

**Pavan Duggal**

### **A BRIEF PROFILE OF PAVAN DUGGAL**

While a practicing Advocate, Supreme Court of India, Pavan Duggal has made an immense impact with an international reputation as an expert and authority on Cyberlaw and E-Commerce law.

As such, his empanelment as a consultant to UNCTAD and UNESCAP on Cyberlaw and Cybercrime respectively, membership of the AFACT Legal Working Group of the UN / CEFAT, inclusion in the Board of Experts of European Commission's Dr. E-Commerce and his work as an expert authority on a Cyberlaw primer for e-ASEAN Task Force speaks volumes of his worldwide acceptance as an authority. Pavan is also a member of the WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Center Panel of Neutrals.

While he has been a Member of the Nominating Committee, Membership Advisory Committee and Membership Implementation Task Force of ICANN, Pavan is also the President of Cyberlaws.Net, which is Internet's first ever-unique Cyberlaw consultancy. In addition to that, he is also the President of Cyberlaw Asia, the founder of the Cyberlaw Association and is also the Founder-President, Cyberlaw India.

Some outstanding pioneering work in the field of BPO legal issues has resulted in his being a member of the BPO Steering Committee of ASSOCHAM. Today, he advises a number of BPO concerns on different legal issues relating to outsourcing.

It is also worthwhile to note that Pavan is associated with Ministry of Information Technology, Government of India on legal issues of Electronic Governance and Data Protection.

Pavan has been a regular on the lecture circuit. He has spoken at over 150 conferences, seminars and workshops in the last three years, and has lectured extensively in select law colleges. As a writer, he has made his mark with six books on various aspects of the law in the last three years, and has contributed a continuing weekly column on diverse aspects of the law, titled 'Brief Cases' to the Economic Times, for the last five years.