

RESUME OF DR. ADISH C AGGARWALA

Senior Advocate

Dr. Adish C. Aggarwala (Gold medalist, Ph. D. in Law and designated Senior Advocate) is a dynamic high profile lawyer, writer and social activist. He had the rare distinction of serving as Senior Additional Advocate General of Government of Haryana and Additional Advocate General of Governments of States of Uttar Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and Punjab and Special Counsel and Senior Central Government Counsel in the Supreme Court of India.

His current involvements include: President of International Council of Jurists, London (www.internationaljurists.org); President of International Commission of Writers, Geneva; Chairman of All India Bar Association (www.allindiabar.org); President of Supreme Court Bar Association (www.scbaindia.org); Convener of Indian Council of Jurists (www.indianjurists.org); Chairman of India Legal Information Institute (www.indlii.org); and Secretary General of All India Senior Advocates Association. He has been Executive Council Member and General Council Member of National Law School of India University, Bangalore (www.nls.ac.in) and Governing Council Member of National Law University, Delhi and Academic Council Member of Chanakya National Law University, Patna.

He has been the youngest elected Acting Chairman and Elected Vice-Chairman of Bar Council of India (www.barcouncilofindia.org), which is the apex statutory body of lawyers constituted under the Advocates Act. 1961.

He has the rare distinction of creating new records in Bar Association elections from Sub-Division to Supreme Court levels. In 1998, for the first time in the history of Bar Councils, two brothers Dr. Adish C. Aggarwala and Mr. Satish Aggarwala won the election at the same time.

He also has the rare distinction of being elected (with record margin) as 2-terms Senior Executive Committee Member of Supreme Court Bar Association and 2-terms Executive Committee Member of Supreme Court Bar Association; 1-term Executive Committee Member of Delhi High Court Bar Association; Joint Secretary of Rohtak District Bar Association and Joint Secretary of Bahadurgarh Bar Associaton He has also been singularly conferred with the honour of looking after the matters of Govt. of India as its Senior counsel, under the Prime Ministership of Mr. Rajiv Gandhi, Mr. V.P. Singh, Mr. Chandra Shekhar, Mr. P.V. Narasimha Rao,

Mr. H.D. Deve Gowda, Mr. I.K. Gujral, Mr. Atal Behari Vajpayee, Dr. Manmohan Singh and Mr. Narendra Modi. He has had the rare distinction of serving as Additional Advocate General of Punjab, Haryana and Tamil Nadu simultaneously – all three states remaining under the governance of different political parties opposed to each other.

Dr. Aggarwala studied in Vaish High School and Vaish College, Rohtak and was the Elected Head of the Students Central Association (Students Union) of Vaish College, Rohtak. He successfully fought for setting up of the University and Radio Station at Rohtak.

Started writing from his school days, Dr. Aggarwala was the Editor of Vaish College, Rohtak's magazine. He also edited an English fortnightly "Socialist Age" from New Delhi and Rohtak for twelve years. The special issues of the fortnightly were released by the then Presidents of India Mr. Fakhruddin Ali Ahmed in Ashoka Hall of Rastrapati Bhawan and Giani Zail Singh in Mughal Garden of Rastrapati Bhawan, the then Prime Ministers Mrs. Indira Gandhi and Mr. Rajiv Gandhi and the then Information & Broadcasting Minister Mr. Inder Kumar Gujral.

He has served as Special Counsel for the Government of India of 10 successive Central Governments starting from the Prime Ministership of Mr. Rajiv Gandhi to Mr. Narendra Modi. Dr. Aggarwala also served as the Additional Advocate General of Uttar Pradesh Govt. of Samajwadi Party of Mr. Mulayam Singh Yadav; Additional Advocate General of Punjab Govt. of Akali Dal & BJP of Mr. Prakash Singh Badal; Senior Additional Advocate General of Haryana Govt. of Congress of Mr. Bhupinder Singh Hooda; and Additional Advocate General of Tamil Nadu Govt. of DMK of Mr. M. Karunanidhi.

Dr. Aggarwala has also served as Acting Chairman of Bar Council of India, elected Vice-Chairman of Bar Council of India and elected Member of Bar Council of India; elected Chairman and elected Vice- Chairman of Bar Council of Delhi; and elected Member of Bar Council of Delhi for 3 terms. In the SCBA elections 1991-1992, Dr. Aggarwala was elected as an Executive Member after having secured 85% votes and further secured 87% votes in SCBA Elections 1992-1993. In SCBA Presidential Elections – 2011, Dr. Aggarwala secured 755 votes and lost to Mr P.H. Parekh by just 2 votes while Mr. Ram Jethamalani was trailing behind Dr. Adish Aggarwala by 23 votes. In the year 2009, Dr. Aggarwala contested and won the SCBA elections for the post of Vice- President by a margin of 407 votes.

He has been Member Executive of Delhi High Court Bar Association, Joint Secretary of Rohtak District Bar Association and Bahadaurgarh Bar Association and elected Head of Students Central Association (Students' Union) of Vaish College, Rohtak.

Being head of International Council of Jurists, London, All India Bar Association and National Citizen's Committee and Secretary General of All India Senior Advocates Association, functions organized by him were attended by President of India Mr. Pranab Mukherjee, Mrs. Pratibha Devisingh Patil, Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam,

Mr. K.R. Narayanan, Dr. Shanker Dayal Sharma, Mr. R. Venketaraman, Giani Zail Singh; Vice- Presidents of India Mr. M. Venkaiah Naidu, Mr. M. Hamid Ansari, Mr. Bhairon Singh Sekhawat, Mr. Krishna Kant, Mr. K.R. Narayanan, Dr. Shanker Dayal Sharma; Prime Minister of India Dr. Manmohan Singh, Mr. Atal Behari Bajpai, Mr. Inder Kumar Gujral, Mr. H.D. Deve Gowda, Mr. P.V. Narasimha Rao, Mr. Chander Sekhar, Mr. V.P. Singh, Mr. Rajiv Gandhi, Mrs. Indira Gandhibesides mostly all Chief Justices of India and of foreign countries.

He has been author of many books:

The Constitution of India (2008): Released by the Prime Minister of India Dr. Manmohan Singh in 2008. There was a special presentation ceremony at the Rastrapati Bhawan where the President of India Smt. Pratibha Devisingh Patil received the book.

Second Revised Edition of The Constitution of India (2011): Received by the Prime Minister of India Dr. Manmohan Singh on November 25, 2011 at his Parliament House.

Author of *Mulla's Code of Civil Procedure (2021)* published by Delhi Law Times **Co-author** of the book "*Concepts of International Law*" released by President of International Court of Justice.

Co-Author of the books "Legacy of Indira Gandhi"

Co-Author (with British author Sarah Marchington) "*Narendra Modi - A Charismatic and Visionary Statesman*" The Foreword has been contributed by BJP leader Mr. Amit Shah. The Hon'ble Prime Minister Mr. Narendra Modi appreciated the book and signed on the opening page of the biography on July 13, 2017 as a token of commendation. He also appreciated its Second Revised Edition on July 16, 2019 and inscribed "Vande Mataram" on its opening page.

Co-author (with eminent American author Elisabeth Horan of "Narendra Modi – Harbinger of Prosperity & Apostle of World Peace" published by M/s USA Publication & Distribution House, LLC, New York in 10 foreign languages and 10 Indian languages

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