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PRIMARY PRACTICE

Litigation & Dispute Resolution
Insolvency and Bankruptcy
Corporate Restructuring
Family Settlement & Succession Planning
General Corporate & Regulatory Affairs

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Commerce
Bachelor of Law
Masters in Law and Management
Fellow Member, ICSI
Registered Insolvency Professional, IBBI

HONOURS & AWARDS

Youngest elected Chairman, NIRC of ICSI (2015)
Central Council Member, ICSI (2023–2026)
Vice President, NCLT & AT Bar Association

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Central Council Member, ICSI (2023–2026)
Vice President, NCLT & AT Bar Association
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Registered Insolvency Professional, IBBI



Mr. NPS Chawla is the Co-Founder and Joint Managing Partner of Aekom Legal. Apart from being a Fellow Member of the ICSI, he is a commerce and law graduate who has also completed his Masters in Law and Management. He earlier worked as an Associate Partner with the Corporate Team of Vaish Associates, Delhi, and has overall professional experience of around 20 years.

He is registered as an Insolvency Professional with the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India. Mr. Chawla has been one of the youngest elected Chairmen of the Northern India Regional Council of the ICSI (2015) and is currently a Central Council Member of the ICSI for the term 2023–2026. He is also the Vice President of the NCLT & AT Bar Association.

Mr. Chawla has extensive experience in handling corporate litigation assignments, including insolvency matters, domestic and international commercial arbitrations, shareholder disputes, commercial suits, liquidations, and a wide range of corporate law matters. He also specialises in corporate restructuring matters including mergers, demergers, compromises, arrangements, reduction of capital, slump sale, minority squeezing, family settlements and succession planning.

He has appeared and argued matters before the Supreme Court, almost all High Courts of the country, NCLT, NCLAT, SEBI, SAT, FEMA Appellate Tribunal, DRT, DRAT, Civil Courts, Arbitral Tribunals, Sessions and Magistrate Courts across NCR.

Representative Matters

Litigation & Dispute Resolution

- Extensive experience handling corporate litigation assignments including insolvency matters, domestic and international commercial arbitrations, shareholder disputes, commercial suits and liquidations.
- Dealt with complex litigation assignments also involving application of foreign laws in matters before USA Courts.
- Appeared and argued matters before the Supreme Court, almost all High Courts, NCLT, NCLAT, SEBI, SAT, FEMA Appellate Tribunal, DRT, DRAT, Civil Courts, Arbitral Tribunals, Sessions and Magistrate Courts across NCR.

Insolvency and Bankruptcy

- Registered Insolvency Professional with the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (IBBI).
- Actively involved in some of the most successful corporate turnarounds in the insolvency regime in the country.
- Advised on insolvency matters, liquidations and resolution processes before the NCLT and NCLAT.

Corporate Restructuring

- Specialises in corporate restructuring matters including mergers, demergers, compromises, arrangements, reduction of capital, slump sale, minority squeezing, family settlements and succession planning.

Family Settlement & Succession Planning

- Handles family settlement and succession planning matters as a core part of his restructuring and corporate law practice.

General Corporate & Regulatory Affairs

- Wide range of corporate law matters including advice on the Companies Act, exchange control regulations, securities laws, stamp duty implications and other commercial laws.
- Authored many articles on Corporate Restructuring, Insolvency Law, judgments by NCLT & AT, Stamp Duty implications and other related topics.

Publications

- *"Supreme Court on Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code" — covering all judgments of the Hon'ble Apex Court on Insolvency in the last 5 years (curated by Mr. NPS Chawla).*
- *Several articles on Corporate Restructuring, Insolvency Law, Judgments by NCLT & AT, Stamp Duty implications and related topics.*