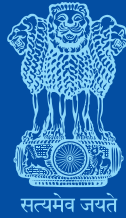




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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

More than 1200 Legal Education Institutions (LEIs) in India. This shows mushrooming growth in legal education sector in the country. Every third day one legal education institution gets the approval without having much check and balance on its operation. Last year Judge of Madras High Court made the statement that 85% of the 1200 law colleges must shut down looking at deteriorating standard of legal education in India. In Gujarat more than hundred legal education institutions are existing as per list received from BCI in personal visit against the list mentioned on website of Bar Council of India.

Looking at above situation investigators have taken difficult task to study LEIs in the state of Gujarat. In this research, emphasis is on the quality of education provided in LEIs in Gujarat. The sample size of the research project is kept to be LEIs recognized by UGC in the state of Gujarat. Thus the research universe is therefore limited to all the LEIs having recognition by UGC in Gujarat. The research methodology adopted during the course of this project has been 'Empirical Study' since the investigators have actually visited the various LEIs across most of the districts in Gujarat for collection of the data for this project. Thus the aim of the research project is to have a legal database created about the prevalent legal education scenario in the state of Gujarat. Further the limitation in this research project have been the difficulties in obtaining the data from different LEIs for which the investigators have tried to adopt a better classified sample and use better and more effective methods to analyse the data.

The possible outcomes of this project would be to reflect on the quality of existing legal education provided in the state of Gujarat and create a database