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Educational/Professional Memberships

B.Sc. LL.B. , M.A. and LL.M.
Headed the Srikrishna Commission of Inquiry on Bombay Riots of December 1992 and January 1993
Former Chairman Sixth Pay Commission
Former Chairman, of Committee appointed by the Govt. of India to look into the demand for separation of state of Andhra Pradesh
Former Chairman of the Financial Sector Legislative Reforms Commission
Appointed by the Govt. of India as Chairman of the High Level Committee to take forward Institutionalization of Arbitration in India.

Invited to lecture in Oxford University, U.K., Berkeley University, U.S.A. and Bar Ilan University, Israel
Invited to Trinidad and Tobago to participate in debate on abolition of appellate jurisdiction of the Privy Council

Current Position

Legal Counsel doing Chamber Practice on retirement from Supreme Court
Arbitrator in a large number of Domestic and International Commercial Arbitrations in disputes of various types
Member of Panel of Arbitrator of SIAC

Professional Experience

Practice as Counsel in the Bombay High Court from 1962 to 1990
Judge of Bombay High Court from 1990 to 2001
Chief Justice of Kerala High Court from 2001 to 2002
Judge, Supreme Court of India from 2002 to 2006
Arbitrator on many panels, both Indian and foreign

Arbitration Experience

Co-arbitrator and Presiding arbitrator in a large number of domestic arbitrations and International Commercial Arbitrations

Presently heading a High Level Committee appointed by the Government of India to make recommendations on institutionalization of Arbitration and suggest revamping of Bilateral Treaty Arbitration mechanism in India

Publications

Chapter on "Judicial Independence" in "The Oxford Handbook of Indian Constitution" published by Oxford University Press

Chapter on 'Foundations of Ancient Indian Society " in "Courts of India" published by the Supreme Court of India

Paper, "Skinning a Cat", (2005) 8 SCC (Jour) 3, a critique of judicial activism in India.

Paper, "Maxwell versus Mimamsa", (2004) 6 SCC (Jour) 49, a critique of Indian and Western legal interpretative techniques

Languages

English, Hindi and many other Indian languages