief Guest Hon’ble Justice Marli Vankung, Gauhati High Court Special Address by National Commission for Women Felicitatation of Guest: Co-coordinators
10:40 AM-11:00 AM	Tea Break
11:00 AM to 12:10 PM Session I Moderator: Dr. Maria Lalrinmawi, GMLC	Keynote speaker: Dr. Mridula Devi, USTM, Meghalaya (20 Minutes) Topic: Reviewing the existing legal provisions dealing with women prisoners and identify the areas for improvement <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Highlighting the legal provisions relating to women prisoners.- Rights of women prisoners.- Major issues/ problem faced and remedial measures. Key takeaway – Identifying inadequacies in the present legal framework and suggesting remedial measures so as to make the law inclusive, robust and resilient with respect to women in Prison. Discussion
12:10 PM to 1:30 PM Session II Moderator: Ms. Ruth Lalrinliani	Keynote speaker: Ms. P. Lalremruati, GMLC (20 Minutes) Regional (North –East) on Prison administration and women prisoners <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Regional Data on women prisoners – prison population, type of prisoners, offences, age, educational background etc- Health (including mental health), nutrition, sanitation and hygiene.- Impact on children due to maternal incarceration. Key takeaway – Analyzing the need for more gender specific provisions with respect to women in Prisons. Discussion
1:30 PM to 2:30PM	Lunch Break

<p>2:30 PM to 3:30PM Session III Moderator: Ms. K.Lalrindiki, GMLC</p>	<p>Keynote speaker: Dr. Rupali Debbarma(20 Minutes)</p> <p>Topic: Gender- based issues and special treatment to women prisoners</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Violence inside Prison and its delirious effects on women prisoners. - Enlarging the scope of Furlough, Parole, Probation and remission - Need for a separate statute/ Prison manual for women prisoners. <p>Key takeaway – Devising rules/SOP for women prisoners in jails and identifying inconsistencies or scope for improvement in the existing reporting system for victims of gender-based exploitation.</p> <p>Discussion</p>
<p>3:30 PM to 3:45 PM</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Tea Break</p>
<p>3:45 PM to 4: 45 Pm Session –IV Moderator: Mrs. Vanlalhruaii, GMLC</p>	<p>Keynote speaker: Dr. Pyali Chatterji, ICFAI University, Chhattisgarh (20 Minutes)</p> <p>Recommendation and the way forward</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Remedial measures to achieve the idea of reformation, rehabilitation and re-integration - Alternatives to imprisonment - Strengthening law enforcement agencies. <p>Key takeaway - Suggesting viable amendments in existing laws with the justification covering their expected impact on Indian society.</p> <p>Discussion</p>
<p>4:45 PM to 5:15 PM Chairman: Dr. Esther.L. Chhangte</p>	<p>Valedictory Session</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. BCI 2. NCW