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The 2nd edition of ET Legal Leadership Conclave '23 kick started at Four Seasons Hotel, Mumbai. The theme of this year Legal Leadership Conclave was Insight, Influence and impact: Legal and Beyond.

In this edition, the focus was not only on the legal leaders who have overcome stereotypes and achieved leadership but also efficiently managed and navigated the disruption risk. The debate and deliberations were about making India a free market economy with the regulatory laws in-check, and the lawmakers steer the wheel in the direction India Inc is meant to go.

The coveted event provides a platform for legal eagles from myriad fields- from partners at Law firms to legal heads at various corporations across industries, heads of regulatory bodies, to legal tech professionals to not just exchange views and give a broader all-round perspective over subjects but also to make a roadmap for a better future.

Speaking on the topic of the panel discussion - Law, Leadership and India Inc, Mr. Akshat Khetan, Founder of AU Corporate Advisory and Legal Services and Corporate & Legal Advisor, said "Corporate India today is undergoing through strategic transmutation every day. The transmutation is so rapid and in the positive direction because of General counsels, as they are the first pillars and the centralised participants within the organisation. The General counsels indeed are vibrant constructive source for every corporate organisation which they belong, who are capable of calibrating the whole aspect of their organisation into a new realm of knowledge, growth and enlightenment."

The other distinguished speakers who participated in the panel discussion were:

- Deepak Acharya, Group General Counsel/Chief Legal Officer, Aditya Birla Group
- Manjaree Chowdhary, Sr. Executive Director and General Counsel, Maruti Suzuki India Limited
- Pathik Arora, General Counsel, Senvion India
- Prashant Marathe, General Counsel & VP - Legal & Compliance, Sula Vineyards Ltd
- Srinith Misra, General Counsel & Executive Director (India);, Senior Legal Counsel (Europe, Middle East, Asia & Africa) Ball Corporation
- Sujeet Jain, Chief Legal & Regulatory Officer, Nykaa

The One-day in-person conference was attended by 200 plus industry experts, with 25 speakers and had 8 panel discussion sessions.

