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Manohar Parrikar School of Law, Governance and Public Policy
Report on “Workshop on Exploring the Intersection of Law and Society
theme on Tenancy Rights under the Goa Agricultural Tenancy Act.”

1. Title of the Event/Activity/program	Workshop on Exploring the Intersection of Law and Society theme on Tenancy Rights under the Goa Agricultural Tenancy Act.
2. Date and Time	11 th January 2026, Time: 9.30 am, venue: Village Panchayat Marcaim, Ponda-Goa.
3. Mode of conduct (Physical/Online)	Physical
4. School/ Directorate/ Section	Manohar Parrikar School of Law, Governance and Public Policy and UGC Centre for the Study of Social Inclusion of D. D. Kosambi School of Social Sciences and Behaviourial Studies.
5. Collaborating Agency/School/Directorate	1. Directorate of Equal Opportunity Cell 2. North Goa District Legal Services Authority 3. Village Panchayat Marcaim, Ponda- Goa.
6. Detail of the Resource Person (Brief biodata)	Chief Guest Shri Sudin Dhavalikar Hon'ble Power Minister Government of Goa. Guest of Honour Shri Sagar Gaude Managing Director GEDC Government of Goa and Shri Vishant Naik Sarpanch Village Panchayat Marcaim, Ponda- Goa. Resource Person Advocate Nikhil Naik Dr. Priya Onsker, Assistant Professor, V.M. Salgaocar College of Law, Miramar, Panjim, Goa Mr. Sapresh Devidas Assistant Professor, G.R. Kare College of Law.

	Dr. Vijay Madhu Gawas, Assistant Professor, MPSLGPP, Goa University Mr. Saprem Shirvoikar, Assistant Professor, MPSLGPP, Goa University
7. Number of Faculty attended/participated	05 faculty members
8. Number of Student attended / participated	98 Students
9. No. of external students/faculty/other participants	102
10. The objectives of the Program/activity/event	The Workshop on Tenancy Rights under the Goa Agricultural Tenancy Act is designed with the following objectives: 1. To create awareness of land ownership and tenancy laws To familiarize participants with relevant central and state legislations governing land acquisition, tenancy rights, land reforms, and land use regulations. 2. To identify and analyze challenges in land ownership and tenancy systems To examine unresolved land disputes, ambiguities in land records, tenancy conflicts, and their socio-economic implications. 3. To empower tenants, agricultural workers, and marginalized communities To enhance understanding of legal protections, rights, and remedies available to tenants and vulnerable groups against exploitation, eviction, and displacement. 4. To promote efficient and transparent land administration To emphasize the importance of digitization of land records, modernization of land governance systems, and transparency in land transactions. 5. To develop skills for effective land dispute resolution To introduce participants to judicial and alternative dispute resolution mechanisms, including mediation, arbitration, and



	administrative remedies, for timely settlement of land-related disputes. 6. To examine the impact of urbanization and development projects on land rights To critically assess issues arising from urban expansion, infrastructure projects, and land acquisition processes, with special reference to compensation, rehabilitation, and resettlement. 7. To assess gaps in policy implementation and enforcement To identify shortcomings in the implementation of land and tenancy laws and to suggest practical measures for improving monitoring and enforcement, particularly in rural and disadvantaged areas. 8. To promote sustainable and equitable land use practices To encourage policies and practices that balance developmental needs with environmental conservation and social equity, ensuring long-term sustainability.
11. Description of the Program/activity/event	The Workshop on Land Ownership and Tenancy Rights is designed as a comprehensive capacity-building and legal awareness initiative aimed at addressing persistent challenges in land governance, ownership disputes, and tenancy-related vulnerabilities. The programme responds to widespread issues such as unresolved land ownership claims, lack of awareness of tenancy rights among agricultural workers and tenants, inefficient land administration systems, and increasing land conflicts arising from rapid urbanization and development projects. Through structured sessions, expert interactions, and participatory discussions, the workshop seeks to enhance participants' understanding of the legal framework governing land ownership, tenancy, and land acquisition, including relevant central and state

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	legislations. Special emphasis is placed on educating landowners, tenants, community leaders, and grassroots stakeholders about their rights, responsibilities, and available legal protections, thereby reducing the scope for exploitation, displacement, and prolonged litigation.
12. Benefit/Key outcomes of the Program/activity/event	1. Strengthened Legal Awareness and Capacity Building The Workshop will significantly enhance participants' understanding of land ownership, tenancy rights, and related legal frameworks. Improved legal literacy will empower landowners, tenants, and community representatives to make informed decisions and assert their rights effectively. 2. Reduction in Land and Tenancy Conflicts By clarifying legal provisions and responsibilities, the Workshop will help reduce disputes arising from unclear ownership records, tenancy arrangements, and land use conflicts. Greater awareness is expected to minimize litigation and encourage amicable resolution of disputes. 3. Empowerment of Marginalized and Vulnerable Groups Agricultural tenants, small farmers, informal occupants, and other vulnerable groups will gain awareness of statutory protections available under tenancy and land reform laws, thereby reducing exploitation, displacement, and forced evictions. 4. Enhanced Land Governance and Administrative Efficiency The Workshop will promote best practices in land administration, including digitization of land records, transparency in transactions, and accountability of authorities, contributing to more efficient and responsive land governance systems.

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	5. Better Policy Implementation and Institutional Coordination By addressing gaps between law and practice, the Workshop will support improved implementation of existing land and tenancy policies, particularly in rural and marginalized areas, through informed stakeholders and stronger institutional coordination. 6. Capacity Building of Community Leaders and Local Institutions Community leaders, grassroots organizations, and local institutions will be better equipped to guide communities, resolve disputes, and liaise with administrative authorities on land and tenancy issues. 7. Long-term Socio-Economic Stability Clear land rights, reduced conflicts, and effective governance contribute to economic security, social stability, and inclusive development, benefiting both rural and urban communities in the long term. 8. Creation of an Informed Stakeholder Network The Workshop will foster dialogue and collaboration among legal experts, administrators, civil society members, and affected communities, creating a sustainable network for continued engagement on land and tenancy governance.
13. Enclosures with report	Geo-tagged photos, Attendance Sheet and Flyer, acceptance Letter

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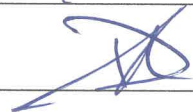
VILLAGE PANCHAYTE OF MARCAIM-PONDA GOA

WORKSHOP ON “EXPLORING THE INTERSECTION OF LAW AND SOCIETY” THEME ON “CAPACITY-BUILDING AND
LEGAL AWARENESS WORKSHOP ON TENANCY RIGHTS UNDER THE GOA AGRICULTURAL TENANCY ACT, 1964”.

Date: 11th January 2026

Time: 9.30 am

Venue: Village panchayte of Marcaim-Ponda Goa

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Venue: VILLAGE PANCHAYAT MARCAIM, PONDA-GOA

Chief Guest

**Shri Sudin Dhavalikar,
Hon'ble Power Minister,
Government of Goa.**

Guest of Honour

**Shri Sagar Gaude
Managing Director
GEDC Govt. Goa**

**Shri Vishant Naik
Sarpanch
Village Panchayat Marciam**

Special Invitee

**Deputy Sarpanch
and Panch Member**

**Shri Vasudev Gaude
Chairman of Tenant Association Marciam**

In the Distinguished presence of:

Dr. Maria Norma Menezes, D.E.O.C

Session Speakers

**Dr. Priya Onsker
Assistant Professor**

**Mr. Sapresh Devidas
Assistant Professor**

Adv. Nikhil Naik

**Dr. Vijay Madhu Gawas
Assistant Professor**

**Mr. Saprem Shrivoiakar
Assistant Professor**

Coordinator: Dr. V. M. Gawas

Co-Coordinator: Mr. Saprem Shrivoiakar



Ref. No. VP/MU

Date :- 05/06/26

To
The Directorate of the Equal Opportunity Cell
Goa University

Subject: Acceptance of Collaboration and Logistical Support for One-Day Workshop

Respected Sir/Madam,

With reference to your request seeking collaboration and logistical support for the proposed one-day workshop entitled "Capacity-Building and Legal Awareness Workshop on Tenancy Rights under the Goa Agricultural Tenancy Act, 1964", scheduled to be held on 18 January 2026 at the Village Panchayat Hall, Marcaim, Ponda, Goa, this is to inform you that the Village Panchayat of Marcaim is pleased to extend its consent and full cooperation for the successful conduct of the said programme.

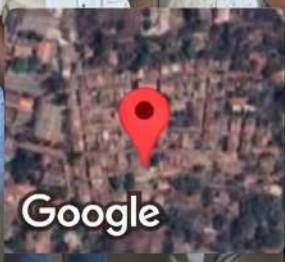
We appreciate the initiative undertaken by the Directorate of the Equal Opportunity Cell, Goa University, aimed at promoting legal awareness and community empowerment, particularly among indigenous and marginalized sections of society. Such programmes are of great relevance and importance at the grassroots level.

The Village Panchayat of Marcaim is pleased to provide the required logistical support, including the use of the Panchayat Hall, temporary stage arrangements, chairs, and necessary seating facilities, subject to availability. We shall also make efforts to encourage students, youth, and local residents to actively participate in the workshop.

We look forward to collaborating with Goa University and assure you of our continued support for initiatives that contribute to legal literacy, social inclusion, and community development.

Thanking you.


Yours sincerely,



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