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# INFORM: Sports Law

The latest edition of the 'Inform: Sports Law' publication endeavours to provide a synopsis of key developments in sports, esports, and gaming laws in India and across the world, as well as to engage with stakeholders in these fields.

## Cricket Betting: Profits Constitute Proceeds of Crime Under PMLA

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# Updates



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## AIFF Constitution: Football Body Adopts Pending Clauses

The All India Football Federation (AIFF) adopted the pending clauses of the Supreme Court-approved Constitution at its special general meeting on November 24, 2025. After the Court approved the draft Constitution in September this year...

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## Approval Granted for Prosecution of Telangana Minister in Formula-E Case

The Governor of Telangana has granted approval to the Anti-Corruption Bureau (ACB) to prosecute former minister K. T. Rama Rao (KTR) in the Formula-E car race case. The case concerns alleged irregular payments and procedural violations...

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## Draft National Youth Policy 2025 Released for Comments

The Department of Youth Affairs has published the draft of the National Youth Policy, 2025 that envisions to support every young Indian with quality education, future ready skills, and a strong sense of cultural rootedness.

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## Notice Issued to ED Regarding Search and Seizure Operations Against WinZO

In response to the writ petition filed by WinZO Pvt. Ltd. challenging the multi-day raids conducted by the Enforcement Directorate (ED) from November 18 to 22 at its Eldeco Centre office, the Karnataka High Court has...

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## Assam Allows Festive Buffalo Fights

On November 27, 2025, the Assam Legislative Assembly passed the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Assam Amendment) Bill, 2025, to provide statutory backing for the conduct of the state's traditional...

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## CAS Partially Lifts Ban on Russian, Belarusian Athletes

The Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) has permitted the participation of Russian and Belarusian athletes under Individual Neutral Athlete (AIN) status in qualification events organised by the International Ski...

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## Premier League Approves New Financial Regulations from Next Season

Premier League clubs have approved a substantial reform of the league's financial regulatory framework, replacing the existing Profitability and Sustainability Rules (PSR) with a new system centred on a Squad Cost Ratio...

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# Case Laws

## NSF Recognition: Sports Ministry Not Expected to Act as Mere 'Rubber Stamp'

The Delhi High Court recently remarked that the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports was not expected to act as a mere 'rubber stamp' and grant recognition to whichever body/entity was handpicked by the international...

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## JioStar's Infringement Suit: Court Restrains Rogue Websites From Streaming Cricket Tours

JioStar recently secured an ex parte ad interim injunction against the unauthorised streaming of the South Africa and New Zealand tours of India by rogue apps and websites. The media conglomerate filed the present suit...

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## Court Dismisses Petition Challenging WFI Elections for Non-Prosecution

On November 27, 2025, the Delhi High Court dismissed a petition challenging the Wrestling Federation of India's (WFI) elections, citing repeated non-appearance by the petitioners. The petition, filed last year by top wrestlers...

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## Carrom Federation Barred From Using the Expression 'India' or 'Indian'

The Delhi High Court recently restrained the All India Carrom Federation (AICF) from using the expression "India" or "Indian" in its name, logo, or in competitions conducted by it, noting that the federation was a private body.

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