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ABOUT SCHOLASTICUS:

Scholasticus (ISSN 0975-1157) is one of the earliest publications by the National Law University, Jodhpur established with the objective of promoting academic research and fostering debate in the field of Banking & Finance. The Journal has been re-launched after a gap of a few years and is now published under the aegis of the Centre of Studies in Banking and Finance at National Law University, Jodhpur. It is a bi-annual, double-blind student-reviewed, and edited journal, with an ambit broad enough to include issues in the fields of project finance, private equity, corporate finance, debt restructuring, capital markets, etc. The Journal has had the privilege of publishing articles from some stalwarts of the legal arena including Mr. Bahram Vakil (Founding Partner, AZB & Partners), Mr. Abir Lal Dey (Partner, Saraf & Partners), Dr. Neeti Shikha (Head, Centre for Insolvency & Bankruptcy, Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs, New Delhi), Mr. Siddharth Srivastava (Partner, Khaitan & Co.), Mr. Sudarshan Sen (Former Executive Director at Reserve Bank of India), etc. To check out our previous issues, please visit our website [here](#).

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- **Long Articles (5,000 – 8,000 words):** Long Articles must comprehensively analyze important themes and may adopt comparative perspectives. It must analyze the current practice in the field, identify the lacunae therein and provide constructive suggestions.
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- The Protection of Interests in Aircraft Objects Bill, 2025 and its impact on the aircraft sector in terms of insolvency and aircraft financing;
- Reevaluating the GIFT City Model Amidst the US Tariff War and Growing Fund Management in Line with IFSCA (Fund Management) Regulations, 2025;
- Challenges to Long term Green Finance in India and how it is impacting India's switch to clean energy: Reasons and solutions;
- Neobanks: future of the banking sector and the looming challenges;
- RBI Digital Lending Directions, 2025: A Progressive Overhaul or Mere Consolidation of Existing Frameworks;

(These themes are merely indicative and not exhaustive)

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