

## Engaging with Constitutional Values in Contemporary India

### Worksheet III: Oral Arguments

1. How did Shayara Bano, through her advocate Mr Amit Chadha, use the Constitution to make her case?
2. How did Raju Ramachandran invoke the Special Marriage Act in one his arguments? Did anyone oppose Mr. Ramachandran's Special Marriage Act based argument?
3. Mr Rohatgi relied on two previously decided cases [\*Anand Margi\*](#) and [\*Mirzapur Moti Kureshi\*](#) in his rejoinder arguments. What argument did he make using these cases? Why did Mr Kapil Sibal oppose the reliance on them?
4. Did anyone rely on any international conventions to make their arguments? If yes, how were these used?
5. How did Kapil Sibal argue that the definition of personal laws under Article 13 of the Constitution does not cover personal laws?