

TAMIL NADU STATE JUDICIAL ACADEMY, CHENNAI

Two Days Programme on "Human Rights and Refugee Protection in India"

at

Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy, Chennai

21.01.2012 - (Saturday)

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| 09.00 – 09.30 a.m. | Registration of Participants |
| 09.30 – 09.35 a.m. | Welcome Address by The Assistant Director, Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy, Chennai. |
| 09.35 – 10.00 a.m. | Inaugural Address by Hon'ble Mr. Justice P.Jyothimani, Judge, High Court, Madras.. |
| Session 1 10.00 – 11.30 a.m. | Who is a refugee?: Definition of 'Refugee' – (Inclusion and Exclusion) Case Studies and discussions by Mr. R. Vidjea Barathy, UNHCR Chennai. |
| 11.30 – 11.45 a.m | <i>Tea Break</i> |
| 11.45 – 01.00 p.m. | Domestic Legislation and State Practice in India with regard to Refugees by Prof. Dr. Vijayakumar, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, TN Law University, Chennai |
| 01.00 – 02.00 p.m. | <i>Lunch Break</i> |
| Session 2 02.00 – 03.30 p.m. | Concept of Non-Refoulement: What does refugee protection mean? by Ms. Yamini Pande, UNHCR New Delhi. |
| 03.30 – 03.45 p.m. | <i>Tea Break</i> |
| 03.45 – 05.00 p.m. | Case Studies : Definition of "Refugee" |
| 05.00 p.m. | <i>Tea</i> |

22.01.2012 - (Sunday)

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| Session 3 09.00 – 10.30 a.m. | Durable Solutions for Refugees by Mr.R. Vidjea Barathy |
| 10.30 – 11.30 a.m. | Links between Refugee Rights and Human Rights Principles by Prof. N.Manohar, TN Law University, Chennai |
| 11.30 – 11.45 a.m. | <i>Tea Break</i> |
| 11.45 – 01.00 p.m. | Legal issues relating to criminal proceedings against refugees by Prof. D. Sankar, Tamil Nadu Law University, Chennai. |
| 01.00 – 02.00 p.m. | <i>Lunch Break</i> |
| Session 4 02.00 – 03.00 p.m. | Documentary movie ' A Place called Home ' Q & A session with participants Valedictory Address & Distribution of certificates to participants by The Director, Tamil Nadu State Judicial Academy, Chennai |
| | Tea |