

MADHYA PRADESH STATE JUDICIAL ACADEMY, JABALPUR

**Interactive Session on – Key issues relating to cases of Dishonour of Cheque
under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881**
(through online and other modes of communication)

DATE: 1st November, 2025

SCHEDULE

SESSIONS	TIME	TOPICS
I	10:20 am to 10:30 am	Inaugural session & overview of the programme By: Director, MPSJA
II	10:30 am to 11:45 am	Discussion on – • Types and features of Negotiable Instruments • Pre-trial proceedings and cognizance • Issuance of process and its compliance (identifying effective modes of securing presence of accused) • Important ingredients of Section 138 • Procedure of trial under Section 138 By: Shri Saurabh Kumar Singh, OSD, MPSJA
TEA BREAK (11.45 am to 12.00 noon)		
III	12.00 noon to 1.30 pm	Discussion on – • Liability of company and firm • Doctrine of reverse burden • Presumption u/s 118 & 139 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 • Speedy disposal of interim applications during trial (i.e. under Sections 91, 311 and 319 of Cr.P.C. /Sections 94, 348 and 358 of BNSS, 2023 & Section 45 of Evidence Act/ Section 39 of BSA, 2023) • Steps to ensure expeditious trial of cheque bounce cases By: Shri Bharat Kumar Vyas, V District & Additional Sessions Judge, Dr. Ambedkar Nagar, District Indore
LUNCH BREAK (1.30 pm to 2:00 pm)		
IV	2.00 pm to 3.30 pm	Discussion on – • Provision of Section 143-A of the Negotiable Instrument Act, 1881 • Issues relating to sentencing and determination of just compensation • Compounding, settlement, plea bargaining and recovery of fine and interim/final compensation under the Negotiable Instrument Act, 1881 • Scope of ADR process • Guidelines issued by Hon'ble Apex Court and Hon'ble High Court of Madhya Pradesh By: Shri Sameer Kumar Mishra, Secretary District Legal Service Authority Rewa
V	3.30 pm onwards	Valedictory Session By: Officers of the Academy

Note: (i) The schedule is subject to change as per exigencies.

(ii) Course Co-ordinator – **Shri Sachin Sharma, Additional Director, MPSJA** (Mob. 9425492008)

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