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PART - A

The plan of action chalked by the IQAC in the beginning of the year towards quality enhancement and the outcome achieved by the end of the year.

The meeting of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell was called on at the beginning of the academic year to conduct the following activities through plan of action to fulfill the aims and objectives of the college

1. To organise national and state level seminars, conferences
2. To conduct extension activities
3. To invite lecture series
4. To conduct Moot Courts / Mock Trials
5. To conduct competitions
6. To encourage the teaching staff for participation in faculty development programs, seminars and conferences.

1. To organise National and State Level Seminar and Conferences :

- To satisfy the goals and objectives the college conducted One day workshop on “Right to Information Act 2005” under lead college activities on 16th September 2006. Dr. A. A. Dange Director BCUD, Shivaji University, Kolhapur has been invited as a Chief Guest along with Smt Mangala Patil, Chiarman, BOS in Law Shivaji University, Kolhapur. The workshop was well organised and nearly 250 participants attended the workshop.
- During the second semester of the same year the college conducted One Day seminar on “Legal Protection to Women with special reference to Domestic Violence” on 4th February 2007. For this seminar the District and Sessions Judge, Kolhapur Hon’ble R. V. Kulkarni was Chief Guest and inaugurated the function. Prof Dr. P. Koteswar Rao, Former Dean Faculty of Law, Shri Venkateswara University Tirupati and Visiting Professor Of National Law University was the guest of Honour. Dr. Yuvakumar Reddy, Associate Professor of Law, Symbiosis University, Pune was resource person sharing the views of domestic violence.

2. To conduct extension activities :

- This year the college organised environmental Tour for II LL.B. and IV New Law students as it is a part and parcel of syllabus.
- Further, Free Legal Aid arranged at Wakare, Karveer Taluka of Kolhapur Distrcit on 9th September 2006 for the benefit of people.
- Another Legal Aid Camp was held at Darvesh Padali, Hatkanagle Taluka of Kolhaur District on 24th February 2007.

3. To Invite Lecture Series :

- A lecture on “Rajyoga Shikshan and Shodh Prasthan –Media Prabhadg” was held by Dr. Kamal Dixit, Professor of Philosophy, Bhopal University, Madhya Pradesh on 25th August 2006.
- A Lecture was arranged on “Road Safety” by inviting Shri P. I. Mujawar, Assistant Police Inspector, Traffic on 22nd September 2006.

4. To conduct Moot Court and Mock Trials :

- The college regularly conducted Moot Court and Mock Trials for students. On 24th, 25th and 30th January 2007 the college conducted Internal Moot Courts for extracting the argument skills and preparation of brief.
- Our college students Miss. Arti Prabhu and Miss. Nikita Bhiwate of IV New law course students achieved first rank in All India University Moot Court Competition for law students held at Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 23rd to 24th December 2006.

5. To conduct various competitions :

- Inter Colligate Adv. P. R. Baldota Trust Debate Competition for western zone preliminary round was held on 24th February 2007. Our college students Miss. Arati Prabhu and Miss. Nikita Bhiwate of IV New Year Law Course selected to participate at final round.

6. To encourage the teaching staff to participate in faculty development programs, Seminars, Conferences :

The faculty members of our college have participated in various programmes, conferences during the academic year.

A) Prin. R. Narayana, Principal Shahaji Law College :

- Participated in One day workshop on NAAC Reaccreditation and University, College administration organised by Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 29th August 2006
- Attended and actively participated in One day teachers training workshop on practical training paper organised by Bharti Vidhyapeet’s New Law College , Sangli on 7th October 2006
- Contributed a paper as a Resource Person on ‘Child Rights with reference to International Convention and Indian Constitution’ organised by Dept of Political Science, Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 10th December 2006
- Program director
- Organised one day workshop on ‘Right to Information Act 2005’ on 16th September 2006
- Organised one day seminar on Legal Protection to Women with Special Reference to Domestic Violence on 4th February 2007

B) Prof. U. T. Powar, Lecturer :

- Participated in the workshop on Right to Information Act 2005 held on 16-09-2006.
- Participated in workshop on Legal Protection to Women with specified reference to Domestic Violence held on 04-02-2007.

C) Dr. S. R. Rasam, Lecturer :

- Participated and worked as Resource Person on 'RTI use and misuse' in the workshop on Right to Information Act 2005 held on 16-09-2006.
- Participated and worked as Resource Person on 'Role of Protection Office' in workshop on Legal Protection to Women with specified reference to Domestic Violence held on 04-02-2007.

D) Prof. M. C. Sheikh, Lecturer :

- Paper presented in State Level Seminar : "Quality Based legal Education in the Modern Perspective" on the subject "Need of inclusion of Clinical Human Right education in Law Curriculum" held on 21st December, 2006 in Shivaji Law College, Parbhani.
- Resource person – Seminar on Legal Protection to Women with special reference to Domestic Violence on the topic "Judicial Response against Women Violence" held on 4th February 2007.
- Participation: "One day Teacher's Training Workshop on Practical Training Paper" at New Law College, Sangli held on 7th October 2006.
- Appointed as 'Local Member of Shivaji University, Kolhapur for the examination 'Panchkarma Assistant' held on 23, 24 June 2006.
- Lecture : Mahavir College N. S. S. Camp
- A Lecture delivered at Mahavir College N. S. S. Camp on 'Provisions of Indian Constitution for Common People' dated 19th January, 2007.

E) Dr. R. G. Pandurkar, Guest Faculty :

- Participated as Resource Person in Legal Aid and Legal Awareness Programmes organized at Wakare and Darvesh Padali.

PART – B

1. Activities Reflecting The Goals And Objectives :

Shahaji Law College is always on the forefront of highest values, goals objectives and import legal education since 1933. The following are the goals and objectives of the institution to reflect the legal education.

- To ensure long-felt need of legal Education and legal awareness in the society
- To impart legal education and to inculcate the principles of justice, liberty, equality, fraternity , dignity in the mind of students
- To be a centre of excellence in the filed of legal education by adopting modern teaching and training techniques
- To impart high quality of legal education and to develop overall personality in a disciplined environment
- To make its law graduates capable of perusing a career at Bar, competing for judicial services, civil services and so on
- To imbibe high sense of legal , social and moral values among students and also to discover the hidden talents of students in various subjects
- To create legal awareness especially in the weaker sections of the society by providing free legal services
- To develop and promote national integration

A) Fulfillment of Goals and Objectives :

The goal of Shahaji Law College, Kolhapur is to give legal aid to the adopted villages. This object is reflected through the following activities-

Table showing visits for Legal Aid to villages.

Sr. No.	Name of Village	Taluka/Dist.	Date
1	Chuye	Karveer/Kolhapur	08-07-2006
2	Shripadwadi	Chandgad/Kolhapur	13-07-2006
3	Baleghol	Kagal	22-07-2006
4	Chuye	Karveer/Kolhapur	10-08-2006
5	Shripadwadi	Chandgad/Kolhapur	12-08-2006
6	Baleghol	Kagal	26-08-2006
7	Shripadwadi	Chandgad/Kolhapur	07-08-2006
8	Chuye	Karveer/Kolhapur	09-12-2006
9	Shripadwadi	Chandgad/Kolhapur	24-02-2007

B) Workshop on Right to Information Act :

- As the objective of the college is to impress upon the society ignorance of law is no excuse, we organized one day workshop on, 'Right to Information Act' on 16th September 2006. Around 250 participants were registered for the said workshop. It was inaugurated by Hon'ble A. A. Dange, Director, B.C.U.D., Shivaji University, Kolhapur.
- Table showing lectures delivered by Resource Persons on Right to Information during the Techniquial Sessions-

Sr. No.	Resource Persons	Subject
1	Dr. Santosh Shah	Right to Information Act.
2	Dr. R. G. Pandurkar	Implementation of RTI
3	Prof. S. R. Rasam	RTI Use and Misuse
4	Prof. M. C. Sheikh	Malpractice's by NGO/Applicant

- Questionnaire prepared by Prof. S. R. Rasam and it was circulated among the participants to know feedback.
- Discussions and views expressed in the workshop on RTI.
- Principal, S. B. Patil, D. R. K. College of Commerce, Kolhapur was the chief guest for valedictory function. Certificates were distributed at hands of chief guest.

C) Seminar on Prevention of Domestic Violence Act :

We organized one day seminar on 'Prevention of Domestic Violence Act' to create awareness among women, women organization N.G. O s and students. It was inaugurated at the hands of Hon'ble R. R. Kulkarni, Additional District Judge, Kolhapur.

The table showing lectures delivered by Resource persons on 'Domestic Violence Act'

Sr. No.	Resource Persons	Subject
1	Dr. Santosh Shah	Domestic Violence – Case study
2	Dr. R. G. Pandurkar	Historical Perspective of Domestic Violence
3	Prof. S. R. Rasam	Role of Protection officer
4	Prof. M. C. Sheikh	Judicial Response against Women Violence
5	Dr. M. M. Bapat	Provisions of the Act.

- Discussions with participants took place. Lot of Interpretation about the provisions of the Act made during seminar. Certificates of participation were distributed at the hands of Miss. Ponshe, J. M. F. C. Kolhapur.

D) Participation of Students in Different Activities :

- Our aim is not merely to increase the knowledge of students but also to develop personal skills, presentation, team-work, analysis etc. Hence, we have given inspiration to our students to participate in various seminars, debating, elocution competitions, workshops, Quiz etc. conducted by various colleges and universities.

Miss. Arti Jayprakash Prabhu, Best student :

- ✓ Participated in the Inter Collegiate Moot Court Competition held on 26th August, 2006 at N.S. Soti Law College, Sangli.
- ✓ Participated in Inter Collegiate Debate Competition held on 9th September, 2006. She won the 1st Prize.
- ✓ Participated in Inter Collegiate Workshop on 'Right to Information Act, 2005' organized by Shahaji Law College, Kolhapur held on 16th September, 2006.
- ✓ Participated in the first all India Shivaji University. Moot Court Competition organized by Department of Law, Shivaji University, Kolhapur held on 23rd and 24th December, 2006. She is adjudged as Advocate of the Winner team.
- ✓ Participated in the Seminar on "Legal Protection to Women with Special Reference to Domestic Violence" organized by Shahaji Law College, Kolhapur held on 4th February, 2007.
- ✓ Participated in Debate Competition organized by Shahaji Law College, Kolhapur held on 14th March, 2007. She won 2nd Prize.

Miss. Nikita Bharat Bhivate, Best student :

- ✓ Participated in the Inter Collegiate Moot Court Competition held on 26th August, 2006.
- ✓ Participated in the Inter Collegiate Workshop on Right to Information Act 2005 held on 16th September, 2006.
- ✓ Participated in "First all India Shivaji University Moot Court Competition" organized by Department of Law, Shivaji University, Kolhapur held on 23rd and 24th December, 2006. She is adjudged as advocate of the Winner team.
- ✓ Participated in elocution competition of Advocate P. R. Baldota Memorial Trust, Mumbai in the year 2006-07. She secured 1st Prize.
- ✓ Participated in the Advocate K. B. Kayastha State level Moot Court Competition held on 10th February, 2007 in N. S. Soti Law College, Sangli.
- ✓ Participated in the college Moot Court Competition held on 14th March, 2007. She secured 1st Prize.
- ✓ Participated in the Seminar on 'Legal Protection to Women with Special Reference to Domestic Violence' organized by Shahaji Law College, Kolhapur held on 4th February, 2007.

Mr. Swapnil Hindurao Chile, a good student :

- ✓ Participated in the Inter Collegiate Workshop on Right to Information Act 2005 organized by Shahaji Law College held on 16th September, 2006.
- ✓ Participated in the First All India Shivaji University Moot Court Competition organized by Department of Law, Shivaji University, Kolhapur held on 23rd and 24th December 2006.

- ✓ Participated in the “One day workshop on Organize Waste Disposal using Padmashri Dr. R. T. Doshi’s process of City forming” Organized by Bharati Vidyapeeth’s New Law College, Sangli, held on 6th January, 2007.
- ✓ Participated in the Seminar on “Legal Protection to Women with Special Reference to Domestic Violence” organized by Shahaji Law College held on 4th February, 2007.

Miss. Peenaj Mhamullal Sandi, Best student :

- ✓ Participated in the Inter collegiate workshop on Right to Information Act, 2005 organised by Shahaji Law College, Kolhapur held on 16th September, 2006.
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- ✓ Participated in Adv. K. B. Kayashta State Level Moot Court Competition held on 10th February, 2007 at N. S. Soli Law College, Sangli.
- ✓ Participated in Rangoli Competition held on 4th March, 2007 in Shahaji Law College, Kolhapur. She won the 2nd Prize.
- ✓ Participated in Inter Class Moot Court Competition held on 14th March, 2007 in Shahaji Law College, Kolhapur. She won the 2nd Prize.

2. New Academic Programmes Initiated : (UG And PG)

– NIL –

3. Innovations in Curricular Design and Transaction :

- The curriculum for the law course is designed as per recommendations of Bar Council of India. The Board of studies and Faculty Law of Shivaji University, Kolhapur implemented the same curriculum.

Lead College a New innovation of Shivaji University, Kolhapur

- The new concept of Lead college activity is innovated and is adopted by Shivaji University, Kolhapur for the first time in the state. The University formed the working committee in which Prof. U. T. Powar is the full time lecturer of our college nominated by Vice-Chancellor as a member of working committee of Lead College Activity. The University sanctions necessary fund for the said purpose.
- Under Lead College Activity Programme our college conducted ‘How to face Examination’. The following Resource Person have been invited from Bharati Vidyapeeth’s New Law College, Kolhapur

Principal Mangala Patil,

Prof. N. S. Shinde, Prof.

Uday Sawant,

Prof. Suchita Gadve

4) Inter-Disciplinary Programmes Started :

The proposal has been sent to the Asian School of Cyber Law, Pune for starting the Cyber Law as Inter Discipline Course. We are waiting for necessary permission from the school.

5) Examination Reforms Implemented :

Under the lead college activities one day workshop on 'How to face examination' conducted. Besides, The College conducted Unit Tests, tutorials, pre-semester examination for all classes for the benefit of students. As per the recommendations of Shivaji University, Government of Maharashtra the college is conducting the examinations not only law but also UGC, NET, SET and various competitive examinations.

6) Candidate Qualified : NET/SLET/GATE :

– NIL –

7) Initiative Towards Faculty Development Programme :

The faculty members participated in various faculty development programmes-

- ✓ The Principal of our college participated in one day workshop on NAAC reaccreditation and University, College administration organised by Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 29th August 2006
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- ✓ Lecturer : Mahavir College N. S. S. Camp
- ✓ Subject : 'Provisions of Indian Constitution for Common People' dated 19th January, 2007.
- ✓ Participated as resource person in Legal Aid and Legal Awareness Programmes.

8) Number of Seminars / Workshops Conducted :

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9) Research Projects :

- A. Newly implemented – NIL –
- B. Completed – NIL –

10) Patents Generated If Any :

– Not Applicable –

11) New Collaborative Research Programmes :

– NIL –

12) Research Grants Received From Various Agencies :

– NIL –

13) Number Of Research Scholars And Details :

- ✓ Registered two Research Scholars for Ph.D. Mrs. S. R. Rasam and Mr. M. C. Sheikh

14) Citation Index Of Faculty Members And Impact Factor :

– NIL –

15) Honours / Awards to the Faculty :

– NIL –

16) Internal Resources Generated :

- Internal resources were generated through Diploma Courses under Self Supporting Scheme. There are two diploma courses i.e. one year P G Diploma in Income Tax (DIT) course, the total strength is 80 students and the collected Fee from the student is of Rs 1,77,600/-
- One year in PG Diploma in Labour Law (DLL) course, the total strength is 80 students and the collected Fee from the student is of Rs 1,77,600/-

17) Details Of Departments Getting SAP, COSIST/DST, FIST, etc. Assistance / Recognition :

– NIL –

18) Community Services :

The college renders community services as follows-

- ✓ Legal Aid Camp and free legal aid for the benefit of people arranged at Wakare Tal: Karveer on 9th September 2006.
- ✓ Legal awareness camp was held at Darvesh Padali, Tal: Hatkanagle on 24th February 2007
- ✓ Blood Donation Programmes arranged in the college on 15th September 2006, 23rd December 2006 on the eve of founder Birth and Death Anniversary.

19) Teachers and Officers Newly Recruited :

Through Advertisement, the college made efforts to recruit the Full Time teaching faculty for the academic year 2006-07, the response was very poor due to NET/SET qualification in law. Mr. Satish Mane was recommended for the post of lecturer in law but he was not joined.

20) Teaching – Non Teaching Staff Ratio :

2 : 45

21) Improvements In Library Service :

As per recommendations of Inspection Committees the total numbers of books were increased to provide more books to the student. The following are the library details.

Details	Existing		Newly Added		Total	
	No.	Value (Rs.)	No.	Value (Rs.)	No.	Value (Rs.)
Text Books	22964	15,08,438	479	142645/-	23443	1647483.4/-
Reference Books	270	Included in Text Book Bill	45	Included in Text Book Bill	315	Included in Text Book Bill
Journals	22	19362/-	-	-	18	19955/-

22) Books, Journals Subscribed :

Number of Books	479	Cost of Books	Rs. 142645/-
Number Of Journals	18	Cost of Journals	Rs. 19955/-

23) Courses in Which Student Assessment of Teachers is Introduced and the Action Taken on Students Feed Back :

Students Feedback is collected from three year and five year law course and collected feedback is being analysis, reviewed by a committee of senior faculty members.

24) Unit Cost of Education :

- Total salary and expenses / No. of Students
- $2965733.23 / 937 = 3165.15$

25) Computerization of Administration and the Process of Admissions and Examination Results, Issue Of Certificates :

The process of computerization of administration and admissions is underway.

26) Increase in the Infra Structure Facilities :

The college has planned to construct a separate Moot Court Hall which is under process.

27) Technology Up gradation :

The web site of college is upgraded and extended and up to date information is made available

28) Computer and Internet Access and Training to Teachers and Students

- During the year Internet facilities made available to the teaching staff and students.
- The Principal Room also computerized with Internet Facility. Fax and Xerox Machine is also available in the office.

29) Financial Aid to the Students :

The Government of Maharashtra is providing scholarships and free ships to the students. Number of student's community has enjoyed this facility consistently. The college is providing financial help to the students from students aid fund those who are poor.

30) Activities and Support from Alumni Association :

The college is taking advice from the Alumni Association from conducting the programme.

31) Activities and Support from the Teacher – Parent Association :

Teacher- Parent Association meeting is conducting twice in the year for the progress of the student. The parents are giving advice on that occasion for the better improvement of the college.

32) Health Services :

- A lecture on "Bomb blasting was organized by the college on 25th September 2006 by inviting Shahupuri Police offices. They guided our students on the topic and explained what precaution should be taken on this occasion.
- A blood donation camp was organized in Association with Shahu Blood Bank on 23-12-2006 on the occasion of Death Anniversary of Dr. Ratnappa Kumbhar.
- A lecture on Importance of Road Safety was arranged by the college on 22nd September 2006 by inviting Inspector Barket Mujawar for the welfare and safety of students.

33) Performance in Sports Activities :

The Annual sports competitions held on 4th and 5th March 2007. Number of students showed their best performance in various events and got the prizes.

34) Incentives to Outstanding Sports Person :

As students come from rural areas, all efforts are made to encourage students to participate in sports. Following incentives are given to sports men and women.

- Uniforms, kits, costumes are provided.
- Blazers are provided to university level players.
- T.A. and D.A. are given to the sports men and women who participate in sports events.

35) Student Achievements and Awards :

As many 26 students of our college have shined in different parts of the competitions.

36) Activities of the Guidance and Counseling Unit :

Through counseling centre the college is giving regular counseling to the students on different matters like Anti-ragging, anti-smoking education, discipline, academic performance, doubt clearance etc.

37) Placement Service of the Institution :

A regular lecture on Placement Service is conducting by the college for helping the students on Placement.

38) Development Programme for Non – Teaching Staff :

Non teaching staff meet is regularly called to develop an understanding in the office work culture. Non teaching staff apprised on the issues like streamlining the administrative work, new methods of documentation filing etc.

39) Healthy Practices of the Institution :

- At the beginning of the academic year principal addresses the gathering appraising the students about the course and its future prospects.
- At the end of each month a casual social gathering is conducted in order to elicit the urgent need of the students.
- Student's board is maintained at the walls of the college wherein students are encouraged to put their perceptions of law and recent updates. This helps the students to be in touch with the updates.
- Free Blood Grouping for all students held on 15th September 2006 in College premises.
- Aids Awareness program are conducting.
- Lecture on "Road Safety" was arranged on 22nd September 2006 and Shri. P. I. Mujawar, Assistant Police Inspector was the Chief Guest.

40) Linkages Developed With National / International / Academic / Research Bodies :

The college has established linkages with BCI, UGC and other NGO's.

41) Any Other Relevant Information the Institute Wishes to Add :

- Shahaji Law College is one of the reputed law colleges in India and especially in the state of Maharashtra. It is always on the forefront of highest values and imparting legal education since 1933. His Highness, the late Shri Rajaram Chatrapati Maharaja of Kolhapur who was always very keen about legal education constituted a committee in December 1932 headed by Rao Bahadur, A. B. Chougule the Chief justice of Kolhapur State. By notification 52 of 1933, the State Gazette declared that "The Council of Legal Education", a body consisting of seven ex-officio members to run the Law College on 17th June, 1933. The college was formally inaugurated on 2nd November 1933 at the hands of Sir Fredric Sykes, the then Governor of Bombay and named as 'Sykes Law College' Kolhapur

- Shri. S. K. Kelavakar, Barrister-at-Law was the first Principal of this college, His Highness Major Sir. Chattrapati Shahaji Maharaj and the founder President of the Council of Education Dr. Padmashri Rathnappanna Kumbhar was first student of this college.
- Under the able and noble leadership of Dr. Rathnappanna Kumbhar, the council of legal education was renamed as “Council of Education” and Sykes Law College renamed as “Shahaji Law College”. Since then the college administered efficiently according to Anna’s vision.
- The NAAC committee accredited the College and had given B++ Rank which is equal to Five Star Status. They have shown us our strength and weaknesses for future development of the institution to achieve the best.

The prestigious alumini includes:

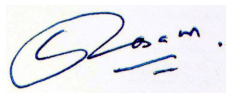
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| • Late Hon‘ble Shri. B.D. Jatti
Former Vice-President of India | • Smt. Shalini Patil
Former Minister of Maharashtra |
| • Late Shri S. R. Kanthi
Former Chief Minister of Karnataka | • Shri. Digvijay Khanvilkar
Former health Minister of Maharashtra |
| • Late Shri Balasaheb Desai
Former Minister of Maharashtra | • Shri. S. G. Mutalik
Rtd. High-Court Judge |
| • Late Shri. Anandrao Chavan
Former Union Minister | • Shri. R. K. joshi
Rtd. High-Court Judge, Bombay |
| • Late Shri. Rajaram Bapu patil
Former Minister of Maharashtra | • Shri. M. S. Apte
Rtd. High-Court Judge, Bombay |
| • Shri. Babasaheb Bhosale
Former Chief Minister of Maharashtra | • Shri. Umesh V. Kadam
Member Red Cross Committee |
| • Shri. L. H. Patil
Former Minister of Maharashtra | • Shri. Dinkarrao B. Patil
Former Collector of Kolhapur |
| | • Shri. Baba Kadam
Eminent Marathi Novelist |

PART – C

DETAIL THE PLANS OF THE INSTITUTION FOR THE NEXT YEAR.

The following are plans for the academic year 2007-08.

- Student should be encouraged to take part in different activities.
- Celebration of Important Days of the year i.e. Human Rights Day, Children's Day, Women's Day etc.
- The Library should be improved with Internet Facility.
- To improve the quality of teaching by adopting new techniques.
- To organize Seminars, Workshops, Moot- Court and Competitions.



Signature of the Coordinator, IQAC
Dr.(Mrs) S. R. Rasam
Assistant Professor
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Signature of the Chairperson, IQAC
Dr. Rayadurgam Narayana
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