National Judicial Academy

P-1157: Refresher Course on Prevention of Money Laundering Act, 2002 22nd to 24th March, 2019

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No. of Participants : 20 No. of forms received : 20

I. OVERALL							
PROPOSITION	To a great extent	To some extent	Not at all	Remarks			
a. The objective of the Program was clear to me	90.00	10.00	-	14. Useful to great extent. 15. Useful.			
b. The subject matter of the program is useful and relevant to my work	65.00	25.00	10.00	12. No cases presently under PMLA 14. Useful to great extent. 15. Useful.			
c. Overall, I got benefited from attending this program	80.00	20.00	-	14. Useful to great extent. 15. Useful.			
d. I will use the new learning, skills, ideas and knowledge in my work	70.00	30.00	-	12. In future. 14. Useful to great extent.			
e. Adequate time and opportunity was provided to participants to share experiences	80.00	20.00	-	14. Useful to great extent.			
II. KNOWLEDGE							
PROPOSITION	To a great extent	To some extent	Not at all	Remarks			
The program provided knowledge (or provided links / references to knowledge) which is:							
a. Useful to my work	70.00	20.00	10.00	15. Useful for application.			

b. Comprehensive (relevant case laws, national laws, leading text / articles / comments by jurists)	57.89	42.11	-	15. Useful for application.				
c. Up to date	70.00	30.00	-	15. Useful for application.				
d. Related to Constitutional Vision of Justice	50.00	50.00	-	15. Useful for application.				
e. Related to international legal norms	38.89	61.11	-	15. Useful for application.				
	III. STRUCT	URE OF THE PROG	RAM					
PROPOSITION	Good	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Remarks				
a. The structure and sequence of the program was logical	80.00	20.00	-					
b. The program was								
(i) Group discussion cleared many doubts	73.68	26.32	-					
(ii) Case studies were relevant	70.00	30.00	-					
(iii) Interactive sessions were fruitful	80.00	20.00	-					
(iv) Audio Visual Aids were beneficial	61.11	38.89	-					
	IV SESSI	ONS WISE VETTING	G					
		Parameters						
	Discussions in individual sessions were effectively organized		The Session theme was adequately addressed by the Resource Persons					
Session	Effective and Useful	Satisfactory	Effective and Useful	Satisfactory				
1	100.00	-	100.00	-				
2	100.00	-	92.31	7.69				
3	90.00	10.00	84.62	15.38				
4	90.00	10.00	84.62	15.38				
5	90.00	10.00	84.62	15.38				
								

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	7	94.74	5.26	100.00	-			
	8	100.00	-	100.00	-			
V. PROGRAM MATERIALS								
]	PROPOSITION	To a great extent	To some extent	Not at all	Remarks			
a.	The Program material is useful and relevant	75.00	25.00	-	-			
b.	The content was updated. It reflected recent case laws/ current thinking/ research/ policy in the discussed area	70.00	30.00	-	-			
c.	The content was organized and easy to follow	75.00	25.00	-	-			

VIII. GENERAL SUGGESTIONS

- a. Three most important learning achievements of this Programme
- Session 1: Money Laundering: Origins and Evolution What is Money Laundering How does Money Laundering take place National & International Responses to tackle Money Laundering; Session 3: Role of Special Courts under PML Act Special Court under PML Act Jurisdictional Charter Powers of Special Court Remand & Cognizance Trial Procedures/Speedy Trial; Session 4: Burden of Proof & Appreciation of Evidence in PML Act Burden of Proof u/s. 24 of the Act Statements recorded by IO to be evidence u/s. 50(2) & 50(3) Presumptions & Reverse Burden and Session 6: Endemic pathologies in Search, Seizure/Attachment & Disposal of Property under PML Act Powers of functionaries Powers of Special Courts.
- 2. Participant did not comment.
- 3. Full exposure to PML Act.
- 4. The understanding of PML Act.
- 5. Participant did not comment.
- 6. Discussions were comprehensive; gave insights of the statute.
- 7. Session 1: Money Laundering: Origins and Evolution What is Money Laundering How does Money Laundering take place National & International Responses to tackle Money Laundering; Session 3: Role of Special Courts under PML Act Special Court under PML Act Jurisdictional Charter Powers of Special Court Remand & Cognizance Trial Procedures/Speedy Trial; Session 4: Burden of Proof & Appreciation of Evidence in PML Act Burden of Proof u/s. 24 of the Act Statements recorded by IO to be evidence u/s. 50(2) & 50(3) Presumptions & Reverse Burden; Session 5: Bail under the PML Act Provisions relating to Bail Case Law Jurisprudence; Session 6: Endemic pathologies in Search, Seizure/Attachment & Disposal of Property under PML Act Powers of functionaries Powers of Special Courts; Session 8: Contemporary Adjudicatory Challenges in PMLA cases: Way Forward Faulty/weak Investigation Prosecution support Other Procedural Issues etc.

- 8. 1. Cases relating to PC Act and PML Act; Sec. 19, 23 and 24 of PML Act; Anticipatory bail.
- 9. 1. I have a wonderful exposure to the nuances of the PMLA; 2. I got chance to interact with other DJs who deal with PMLA; 3. Got to learn more about PMLA through discussion.
- 10. 1. Programme was good; 2. I learnt as to how PMLA has to be dealt with.
- 11. 1. Concepts of PML Act made more clear; 2. Our knowledge of subject enhanced; 3. Practical aspects of matter made clearer.
- 12. New area for me; Helpful interaction; Case laws cleared doubts regarding grey areas of the PML Act.
- 13. Enhanced the knowledge and understanding of the Act.
- 14. 1. Basic principle and application of PML Act in judicial proceedings; 2. The various provisions of the act applicable in day-to-day judicial proceedings. 3. The provisions of Sec 23, 24, 50 in judicial proceedings.
- 15. Appreciation of evidence; Approach of law.
- 16. It gave a bird's eye view of the act.
- 17. To strengthen my knowledge and cleared doubts on the subject.
- 18. Since it is was a new act with some different ways to understand, it helps a lot.
- 19. 1. Knowledge gained to deal with PMLA. 2. Successful in clearing doubts 3. Memorable.
- 20. Helped in clearing various doubts. Interactive sessions.
- Which part of the Programme did you find most useful and why
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- 2. Participant did not comment.
- 3. All parts.
- 4. Session 3: Role of Special Courts under PML Act Special Court under PML Act Jurisdictional Charter Powers of Special Court Remand & Cognizance Trial Procedures/Speedy Trial; Session 4: Burden of Proof & Appreciation of Evidence in PML Act Burden of Proof u/s. 24 of the Act Statements recorded by 10 to be evidence u/s. 50(2) & 50(3) Presumptions & Reverse Burden; Session 5: Bail under the PML Act Provisions relating to Bail Case Law Jurisprudence.
- 5. **Session 4:** Burden of Proof & Appreciation of Evidence in PML Act Burden of Proof w/s. 24 of the Act Statements recorded by IO to be evidence u/s. 50(2) & 50(3) Presumptions & Reverse Burden.
- 6. Nuances of PMLA.

- 7. **Session 4:** Burden of Proof & Appreciation of Evidence in PML Act Burden of Proof w/s. 24 of the Act Statements recorded by IO to be evidence w/s. 50(2) & 50(3) Presumptions & Reverse Burden;
- 8. All the sessions.
- 9. Session 7: Cross Border Money Laundering: Issues and Challenges Hawala, Black Money etc. Online Payments and Cryptocurrency Problems faced by Courts in Cross-Border Money Laundering Cases and Session 8: Contemporary Adjudicatory Challenges in PMLA cases: Way Forward Faulty/weak Investigation Prosecution support Other Procedural Issues etc.
- 10. All the programme were good. It has sensitized us with regard to PMLA.
- 11. All parts of the programme were found most useful since they enhanced our knowledge and working of this act.
- 12. Burden of proof, Sec. 24 of the PMLA.
- 13. All.
- 14. Session 4: Burden of Proof & Appreciation of Evidence in PML Act Burden of Proof w/s. 24 of the Act Statements recorded by IO to be evidence u/s. 50(2) & 50(3) Presumptions & Reverse Burden; Session 5: Bail under the PML Act Provisions relating to Bail Case Law Jurisprudence; Session 6: Endemic pathologies in Search, Seizure/Attachment & Disposal of Property under PML Act Powers of functionaries Powers of Special Courts- are most relevant
- 15. Burden of proof under PMLA.
- 16. Session 7: Cross Border Money Laundering: Issues and Challenges Hawala, Black Money etc. Online Payments and Cryptocurrency Problems faced by Courts in Cross-Border Money Laundering Cases and Session 8: Contemporary Adjudicatory Challenges in PMLA cases: Way Forward Faulty/weak Investigation Prosecution support Other Procedural Issues etc.
- 17. All.
- 18. It is related to the subject.
- 19. All useful.
- 20. Jurisdiction related to Sec. 3, 5, 8, 22, 23 of the Act. .
- Which part of the Programme did you find least useful and why
- 1. Participant did not comment.
- 2. Participant did not comment.
- 3. None.
- 4. Participant did not comment.
- 5. Participant did not comment.
- 6. Participant did not comment.
- 7. **Session 6:** Endemic pathologies in Search, Seizure/Attachment & Disposal of Property under PML Act Powers of functionaries Powers of Special Courts;
- 8. Participant did not comment.
- 9. Session 4: Burden of Proof & Appreciation of Evidence in PML Act Burden of Proof u/s. 24 of the Act Statements recorded by IO to be evidence u/s. 50(2) & 50(3) Presumptions & Reverse Burden; Session 5: Bail under the PML Act Provisions relating to Bail Case Law Jurisprudence; Session 6: Endemic pathologies in Search, Seizure/Attachment & Disposal of Property under PML Act Powers of functionaries Powers of Special Courts.
- 10. None of the programme was least useful.

- 11. None.
- 12. Endemic pathologies in search, seizure, attachment etc. as it was not very much clear to me.
- 13. Participant did not comment.
- 14. Participant did not comment.
- 15. Sec. 50 of PMLA.
- 16. Session 4: Burden of Proof & Appreciation of Evidence in PML Act Burden of Proof w/s. 24 of the Act Statements recorded by IO to be evidence w/s. 50(2) & 50(3) Presumptions & Reverse Burden; Session 5: Bail under the PML Act Provisions relating to Bail Case Law Jurisprudence; Session 6: Endemic pathologies in Search, Seizure/Attachment & Disposal of Property under PML Act Powers of functionaries Powers of Special Courts- resource persons lack basics and they have no clear understanding.
- 17. Participant did not comment.
- 18. Participant did not comment.
- 19. None.
- 20. None.
- d. Kindly make any suggestions you may have on how NJA may serve you better and make its programmes more effective
- 1. Programme is good, it was much effective.
- 2. Participant did not comment.
- 3. No comment.
- 4. Participant did not comment.
- 5. Participant did not comment.
- 6. Participant did not comment.
- 7. Such type of training programme must be regularly conducted.
- 8. Participant did not comment.
- 9. Resource persons must have clarity in their opinion, cannot go for positive interpretation all the time as they feel difficulty in answering.
- 10. If the important judgement rendered would have been supplied. It would have helped much to refer then and there itself,
- 11. There is always room for improvement, each session must have an interaction part.
- 12. None.
- 13. Participant did not comment.
- 14. This type of programme related to Special act can be dealt with by the officials too to help understand the finer nuances.
- 15. Note- Water bottle to be provided in the class room.
- 16. Please avoid the use of plastic bottles in the Academy.
- 17. Participant did not comment.
- 18. Participant did not comment.
- 19. No.
- 20. Present arrangement and methodology found to the quite useful and satisfactory.