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## ***VISIT TO PERMANENT LOK ADALAT***

**Academic Year: 2024-25**

**Name of Event:** Educational Visit to the Permanent Lok Adalat - I

**Organizing Unit:** Legal Services Clinic, Maharaja Agrasen Institute of Management Studies (MAIMS)

**Collaborating Unit/Name and Designation of Resource Person:** Delhi State Legal Services Authority (DSLISA)

**Date of the Event:** 21st September 2024

**Time of the Event:** 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

**Location:** Sub Station Building 2/13, Rohini, Delhi

**Number of Students Participated:** 7

We are pleased to share that seven students from the Legal Services Clinic of Maharaja Agrasen Institute of Management Studies had the opportunity to visit the Permanent Lok Adalat - I, organized by the Delhi State Legal Services Authority (DSLISA) at Sub Station Building 2/13, Rohini, on 21st September 2024. The purpose of the visit was to observe the functioning and gain an understanding of the role of the PLA in providing quick and effective dispute resolution outside the court system.

The **Permanent Lok Adalat (PLA)**, established under the Legal Services Act of 1987, is an essential part of India's legal framework, aimed at promoting the settlement of disputes outside the formal court system. The Permanent Lok Adalat comprises a retired or serving judicial officer and two other members who are experts in fields related to the dispute. The bench at PLA-I consisted of Sh. B.R. Kedia, who serves as the Chairperson, along with members Sh. Indra Vir Singh and Sh. Prem Kumar Rai.

During the visit, students observed the functioning of the PLA, which was structured to be approachable, with clear signage and information readily available for visitors. There were mediation rooms that ensured confidentiality and provided a comfortable atmosphere. The students gained insight into how the Permanent Lok Adalat handles

cases related to public services such as water, electricity, transport, and other essential services. They also interacted with the officials to better understand the mechanisms employed for dispute resolution.

The educational visit to the Permanent Lok Adalat at Rohini District Court provided students from Maharaja Agrasen Institute of Management Studies with valuable insights into an effective dispute resolution mechanism across various sectors. The students observed different court proceedings and gained an understanding of how disputes are resolved outside the formal court system. They not only learned about the structured functioning of the PLA but also participated in an interactive session with legal professionals, making the learning experience more engaging and informative.

