



Welcome to AIR Online — India’s most authoritative and exhaustive legal research platform. This guide helps new and advanced users navigate the platform, explains every module in a step-by-step manner, and highlights special features designed to accelerate your legal research workflow.

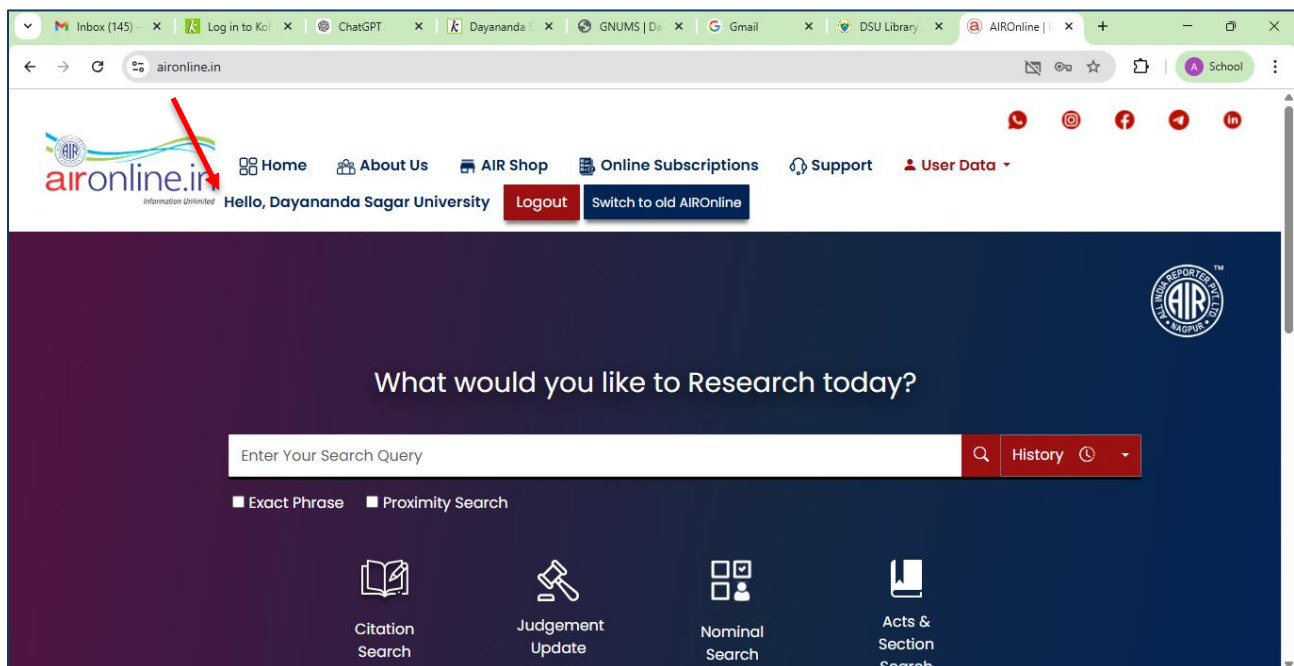
This manual is written from the perspective of a content creator and creative head of marketing — clear, practical, and user-centered. Follow the steps below to start searching, saving, exporting and sharing legal content effortlessly.

1. Getting Started

1.1 Access AIR Online (IP-Based Access)

1.2 • Connect your device (mobile, laptop, or tablet) to your institution’s Wi-Fi or LAN network.

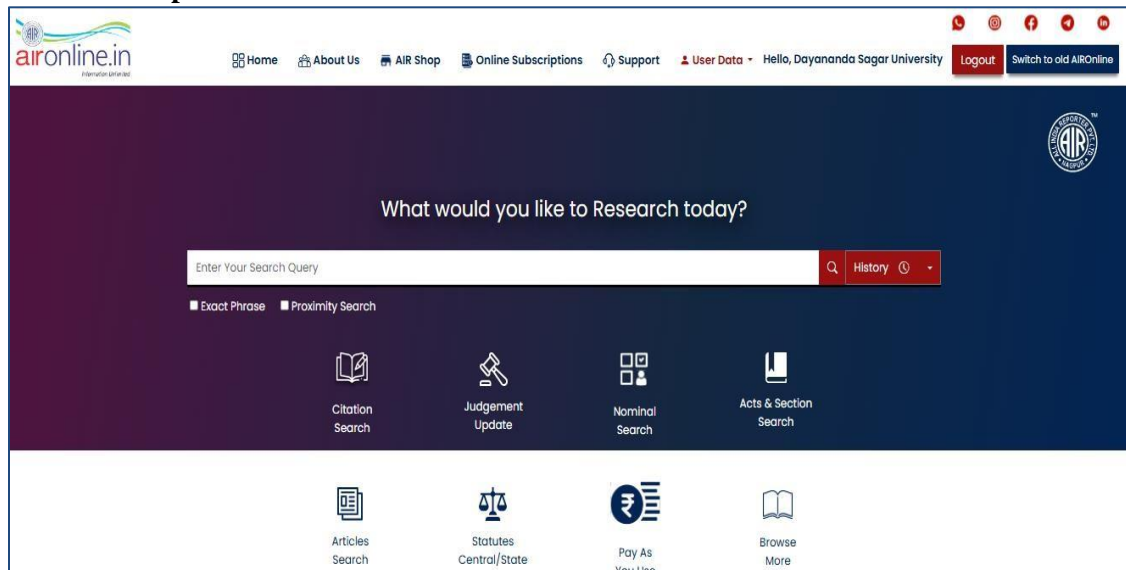
- Open a web browser and go to AIR Online.
- You will be automatically connected to the DSU Home Page, as access is IP-based.
- No personal login or account is required to use AIR Online.



2. Home Screen Overview

Your home dashboard provides direct access to:

- **Universal Search Bar**
- **Browse More** modules
- Quick access to **Advanced Searches, Bookmarks, Recent Searches,** and **Updates**



From here, you can perform **Free Text Search**, explore statutes, open special modules, or track new judgments uploaded daily.

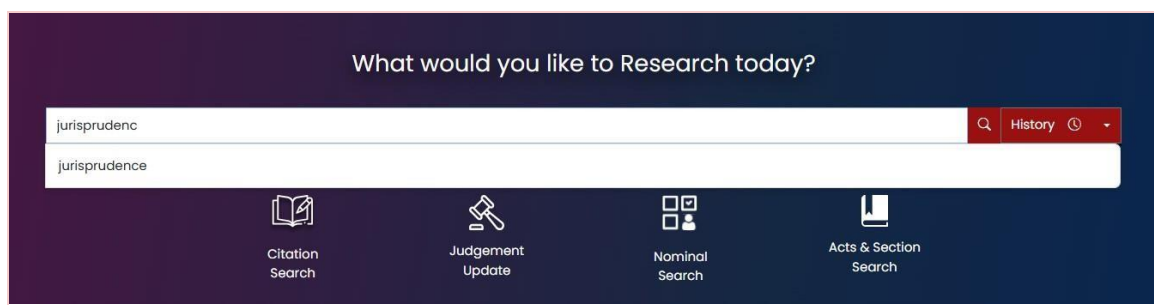
3. Search Tools & Modules (Complete Guide)

AIR Online is built around powerful search mechanisms. Each search module is optimized for lawyers, judges, law students, and researchers.

3.1 Free Text Search

The fastest way to begin researching.

- Type **any phrase, legal term, or case point**.
- AIROnline automatically categorizes results (e.g., Judgement Text, Articles, Headnotes).
- Smart suggestions help refine the query.



Best For:

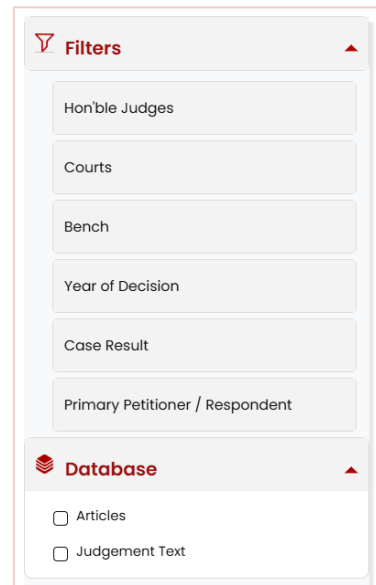
General research, comparative study, quick look-ups.

3.2 Search-in-Search (Refining Results)

On the results page, refine your results using:

Filters Include:

- Hon’ble Judge Name
- Courts
- Bench
- Year of Decision
- Case Result
- Primary Petitioner / Respondent
- Database Type: (Articles / Judgement Text)



Additional Features

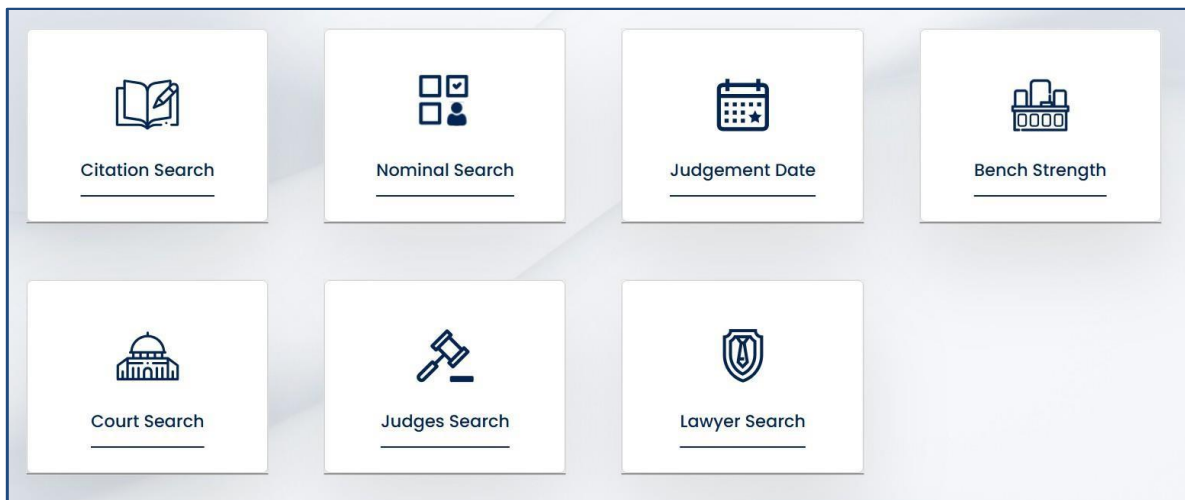
- **Sort A–Z / Z–A**
- Sort by **Citation Year**, **Court**, or **Date of Decision**
- Adjust **Results Per Page**
- Apply advanced sub-filters for precise narrowing



1099 Result(s) in 4.55s

4. Advanced Search Modules (Step-by-step)

Below are the specialized research tools that make AIROnline a professional-grade platform.




4.1 Citation Search — Full Content

Search using an exact citation.

Citation Search

Publication Name: All India Reporter (AIR) Year: 2025 Full Report/NoC: Full Report Court Name: SC Page No.: 1

SEARCH **RESET**

CITATIONS	PARTY NAME	ACTIONS
AIR 2025 SUPREME COURT 1	State Of Maharashtra And Others Vs. Pradeep Yashwant Kokade and another	

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Inputs include:

- Journal
- Publication
- Year
- Full Report / NOC
- Court Name
- Page Number

Actions Available:

- Open full report

4.2 Nominal Search (Party Name Search)

Search judgments by:

- **Petitioner Name**
- **Respondent Name**

Nominal Search

Petitioner/Respondent: Either Petitioner Or Respondent Court: Supreme Court of India Search: **SEARCH** **RESET**

Petitioner	Respondent	Court Name	Citation	Date of Decision	Actions
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You can also filter by **Court**.

Results display:

- Party Names
- Court
- Citation
- Date of Decision
- Quick Access via Action Button

4.3 Date-Based Search


Useful for tracking judgments published on specific days.

 **Judgment Date**
Decision Period: Specific Date*:

Search Options:

- On Specific Date
- Between Dates
- After Date
- Before Date

4.4 Bench Strength Search


 **Browse By Bench Strength**
Bench No. of. Hon'ble Judges
Select Bench: Select No. of Hon'ble Judges:

Identify judgments decided by:

- Single Judge
- Division Bench
- Full Bench
- Larger / Constitutional Bench

Also refine by exact **No. of Judges**.

4.5 Court Search

 **Browse By Court**

Type initials → instant suggestions appear → select and search.

4.6 Judge Search

Enter any judge's name → AIROnline auto-populates suggestions.


 **Browse By Hon'ble Judge**

Results display:

- Judge Name
- Court
- All associated judgments

4.7 Lawyer Search

Retrieve judgments where a particular lawyer has appeared.


 **Browse By Lawyer**

Perfect for:

- Senior counsel research
- Interns and juniors preparing briefs
- Law students studying advocacy patterns

4.8 Act & Section Search

Type the name or keywords of any statute.


 **Browse By Act And Section**

AIR Online shows:




- Exact Act
- Judgment references linked to that section
- Related Sections

4.9 Article Search

Search among **6,500+ authoritative articles** from AIR publications.

 **Articles**

Filters


A Note on Ram Shah v. Lalchand By : C. V. L. Vara Prasad Rao Published In Air 1941 	Company Restructuring - Tax Implications By : S. Rajaratnam Published In CLC 2000 	Secrecy Versus Purity By : G. P. Bhatia Published In Lab Ic 2001 
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Find:

- Scholarly writing
- Editorial comments
- Expert opinions
- Analytical pieces

4.10 Statutes (Central & State Acts)

All statutes are consolidated and easily searchable.

 **Statutes**

You can:

- Browse section-wise
- Jump to connected case laws
- Save specific sections
- Print export-ready extracts

5. Full Content Page — Tools & Features



When you open a judgment/article, you get powerful research tools.

5.1 Language Options

Translate content into **9 Languages**:

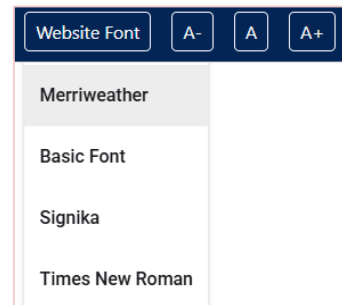
- English
- Hindi
- Gujarati
- Marathi
- Bengali
- Tamil
- Telugu
- Kannada
- Malayalam
- Odia (Oriya)



5.2 Font Options

Choose between:

- Merriweather
- Basic
- Signika
- Times New Roman



Adjust sizes with **A-**, **A**, **A+**.

5.3 Downloading & Printing

PDF Options

- Save as PDF
- AIR True Print (authentic reproduction format)



Print Modes

- Single Column
- Two Column



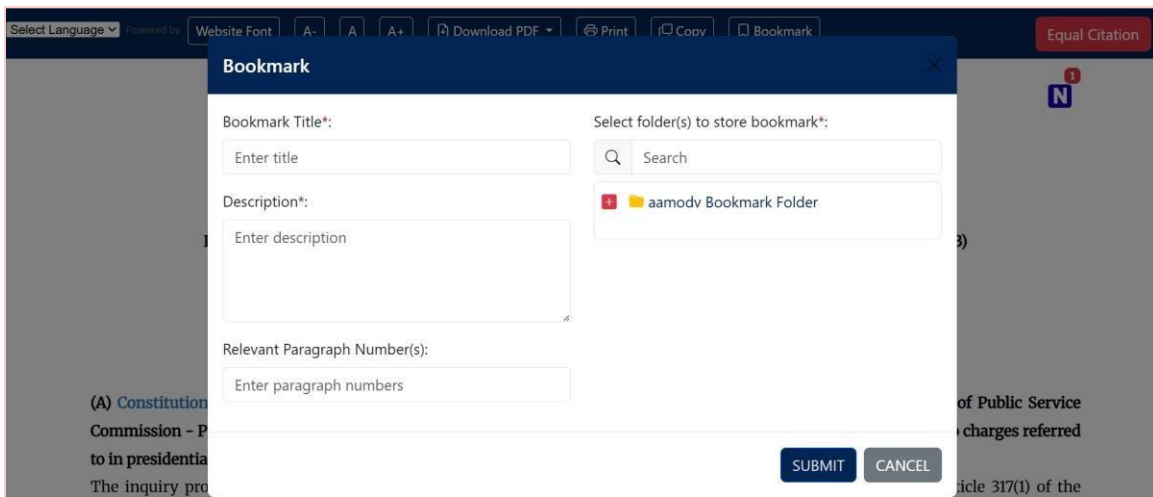
- With Judicial History
- Without Judicial History

5.4 Copying & Sharing

- Select paragraphs → Copy
- Email content directly from the platform
- Share via WhatsApp, Instagram, Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn

5.5 Bookmarking

Save judgments to custom folders for later use.



5.6 Equal Citation

View all equivalent citations for cross-verification.

Equal Citation

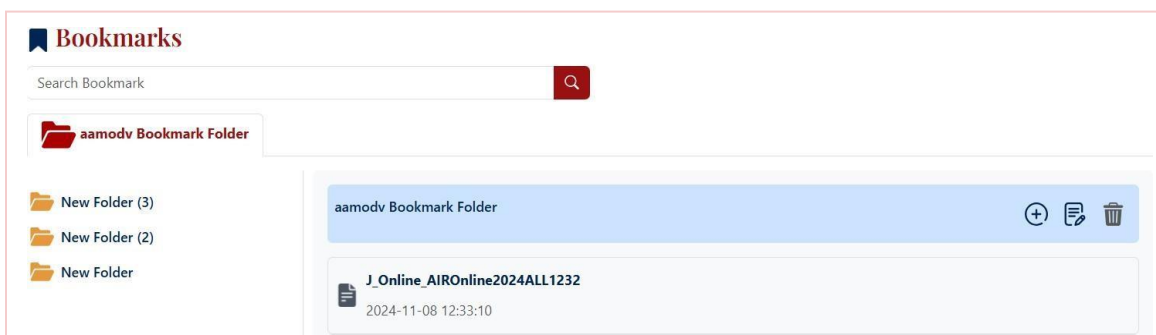
5.7 Remark / Cited Cases

Display all citations referred to in the judgment.

6. User Workspace — My Data

This is your personal legal research hub.

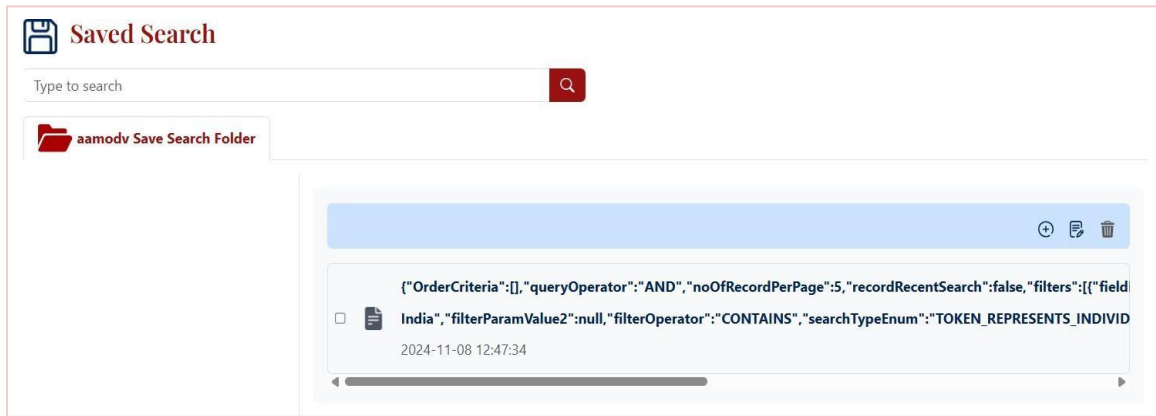
6.1 My Bookmark



- Save cases, acts, sections
- Create/rename/delete folders
- Organize research subject-wise

6.2 My Saved Search

Stores your frequently executed searches.

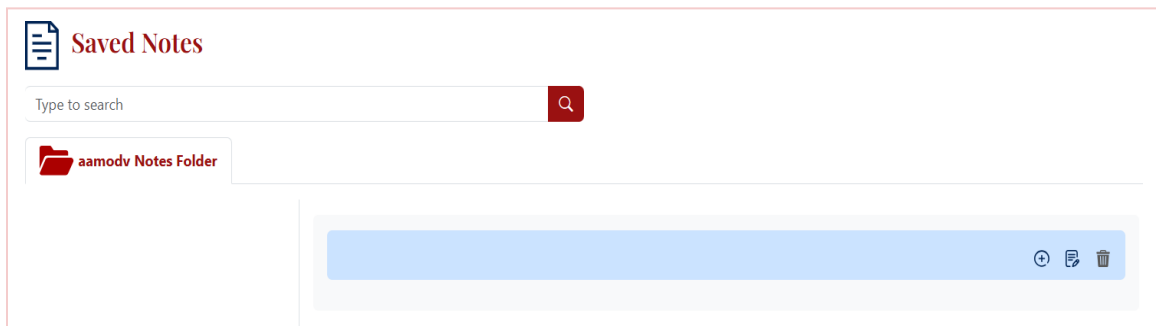


Perfect for:

- Daily practice areas
- Ongoing matters
- Academic research

6.3 My Saved Notes

Create notes linked to judgments or topics. Store them in customizable folders.



6.4 My Topics

Save ongoing research topics for quick access.




Topics




 **Civil & Constitution**  **Criminal**  **Labour & Service**  **Taxation**

6.5 My Case Research

Create case bundles for court use.




Case Research


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Tools include:

- Print All Cases (merged)
- Print Individual Judgment
- Export bundles for submission

6.6 My Mailbox



Mailbox


Inbox Mails Sent Mails Refresh   **Compose**

<input type="checkbox"/>	Subject	Message	Date & Time
<input type="checkbox"/>	Record Uploaded	Hi there Todays Uploaded Record :85 Thanks and Regards AirOnline	2021-10-13T07:43:01.948+00:00

**Subject****Message****Date & Time****Record Uploaded**

Hi there Todays Uploaded Record :85 Thanks and Regards AirOnline


2021-10-13T07:43:01.948+00:00


Receive:

- Admin updates
- New feature alerts
- Support team responses

Includes Inbox, Sent, Compose & Refresh.

6.7 My Search History

 **Search History**

Search for search string 

<input type="checkbox"/>	Content Type	Search String	Date & Time
<input type="checkbox"/>	Full Content	Judgment: 2011 AIR SCW 5701	2025-12-09T09:13:30.371+00:00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Search Result	FTS: jurisprudence	2025-12-09T09:13:01.650+00:00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Full Content	Judgment:	2025-12-06T04:13:25.108+00:00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Full Content	Judgment:	2025-12-06T04:12:27.862+00:00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Search Result		2025-12-06T04:12:09.920+00:00

Chronological log of:

- Search terms
- Search types
- Date/time

7. Profile, Settings & Support

7.1 Profile Section

Coupon Usage All Coupons Activate Coupon Logged & Session History User Preferences Change Password GSTN Number

Coupon Usage

Existing Coupons

Sr. No.	Coupon Serial Number	Coupon Usable Amount	Total Usage Amount	Net Available Amount	Coupon Status	Coupon Expiry Date
1.	AIR202090279	100	0	100	Expired due to lapse of coupon usage period	27-07-2020, 12:42 PM
2.	AIR202090303	1	0	1	Expired due to lapse of coupon usage period	16-01-2021, 12:47 PM
3.	AIR202192342	1	0	1	Expired due to lapse of coupon usage period	17-07-2021, 11:43 AM
4.	AIR202194507	1	0	1	Expired due to lapse of coupon usage period	17-01-2022, 09:29 PM

Includes:

- Personal Details
- GST, Invoice History
- Session Logs
- Referral Options
- Coupon Usage

7.2 Judgment Updates

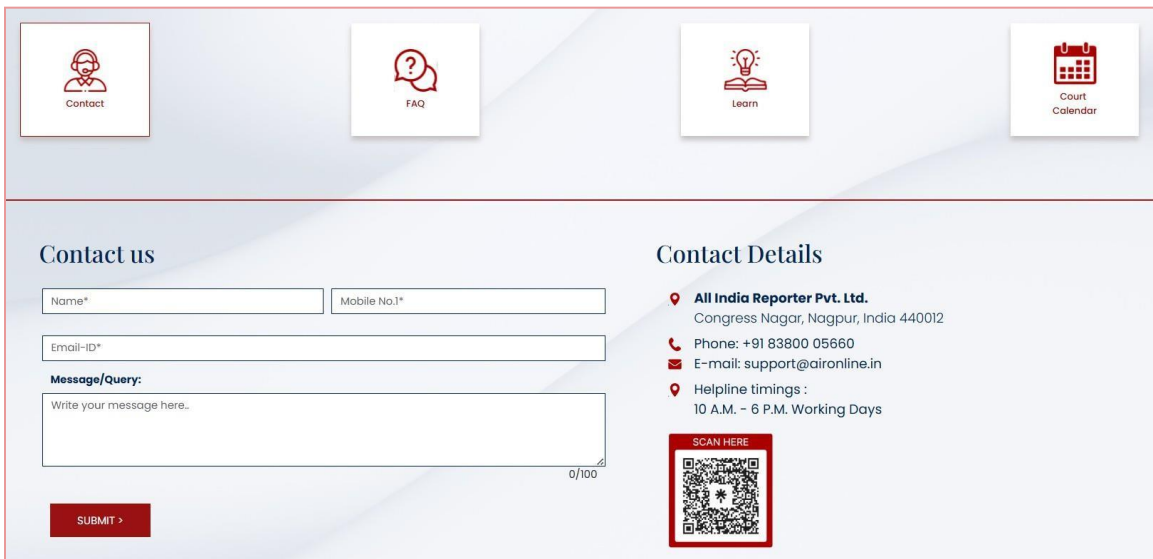


Two dedicated modules:

- Updates from Supreme Court
- Updates from High Courts

Updated daily.

7.3 Support Section



Reach customer support via:

- Contact Form
- Email
- Phone
- FAQ
- Court Calendar

Special Features & Unique Advantages

AIR Online brings several market-leading features that transform legal research into a fast, accurate and creative advantage. Highlights include:

- Blazing-Fast Smart Search (+75% speed): Advanced indexing finds contextually relevant cases in seconds.
- Expanded Coverage (+40%): Supreme Court (1950–present), all High Courts, pre-1950 Privy Council & Federal Court records, and unreported cases.
- Cross-Referencing & Graphical Precedent Maps (+90% power): Visualise how cases relate and evolve — ideal for strategy planning.
- Research Productivity Tools (+85% efficiency): Headnotes, point extracts, customizable bookmarks, digest creation, and printable court-ready briefs.
- Mobile App & Sync: Full-featured iOS & Android apps with offline bookmark access and cloud sync across devices.
- AIR True Print & Export: Authentic print format, email & PDF export, and publication-ready outputs.
- E-Books & Publications: 6500+ articles and curated e-books integrated for deep-dive research.
- Multi-Language Readability: Nine-language translation and multiple font options for accessibility.

Why these matters: AIR Online does more than store judgments — it connects them, visualizes relationships, and packages them for immediate courtroom and academic use. The platform is designed to save hours, reduce manual cross-checking and enable decisive research-based advocacy.
