



HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS
and
TAMIL NADU STATE JUDICIAL ACADEMY



State Consultation on Sensitisation of Family Court Matters

on 02.12.2017 at TNSJA Headquarters, Chennai

INAUGURAL SESSION	
09.30 a.m. – 09.35 a.m.	Invocation
	Welcome Address Hon'ble Mr. Justice S. MANIKUMAR, Judge, High Court of Madras Chairman, Committee for Sensitization of Family Court Matters/ President, Board of Governors, TNSJA
09.35 a.m. – 09.45 a.m.	Special Address: Litigants and Role of Lawyers Hon'ble Ms. Justice INDIRA BANERJEE Chief Justice, High Court of Madras/Patron-in-Chief, TNSJA
09.45 a.m. – 10.00 a.m.	Special Address: Role of Counsellors and Mediators Hon'ble Mrs. Justice R. BANUMATHI, Judge, Supreme Court of India
10.00 a.m. – 10.15 a.m.	Inaugural Address: Role of Family Court Judges Hon'ble Mr. Justice KURIAN JOSEPH, Judge, Supreme Court of India
10.15 a.m. – 10.20 a.m.	Vote of Thanks Hon'ble Mr. Justice T. S. SIVAGNANAM, Judge, High Court of Madras Member, Committee for Sensitization of Family Court Matters/ Member, Board of Governors, TNSJA
NATIONAL ANTHEM	
10.20 a.m. – 10.30 a.m.	Tea Break
WORKING SESSIONS	
Session I 10.30 a.m. – 11.45 a.m.	Restitution of Conjugal Rights, Judicial Separation and Divorce
10.30 a.m. – 10.45 a.m.	Opening Remarks Hon'ble Mr. Justice T. S. SIVAGNANAM, Judge, High Court of Madras Member, Committee for Sensitization of Family Court Matters/ Member, Board of Governors, TNSJA
10.45 a.m. – 11.05 a.m.	Restitution of Conjugal Rights, Judicial Separation and Divorce Mr. R. Srinivas, Advocate, High Court of Madras
11.05 a.m. – 11.25 a.m.	Matrimonial Issues: Psychological Perspectives Dr. Nappinnai Seran, Consultant Psychologist
11.25 a.m. – 11.45 a.m.	Open House Discussion

Session II 11.45 a.m. – 01.00 p.m.	Maintenance and Grant of Interim Maintenance
11.45 a.m. – 12.15 p.m.	Opening Remarks Hon’ble Dr. Justice S. VIMALA , Judge, High Court of Madras Member, Committee for Sensitization of Family Court Matters
12.15 p.m. – 12.45 p.m.	Maintenance under various enactments and grant of interim maintenance Ms. B.S. Ajeetha , Advocate, High Court of Madras
12.45 p.m. – 01.00 p.m.	Open House Discussion
01.00 p.m. – 02.00 p.m.	Lunch Break
Session III 02.00 p.m. – 03.15 p.m.	Custody of Child, Visitation Rights and Shared Parenting
02.00 p.m. – 02.15 p.m.	Opening Remarks Hon’ble Mr. Justice N. SESHASAYEE , Judge, High Court of Madras
02.15 p.m. – 02.35 p.m.	Custody of Child and Visitation Rights Ms. Geeta Ramaseshan , Advocate, High Court of Madras
02.35 p.m. – 02.55 p.m.	Shared Parenting Dr. V. Jayanthini , Professor of Psychiatry and Child Psychiatry (Retd.) Madras Medical College and Institute of Child Health
02.55 p.m. – 03.15 p.m.	Open House Discussion
03.15 p.m. – 03.30 p.m.	Tea Break
03.30 p.m. – 03.45 p.m.	Mediator Role Play - Screening of Movies
03.45 p.m. – 05.00 p.m.	Group Discussion and Presentation by Participants Moderators: Hon’ble Mr. Justice S. MANIKUMAR , Judge, High Court of Madras Chairman, Committee for Sensitization of Family Court Matters/ President, Board of Governors, TNSJA Hon’ble Mr. Justice T. S. SIVAGNAM , Judge, High Court of Madras Member, Committee for Sensitization of Family Court Matters/ Member, Board of Governors, TNSJA Hon’ble Mr. Justice N.SATHISH KUMAR , Judge, High Court of Madras Member, Board of Governors, TNSJA Hon’ble Mr. Justice N. SESHASAYEE , Judge, High Court of Madras