

### EDITORIAL NOTE

The Editorial Board is pleased to announce the publication of the third volume of the HNLU Student Bar Journal. We have, once again, come out with an online publication in order to promote open access. The third volume contains six articles.

The first article, **‘India’s WTO Woes: A Concern for the Developing World at large’**, addresses the impact that WTO panel’s decision against India would have on the developing world in its endeavors in renewable energy sector. The second article, **‘Regulating Reverse Mergers in India’**, deals with a form of corporate restructuring called Reverse Takeovers and goes on to analyze it from a global perspective, whilst also dealing with the legal concerns for its regulatory framework.

The third article, **‘Disrobing OPC’s: The Battle with the Cloak of Limited Liability’**, traces the development of OPC as incorporated under the Companies Act, 2013. It attempts to articulate a neutral mechanism to scrutinize the alleged wrongs of such companies. The fourth article, **‘Excessive Pricing: Will the Competition Commission Intervene’**, addresses the inherent problems with Excessive Pricing and analyzes the same with the help of its treatment in various jurisdictions across the globe.

The fifth article, **‘A Critical Analysis of the Subculture of Fan Subbing and Scanlation of Japanese Media and Copyright Law’**, attempts to analyze the phenomenon of fan subbing and scanlation of online media and the interrelationship of these aesthetics with Intellectual Property laws. The sixth article, **‘Tracing the Jurisprudence of Smell Marks as a Trademark’**, traces the evolution of Smell Marks and the possibility of inducting it within the definition of a Trademark. While doing so, the paper establishes the position of Smell marks in various other jurisdictions and international conventions.

We hope that this edition of the HNLU Student Bar Journal contributes to the growing output of law school reviews in India and takes forward the tradition of student editing and reviewing. We would like to thank all the authors and other contributors kind enough to work with us in the publication of this journal and hope that it is an informative read.

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