



**2ND NATIONAL MOOT COURT
COMPETITION ON
CONSUMER PROTECTION LAWS**

27th February, 2026 - 1st March, 2026



ABOUT

NUSRL RANCHI



The **National University of Study and Research in Law, Ranchi**, is an institution dedicated to the cause of imparting legal education, established by the Jharkhand Government vide National University of Study and Research in Law, Ranchi Act 2010. The Chief Justice of the High Court of Jharkhand, Hon'ble, Mr. Justice Tarlok Singh Chauhan, is the Chancellor. Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ahsanuddin Amanullah, Judge, Supreme Court of India, is the visitor and His Excellency Santosh Gangwar, Hon'ble Governor of Jharkhand, is the rector of NUSRL, Ranchi. Prof. (Dr.) Ashok R. Patil is the Vice-Chancellor of NUSRL. We are a Law University offering B.A.LL.B.(Hons.), LL.M., Ph.D. in law, and postgraduate diploma courses.

Since 2010, NUSRL has been dedicated to the task of providing world-class legal education to students pursuing our courses. Many of our past students are serving as judges and law officers in various government departments, and many of them have settled into practice at the Bar. Students from NUSRL have consistently demonstrated excellence in their respective fields. To impart quality education, we have specialised faculty who have obtained their education from the best universities in India and abroad and have several publications in the form of research papers and books to their credit. We offer several specialisation courses, including courses in criminal law, forensic science, corporate laws, IPR, etc., wherein students study the intricacies and nuances of the subjects.



ABOUT THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

The Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, Government of India, New Delhi is a pivotal government body tasked with safeguarding and promoting consumer rights and interests in India. Established in 1986, the ministry has evolved significantly over the years, expanding its functions to cover a wide range of consumer-related concerns, such as protection, product safety, and efficient dispute resolution mechanisms. The ministry's foundational goal is to empower consumers by ensuring they have access to safe, reliable, and affordable goods and services. It operates under a clear vision of fostering a consumer-centric market environment, while its mission emphasizes consumer education, awareness, and robust protection frameworks. The ministry actively works with state governments, regulatory agencies such as FSSAI and BIS, industry associations like CII and FICCI, and NGOs to ensure comprehensive consumer protection and create a robust regulatory framework.

The Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, Government of India continues to play a critical role in shaping consumer welfare and promoting a consumer-centric marketplace. Through its strategic initiatives, consumer education programs, and legal reforms, it is committed to empowering consumers and addressing emerging challenges in the rapidly evolving marketplace.



ABOUT THE CHAIR ON CONSUMER RESEARCH AND POLICY



VISION

The **Chair on Consumer Research and Policy (CCRP)** was established at National University of Study and Research in Law (NUSRL), Ranchi in October 2024 by the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi, to promote research, teaching and training in Consumer Law. The Chair acts as a “Think Tank” for research and policy related issue on consumer affairs as a distinct subject of study both at Under Graduate and Post Graduate levels.

The Chair is one of the few of its kind that envisions at protecting the rights and interests of the consumers through consumer awareness, timely and effective grievance redressal and involvement of various stakeholders.

MISSION

The Chair’s mission lies at empowering consumers through awareness programmes, to enhance consumer protection and safety against unfair trade practices, effective redressal mechanisms, etc.

OBJECTIVES

In view of the emerging markets globally and high expectations of the consumers for better services, standards, variety of choices available, etc., the Chair on Consumer Research & Policy (CCRP), NUSRL, Ranchi aims to promote research, teaching, and training in Consumer Laws and consumer protection in various sectors such as e-commerce, health, financial, transport, insurance, airlines, etc. The Chair is established to undertake the activities in furtherance of the objectives of the Consumer Protection Act, 2019, rules and regulations related to this Act as well as the roles and regulations of consumer dispute redressal commission in the interest of protection of the rights of consumers, etc.

ABOUT THE MOOT COURT COMPETITION

The **2nd National Moot Court Competition on Consumer Protection Laws, 2026** is a prestigious National-level Consumer Moot Court Competition, designed to sharpen participants' understanding and application of Consumer Law. It aims to provide law students and budding legal professionals with a platform to explore and engage with key issues related to consumer rights, unfair trade practices, and dispute resolution mechanisms.

This moot court competition challenges participants to tackle real-world legal problems rooted in the complexities of consumer protection. Through a combination of in-depth research, detailed written submissions, and persuasive oral advocacy, participants are expected to demonstrate their knowledge of the legal framework governing consumer law in India, while offering innovative and practical solutions to the challenges presented. This competition provides an invaluable opportunity to delve into pressing consumer law issues, such as the regulation of e-commerce, misleading advertisements, product defects, and the balance of consumer rights against corporate interests. It mirrors contemporary challenges in consumer protection law and equips participants with essential skills for legal practice, including legal research, drafting, and courtroom advocacy.

By participating in this moot, students will not only enhance their legal reasoning and advocacy skills but will also gain insights into how consumer law evolves to meet the demands of modern markets. It serves as a vital platform for future lawyers to hone their craft and prepare for real-world legal challenges.

The National Moot Court Competition on Consumer Protection Laws encourages academic excellence, critical thinking, and teamwork, while fostering a competitive spirit and professional development among law students across the country.

TIMELINE

EVENTS	DATES
RELEASE OF THE MOOT PROPOSITION AND RULEBOOK	01 JANUARY, 2026 (THURSDAY)
REGISTRATIONS OPEN	01 JANUARY, 2026 (THURSDAY)
DEADLINE FOR ASKING CLARIFICATIONS	31 JANUARY, 2026 (SATURDAY)
DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION	31 JANUARY, 2026 (SATURDAY)
RELEASE OF CLARIFICATIONS	05 FEBRUARY, 2026 (THURSDAY)
DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF MEMORIALS	07 FEBRUARY, 2026 (SATURDAY)
ANNOUNCEMENT OF TEAMS QUALIFYING FOR ORAL ROUNDS	BY 17 FEBRUARY, 2026 (TUESDAY)
PAYMENT OF REGISTRATION FEE AND CONFIRMATION OF TRAVEL ITINERARY BY QUALIFYING TEAMS	19 FEBRUARY, 2026 (THURSDAY)
INAUGURATION CEREMONY, DRAW OF LOTS, EXCHANGE OF MEMORIALS AND RESEARCHER'S TEST	27 FEBRUARY 2026 (FRIDAY)
QUARTER FINAL ROUNDS AND SEMI-FINAL ROUNDS	28 FEBRUARY 2026 (SATURDAY)
FINAL ROUNDS AND VALEDICTORY CEREMONY	01 MARCH, 2026 (SUNDAY)

PRIZE POOL

AWARD	PRIZE
WINNING TEAM	₹25,000/-
RUNNERS UP TEAM	₹20,000/-
BEST SPEAKER (MALE)	₹10,000/-
BEST SPEAKER (FEMALE)	₹10,000/-
BEST MEMORIAL – COMPLAINANT	₹5,000/-
BEST MEMORIAL – OPPOSITE PARTY	₹5,000/-
BEST RESEARCHER	₹5,000/-

Winning Team will be felicitated by the Hon'ble Minister of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, Government of India on 15th March, 2026 (World Consumer Rights Day).

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RANCHI THE CITY OF WATERFALLS

Ranchi, the capital of Jharkhand, stands out for its natural beauty and cultural heritage. Known for its role in the Jharkhand movement, Ranchi now attracts tourists with its waterfalls, temples, and scenic locations, offering a peaceful getaway for nature lovers.

HOW TO REACH NUSRL, RANCHI

NUSRL is situated along the scenic Ranchi Ring Road, being around

- 18 kilometres from the Birsa Munda Airport, Ranchi
- 14 kilometres from Ranchi Junction Railway Station, and
- 18 kilometres from Hatia Railway Station.

TOP TOURIST ATTRACTIONS IN RANCHI

- Rock Garden & Kanke Dam: A beautiful park built on Gonda Hill with sculptures and waterfalls, located next to the serene Kanke Dam, perfect for picnics.
- Birsa Zoological Park: Located 26 km from Ranchi, this zoo is home to tigers, lions, and many other species.
- Ranchi Lake: Dug in 1842 by a British colonel, this lake offers boating and picturesque views of Ranchi Hill and its Shiv Mandir.
- Patratu Valley & Dam: A scenic valley with winding roads and breathtaking views, ideal for road trips.
- Nakshatra Van: An urban park representing zodiac signs with a musical fountain located near Raj Bhavan.
- Dassam, Jonha & Hundru Falls: A trio of stunning waterfalls located between 40-50 km from Ranchi, offering refreshing views and picnic spots.
- Panch Gagh Falls: Famous for its five streams, a popular weekend picnic spot about 50 km from the city.
- Pahari Mandir: Situated atop Ranchi Hill, this Shiva temple offers panoramic views and is popular during the Shravan season.

Ranchi's natural landscapes, spiritual sites, and peaceful atmosphere make it a must-visit destination for travellers seeking a blend of history, culture, and nature.

To explore more, visit <https://www.jharkhandtourism.org>

GLIMPSES OF 1ST EDITION OF THE MOOT



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