## TRAINING PROGRAM FOR SEBI OFFICERS (SE-12) $[17^{\text{\tiny TH}}-18^{\text{\tiny TH}}\ \text{November, 2025}]$

VENUE: NJA BHOPAL

Programme Coordinators – Ms. Paiker Nasir & Ms. Shruti Jane Eusebius, Faculty, NJA

## **PROGRAMME SCHEDULE**

SESSION TIMINGS	THEMES			
DAY 1 17 <sup>th</sup> November, 2025 (Monday)				
SESSION 1	Quasi-Judicial Adjudication by SEBI			
10:00 AM -11:30 AM	<ul> <li>Proposed Scope of Discussion</li> <li>Applicability of Principles of Natural Justice in Enquiries and Adjudication</li> <li>Doctrine of Stare Decisis</li> <li>Essentials of Legal Drafting - Show Cause Notices, Orders etc.</li> <li>Alternative Mechanism for Resolution of Enforcement Proceedings</li> </ul>			
	<u>Speakers</u> Justice A. K. Goel  Justice P.S. Dinesh Kumar			
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Tea Break			
SESSION 2	Data Protection Laws and Regulatory Intersection			
12:00 PM - 01:30 PM	<ul> <li>Proposed Scope of Discussion</li> <li>IT Act, 2000 and Digital Personal Data Protection Act 2023</li> <li>SEBI's Regulatory Activities and Data Protection Laws: Compliance Challenges and Emerging Framework</li> </ul> Speakers			
	Mr. Krishna Sastry Pendyala			
	Dr. Harold D'Costa			
01:30 PM - 02:30 PM	Lunch Break			
SESSION 3	Collection and Appreciation of Evidence			
02:30 PM – 4:00 PM	<ul> <li>Proposed Scope of Discussion</li> <li>Collection, Preservation and Appreciation of Evidence</li> <li>✓ Standard of Proof: Preponderance of Probability, Drawing from SEBI v. Kishore Ajmera and Balram Garg v. SEBI</li> <li>✓ Duty to Disclose Material Relevant to the Proceeding vis-à-vis T. Takano v. SEBI</li> <li>Electronic Evidence</li> <li>✓ Admissibility, Reliability and Appreciation of Electronic Evidence</li> <li>✓ Contours of Section 63 of Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023</li> <li>Speakers</li> <li>Dr. Justice Vineet Kothari</li> <li>Dr. Harold D'Costa</li> </ul>			
Tea Break				

DAY 2 18 <sup>th</sup> November, 2025 (Tuesday)				
SESSION 4				
10:00 AM -11:30 AM	<ul> <li>Proposed Scope of Discussion</li> <li>Interplay between SEBI and IBC Regulations</li> <li>Legal Architecture of Section 14, IBC with SEBI Rules and Regulations</li> <li>Conflict between Section 238, IBC and 28A, SEBI Act</li> </ul>			
	<u>Speakers</u> Justice Poonam A. Bamba  Mr. Abhijeet Sinha			
11:30 AM – 12:00 PM	Tea Break			
SESSION 5	SEBI Penalty Adjudication – Framework & Proportionality			
12:00 PM - 01:30 PM	<ul> <li>Proposed Scope of Discussion</li> <li>Framework for Imposition and Recovery of Penalties imposed by SEBI</li> <li>✓ Factors Deciding Quantum</li> <li>✓ Doctrine of Proportionality</li> <li>Imposition of Cost by Tribunal</li> <li>Altering the Nature of Penalty – Monetary Penalty to Suspension</li> <li>Streamlining the Penalty Regime Reining in the Discretion of Adjudicating Officer</li> </ul> Speakers			
	Justice Poonam A. Bamba			
Mr. Abishek Venkataraman  Lunch & Departure				

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