

CONFIDENTIALITY AND NON-DISCLOSURE OF IDENTITY

COURTS, ON APPLICATION MADE BY
VICTIM/DEPENDENT/INFORMANT/WITNESS
CAN ORDER

(A) CONCEALING THE NAMES

Conceal the names and addresses in its orders/judgements/records of the case accessible to the public

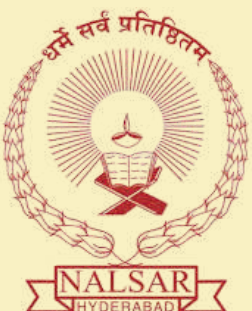


(B) NON DISCLOSURE

Court can issue directions for non-disclosure of the identity and addresses of the witnesses

(C) PROTECTION FROM HARASSMENT

Court can take immediate action for harassment of a victim/informant/witness and can pass orders to protect them on the same day



Section 15A (8)
The Scheduled Castes and The Scheduled Tribes
(Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989



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