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**TELL-A-TALE**

**Online Short Story Writing Competition**

ILS Law College in collaboration with SwissAid has been working on a project titled “Addressing Violence against Women”. In pursuance of the same, we bring to you a Short Story Writing Competition.

**Theme: Gender Based Discrimination**

#### **Submission Guidelines:**

* The maximum word count is 800 words. Participants can also attach a pictorial representation of their story (however this is not mandatory).
* Language: Hindi/Marathi
* Fiction or Non-fiction stories
* Only Individual Participation is allowed.
* Only one submission per author will be accepted. Multiple or incomplete submissions would lead to disqualification.
* Plagiarism of any sort will result in immediate disqualification

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#### **Eligibility**

All students of ILS Law College: Undergraduate and Postgraduate

**Submission Procedure:**

* The story must be submitted on the following email in PDF format : [projectvaw@ilslaw.in](mailto:projectvaw@ilslaw.in)
* The formatting of the story shall be as follows:
  + Headings: Times New Roman, Bold Font, Font Size: 16, Line Spacing: 1.5
  + Body: Times New Roman, Font Size: 12, Line Spacing: 1.5
  + Footnotes: Times New Roman, Font Size: 10, Line Spacing: 1.0
* The copyright of the Short Story will be vested with ILS Law College and students CANNOT claim copyright to the story submitted
* Last date of submission: December 15, 2022 till 11.59 pm
* Declaration of result and winners: December 31, 2022.

**Assessment Criteria:**

All the entries will be judged on the following parameters:

* Creativity and originality
* Adherence to the theme and word limit
* Language and Grammar
* Articulation of idea

#### **Fee Details**

No registration fees.

#### **Prizes**

Acknowledgement and Awards:

* 1st Prize: 5000/- INR
* 2nd Prize: 3000/- INR
* 3rd Prize 2000/- INR

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#### **Selection Process**

* The selection will be made by the constituted Screening Committee formed for this purpose.
* The selected story will be published on the project website and will be utilized by ILS Law College and SwissAid for creating awareness on the issue

#### **Faculty Coordinator:**

Ms. Divya Mittal