EDITORIAL

The Centre for Alternate Dispute Resolution of School of Legal Studies, CMR University was established with the aim to disseminate knowledge in areas of alternate dispute resolution mechanism to the students.

The CMR University School of Legal Studies Journal on "**Dispute Settlement and Arbitration**" is a first of its kind E-Journal started by CMR University

The Journal has been brought out under the Centre for Alternate Dispute Resolution of CMR University School of Legal Studies.

Most of the contributors are our students who intend to make a career in law in future. Since the University has an onerous responsibility, the School of Legal Studies has been encouraging the students in this sphere. I thank all the contributors and others who have helped us in achieving this objective.

The publication provides useful insights on Alternate Dispute Resolution which are based on well researched material by the students.

We are privileged and honoured to bring it to the attention of the public that we are releasing the E-Journal at a time when Arbitration and other methods of alternate dispute resolution is gaining momentum at a rapid pace. The E-Journal is based on current trends in the areas of ADR and has long articles, short articles and commentaries which provide diverse information on this subject.

We are glad to inform that a large number of articles have been received from students across all courses and sections. We indeed had a tough time in choosing the best of the best based on relevant parameters. We hope that this edition of the E-Journal will be an enriching experience for the reader. We are deeply indebted to all the contributors and the stakeholders who have been instrumental in achieving this milestone.

As always, The Management of CMR University has supported us immensely in all possible ways for which we are indeed grateful.

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