



PracticeDispute Resolution

EducationLL.B., University of Calcutta (1999)

Professional Affiliations

Incorporated Law Society, High Court, Calcutta Bar Association, High Court, Calcutta City Civil Court Bar Association Alipore Court Bar Association

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Vivek Jhunjhunwala is a Partner in the Dispute Resolution practice group. Vivek's expertise lies in advising clients on a variety of contentious and non-contentious matters, including writs, insolvency, domestic/international arbitration and real estate.

Vivek has also garnered expertise in Criminal Law. He regularly appears before the Calcutta High Court, NCLT, NCLAT and other arbitral tribunals/forums.

REPRESENTATIVE MATTERS

In his area of practice, Vivek has advised and represented [the following clients:

Litigation

- "Birla" Lodha on probate and criminal matters;
- Mr S K Todi, Chairman of Shrachi Group before the Calcutta High Court and Supreme Court of India on a family dispute (approx value INR 100 crores);
- Hyderabad Industries Limited in an application under Section 34 of the Arbitration & Conciliation Act, 1996 filed against it before the Hon'ble Calcutta High Court;
- Goldstone Cements Limited and its Directors/KMPs in oppression and mismanagement proceedings before the Hon'ble NCLT, Guwahati and successfully defended clients at the interim stage;
- McLeod Russel India Limited before the Hon'ble Calcutta High Court in a suit proceeding which culminated into a decree of Rs.5 Crores in favour of the client;
- Veikle Grains Limited in an Execution proceedings before the Hon'ble Calcutta High Court. The proceedings are for enforcement of an award passed by GAFTA;
- IDFC First Bank Limited in a writ for injunction against encashment of performance bank guarantee pending before the Hon'ble Calcutta High Court;



- Suzion Energy Limited in an Arbitration proceeding initiated by the Claimant against our client for perceived shortfall in minimum guaranteed generation. The claimed amount is INR 9.5 Crores;
- Amrit Feeds Limited (Amrit Group of Industries) on various legal proceedings filed against them, especially pertaining to Insolvency;
- The R Piyarell all Group (i) before the Company Law Board, Kolkata and the Calcutta High Court on a family dispute (approx. value INR 150 crores); (ii) on an international arbitration against Glencore Grain BV (approx. value INR 50 crores); (iii) on another international arbitration against Columbia Grain BV (approx. value INR 75 crores);
- The Airports Authority of India (Government organisation) on a termination dispute, several disputes arising out of arbitrations, including writ petitions filed against JP Construction Co Private Limited;
- Union of India & Ministry of Civil Aviation, before the Calcutta High Court, in Writ Petitions;
- The Government of Assam, before the Trial Courts, regarding a property dispute;
- The West Bengal Highway Development Corporation on various writ petitions filed against them;
- Amrit Cement in their proceedings before the NCLT Guwahati and the NCLAT;
- Green Valliey (Max Cement), in their proceedings before the NCLT Guwahati;
- Maithan Group, in their multiple Insolvency applications and various disputes (including Crimoanl matters) across India;
- Durgapur Projects Limited, representing them before in contractual disputes before the NCLT;
- Mohan Motors Group, in their Corporate Restructuring and representing them all across India in Corporate Restructuring;
- IBM, defending Criminal Proceedings by ex-employees;
- SREI Group, and advising Hemant and Sunil Kanoria personally;
- **Hindustan Construction**, defending an award before the Meghalaya High Court;
- Sawansukha Jewellers, in various disputes including land, contractual and also in Criminal Proceedings;
- ICICI Bank Limited, in an advisory role regarding several successful debt recovery proceedings before the NCLT;



- **Ultratech Cement and Binani Cement**, representing them before the NCLT, Kolkata as the successful bidder;
- Vishnu Sugar Mills and other sugar mills advising and representing them against the Sugar Order passed by Union of India;
- Visa Steel Limited on various disputes with Orissa Mining Development Corporation Limited (Government of Orissa Co) involving approx INR 50 crores and Ramswaroop Udyog involving approx INR 3.5 crores;
- The Legal heirs (Lata Devi Bajoria & Ors) of late Arun Kumar Bajoria (Jute Baron) before the Calcutta High Court on a family dispute (approx value INR 150 crores;
- The DPSC Limited before the Barasa at District Court on a contractual dispute against Infinity Infotech;
- Rockfield Paj Replication Private Limited, a real estate developer before various forums on property related disputes;
- Shivam Dhatu Group; in their disputes arising out of contractual differences, both criminal and civil in all fora, including District Courts, the High Courts and the Apex Court;
- **Graphite India Limited,** in Arbitrations and Oppression and Mismanagement before the NCLT;
- **Predominant Engineers**; in their disputes arising out of an arbitration and before the Calcutta High Court;
- Super Smelter (Super Shakti TMT Bars), in their disputes arising out of contractual disputes against different entities;
- Baxter India Group, in their disputes before the District Courts and the Calcutta High Court;
- Electrosteel, advising them in tender matters;
- SaReGaMa, RP Goenka Group, advising and representing them in land matters;
- Surana Group, in advising a mandate regarding Debutter Property;
- Dhunseri, representing them in land disputes along with representing them in Civil and Criminal Proceedings before the District Courts and the Calcutta High Court;
- Atul Churiwal, on various issues including succession and moving Writ Petitions;
- Ludlow Jute, advising (Kanoria Group), in various matters across India, for both civil and criminal proceedings;



Recognitions & Accomplishments

Best Lawyer To Watch 2024 by Business Connect

Best Dispute Resolution Lawyer (2023 - 24) by BW Legalworld Global Legal Leaders

Lex Falcon Awardee (2022) at the Lex Talk World conference

- Simaaya Group, in an advisory role with respect to SARFAESI and other proceedings;
- **Skipper Group**, in an advisory role with respect to SARFAESI and CIRP proceedings before the NCLT;
- Stellar Furnishings, in an advisory role with respect to SARFAESI and CIRP proceedings before the NCLT;
- Nivvedita Group of Companies, a start-up group, in advising, guiding and assisting in setting up, maintenance and functioning of mineral water plant and betel spice plant and also on some Criminal matter;
- Austin Group, in their various disputes with suppliers in the Chennai High Court and the Calcutta High Court and in their disputes against lenders:
- Usha Martin, before Tribunals and the MSME Adjudicating Authority;
- Atibir Industries, in their disputes in the Calcutta High Court;
- Oriental Gases, before the Supreme Court against the order of examination of Judgment Debtor;
- Indus Towers Limited, before the Commercial Court and the MSME Council, regarding a contractual dispute with Environ Solar;
- AB Mauri India Group, in Insolvency Proceedings before the NCLT, Kolkata Bench and Winding Up Proceedings before the Calcutta High Court;
- Roy Agrovet Private Limited, in their disputes with Chinese suppliers and other suppliers; and
- ECE Industries Limited (Prakash Mohata Group), in an advisory role regarding advising, and representing ECE and shell companies in Writ Petitions before the Calcutta High Court.