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REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

MIAN NISAR AHMAD & CO., Lahore, Pakistan

Dec, 2015–Present

Barristers & Corporate Counsellors Partner

- Defended the largest national gas transmission and distribution company of Pakistan in constitutional petitions relating to the constitutionality and *vires* of the Gas Infrastructure Development Cess Act, 2015, as also in matters relating to the legal classification of commercial and industrial consumers, including cogeneration plants, captive power plants, and independent power producers before the Lahore High Court at Lahore, and recently before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of Pakistan [*judgment reserved on* 20.02.2020];
- Drafted the Bill for the Punjab Human Organ Transplantation Authority Act, 2019 an enactment to provide for the effective regulation of removal and transplantation of human organs, tissues and cells, and to curb the menace of illegal transplantations, as also its rules, regulations, and protocols;
- Drafted the Bill for the Punjab Determination of Brain Death & Circulatory Death Act, 2019 an enactment for the formulation and enforcement of a uniform criterion and framework for the assessment, evaluation, diagnosis, determination, and certification of brain death and circulatory death, as also its rules, regulations, and protocols;
- Represented the Bank of Punjab before a Full Bench of the Lahore High Court at Lahore in constitutional petitions challenging the constitutionality and *vires* of section 2(g) of the Financial Institutions (Recovery of Finances) Ordinance, 2001, and section 5(r) of the National Accountability Ordinance, 1999, regarding "*willful default*", in relation to the issue of concurrent legislation [*approved for reporting at* **2019 CLD 375**];
- O Successfully represented the distributors and wholesalers association of M/s. Dalda Foods Limited & M/s. Wazir Ali Industries as a class action in persuading the Lahore High Court at Rawalpindi and Peshawar High Court at Abbottabad to grant injunctive relief with reference to a challenge to the constitutionality and *vires* of the Explanation to Entry 24 of the Sixth Schedule to the Sales Tax Act, 1990;
- Successfully assisted the set on behalf of M/s. Sui Northern Gas Pipelines Limited in a multi-billion constitutional petition preferred by M/s. Crescent Steel & Allied Products Limited against the *former* on the interpretation of the Incoterms as published by the International Chamber of Commerce relating to international commercial law [*approved for reporting at* 2017 YLR 74 Lahore];
- Successfully represented a private individual in a complex immovable property dispute regarding the interpretation of the Colonization of Government (Lands) Act, 1912, before the Lahore High Court at Lahore, and the probative value of a sale deed once executed by the Board of Revenue;

- Successfully defended M/s. Lahore Grammar School (Pvt.) Limited in a complex and long-standing civil dispute regarding immovable property situated at one of the most-prime areas of Lahore before both the court of first instance and the appellate court resulting in concurrent findings of fact and law;
- Represented the Punjab Human Organ Transplantation Authority at a National Conference and Workshop on "*Illegal Transplantation of Human Organs*", organized by the Law and Justice Commission of Pakistan and Sindh Institute of Urology and Transplantation, pursuant to the orders of the Supreme Court of Pakistan in relation to reforms to the underlying law regulating the activity of transplantation;
- Successfully defended an alarm monitoring security company in a claim for actionable infringement of intellectual property rights, and successfully persuaded the Intellectual Property Tribunal at Lahore to vacate and discharge the injunctive relief solicited by the opposing side;
- Advised and successfully represented M/s. Sahir Associates (Pvt.) Limited in a classical deadlock between both members of the company, and persuaded the Lahore High Court at Lahore to restrain the financial investigation of the affairs of the business of the company;
- Advised and represented the Water & Power Development Authority [WAPDA] on an ongoing basis on various service matters, including the Special WAPDA Allowance, and the WAPDA Generation Allowance, *et.al.*, before the relevant courts of law, including the Federal Service Tribunals;
- Advising M/s. Sui Northern Gas Pipelines Limited on an ongoing basis in respect of multitudinous issues varying from contract law to international commercial law and arbitrations;
- Advised and represented Sheikh Zayed Hospital & Post Graduate Medical Institute on an ongoing basis in various matters before the Lahore High Court at Lahore and the Service Tribunal, including the constitutional onslaught regarding the devolution of the institute post-18th Amendment to the Constitution of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973;
- Representing The Bank of Punjab in various banking suits (majority valued over PKR 500 Million) before the Lahore High Court at Lahore; and
- Advising and representing MCB Bank Limited in various banking suits before the relevant Banking Courts at Lahore.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

University of Health Sciences [UHS] *Adjunct Lecturer* [MCCT; Law & Ethics Module]

June, 2019–Present

Training of the administrators, doctors, paramedics, and nursing staff of the Punjab Human Organ Transplantation Authority regarding the legal ramifications, statutory interpretation, and code of ethics *vis-à-vis* the underlying law relating to the transplantation of human organs, tissues, and cells.

QUALIFICATIONS

CARDIFF UNIVERISTY, Cardiff, United Kingdom			
LL.M (Masters in Legal Practice)			Jan, 2018
Co	oncentration:	Civil Procedure, Arbitration, Company Litigation Arbitration – A suitable alternative to litigation in corporate disputes?	
CARDIFF UNIVERSITY, Cardiff, United Kingdom			
PG Dip Bar Professional Training Course			Jun, 2015
Ce	ourses:	Civil Litigation, Criminal Litigation, Company Litigation, Employm Professional Ethics, Civil Advocacy, Criminal Advocacy, Opinion Writing, Resolution of Disputes Outside Court, Practical Legal Research, Conference	Drafting,
UNIVERSITY OF LONDON, London, United Kingdom			
Bachelor of Laws; LL.B (Hons)			Jun, 2014
Ca	ourses:	Administrative Law, Criminal Law, Contract Law, Law of Tort, Law of Property Law, Company Law, Conflict of Laws, Jurisprudence, Isla: European Union, Common Law.	
AITCHISON COLLEGE, Lahore, Pakistan GCSE			
	Advanced Level (General Certificate of Secondary Education)		

Ordinary Level (General Certificate of Secondary Education)

MEMBERSHIPS

- Member of the Honorable Society of Lincoln's Inn, 2014;
- Member of the Punjab Bar Council, 2015;
- Member of the Lahore Bar Association, 2015;
- Member of the Bar of England and Wales, 2015;
- Member of the Lahore Tax Bar Association, 2016; and
- Member of the Lahore High Court Bar Association, 2016.