

PROFILE OF CS S DHANAPAL



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Mr. S. Dhanapal is a fellow member of The Institute of Company Secretaries of India and Law graduate from the reputed Dr. Ambedkar Govt. Law College, Chennai (Five years Integrated Law course) and Commerce graduate from the University of Madras. Presently, holding the position of Secretary of Southern Region of Institute of Company Secretaries of India, New Delhi for the year 2018- 2019.

He is the founder and the Managing Partner of **M/s. S Dhanapal & Associates**, Firm of **Practising Company Secretaries**, Chennai. He has more than 17 years of experience in the areas of Corporate Secretarial and Legal matters and has been mentoring corporate as well as professionals with his wide experience, knowledge and professional acumen.

He is enrolled with the ICSI Insolvency Professionals Agency and registered as Insolvency Professional with Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India **to practice as Insolvency Professional** for Corporate Insolvency and Liquidation Process.

He is a passionate reader, voracious speaker and prolific writer on varied corporate legal and secretarial matters. He regularly contributes as a speaker and writer in various professional forums/journals. He is a well known resource person, having addressed as speaker nearly 200 National and Regional forums throughout the country in various professional Institutes including ICAI, ICSI and ICMAI, Chambers, Universities and Colleges and other places. All his articles are widely appreciated and acknowledged due to his unique style of writing and practical coverage of the topic in a very simple language. Two of his articles got accredited as ‘Best articles’ were published in the Magazine by Chartered Accountants Study Circle.

He is also a much sought after corporate trainer and also been a trainer to various Government Authorities like Comptroller and Auditor General of India (CAG) and Indian Audit and Accounts Dept., Office of Regional Director, Ministry of Corporate Affairs and Registrar of Companies, Chennai and Economic Offences and Commercial Crime Wing, Police Department, Government of Tamilnadu.

He also holds/held position as Elected Council Member and the office of Treasurer of the Southern India Regional Council of the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (SIRC-ICSI), Chairman of the Professional Development Committee of SIRC-ICSI, Chairman of the Newsletter Committee of SIRC-ICSI, Chairman of Committee for Students and Class Room Teaching of SIRC-ICSI, Council Member, Hindustan Chamber of Commerce, (HCC), Chairman of Expert Committee on Corporate and Allied Laws (HCC), Member of the Executive Committee for Entrepreneurship Development of the Anna University, Committee Member-CII (SR)-Sub-Committee for CSR Initiatives, Committee Member for Accounting Standard for Local Bodies, SIRC of Institute of Chartered Accountants of India.

He has authored five books so far, namely “LLP Made Easy”, “Handbook on Companies Act, 2013” and “Guide to Companies Act, 2013 - First Edition and Guide to Companies Act 2013 - Second Edition (2015) & (2016), Guide to The Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code 2016 and recently a Book namely “Guide to National Company Law Tribunal and Appellate Tribunal” which has been released in the month of April 2018 and all of which were very well received by the readers.

He is privileged to have been conferred with the “**BHARAT GAURAV AWARD**”, India’s most coveted Institutional Presentation and Prestigious Recognition Award for being worthy example to others and for his remarkable achievement by one of the India’s leading Voluntary Organisation, New Delhi in the year 2015 and once again to receive “**BEST CITIZENS OF INDIA**” award in recognition of his exceptional calibre and outstanding performance in his chosen area of activity by another leading Organisation at New Delhi in the year 2016.

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