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Practices

Dispute Resolution

Education

B.A., LL.B., West Bengal
National University of
Juridical Sciences (2014)

Professional Affiliation/s

Bar Council of Maharashtra
and Goa

Vaishnavi Chillakuru is a Counsel in the Dispute Resolution practice group. She specializes in all kinds of civil litigation, arbitrations and has experience dealing in matters across sectors such as pharmaceuticals, power generation, engineering, construction, information technology, hospitality and banking and financial services.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

In her area of expertise, Vaishnavi has advised and represented several prominent clients including:

- An **Australian pharmaceutical company** in its dispute with a distributor of healthcare products;
- An **Indian power generation company** in proceedings challenging an arbitral award passed in an arbitration against a fuel supplier;
- A **leading Indian information technology company** in an arbitration invoked against a public company wholly owned by the Government of India;
- An **Indian asset reconstruction company** in multiple legal proceedings initiated for recovery of debt of over INR 500 crores from a borrower in default;
- A **Swiss construction company** in enforcement of a foreign arbitral award against an Indian company;
- A **Singaporean company** dealing in import and distribution of nuts and dry fruits in enforcement of multiple foreign arbitral awards obtained against various buyers;
- An **Indian company** engaged in wholesale distribution of surgical and other medical equipment in an arbitration against a healthcare company; and
- A **Singaporean debt fund** managed by a leading asset management and private equity firm, in insolvency proceedings initiated against a borrower in default.

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

Vaishnavi has authored the following contributions:

- “Computing a Claim for Loss of Profit: Rethinking the Hudson’s Formula” published by Lexology (November 2023);
- “Recovery and Security Enforcement Actions for Creditors Under Indian Law: An Overview” published by Lexology (May 2022);
- “Domain Name Registrars Could be Held Liable Under Trade Marks Act: Delhi High Court” published by Lexology (April 2022);
- “Independence and Impartiality of Arbitrators Under Section 12(5): Broader Applicability?” published by Lexology (March 2022);
- “The MSME Act and Arbitration Agreements: First Mover Advantage?” published by India CorpLaw Blog (August 2020);
- India Chapter, Global Arbitration Review’s The Asia-Pacific Arbitration Review 2018;
- India Chapter, Global Arbitration Review’s The Asia-Pacific Arbitration Review 2017; and
- “The Rule of Competence-Competence: A Comparative Analysis of Indian and English Law” published by Contemporary Asia Arbitration Journal (May 2013).