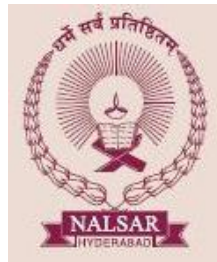


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Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005

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AIR	- All India Reporter
All ER	- All England Reporter
Art.	- Article
CEDAW	- Convention on the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women.
CPC	- Civil Procedure Code
Cr. P. C.	- Code of Criminal Procedure Code
EU	- European Union
HLR	- Hindu Law Reporter
Ibid	- as above
ICCPR	- International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights
IPC	- Indian Penal Code
JILI	- Journal of Indian Law Institute
p.	- page
Sec.	- Section
SC	- Supreme Court
SCC	- Supreme Court Cases
USA	- United States of America
UK	- United Kingdom
UDHR	- Universal Declaration of Human Rights..
v.	- versus
Vol.	- volume

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