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R. Rajagopal v. State of Tamil Nadu, AIR 1995 SC 264

## ii) Foreign:

Fisher v. Brooker and others, [2009] UKHL 41 (United Kingdom)

# 4. Commission Reports:

Law Commission of India, Need for Legislation to Regulate Assisted Reproductive Technology Clinics as well as Rights and Obligations of Parties to a Surrogacy, Report No. 228 (August, 2009)

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BD Singh, Labour Law for Managers, Excel Books, New Delhi, (2007), p. 137

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#### 6. Journal Articles:

Name of author of the article, title of the essay within inverted commas, volume number of journal, *Name of the journal in abbreviation* & page number (year).

E.g. K. Madhusudhana Rao, "Authority to Recommend President's Rule under Article 356 of the Constitution", 46 *JILI* 125 (2004).

## 7. Citation of a paper published in a case reporter:

P.K. Thakur, "Permissibility of Probation in Offences Punishable with Minimum Imprisonment" 2 SCJ 26-38 (2002).

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E.g. Emma Lycett, "Surrogacy: The Experience of Commissioning Couples and Surrogate Mothers", (Page no. if specifically referred) in Gillian R. Bentley, Ruth Mace, Substitute Parents: Biological and Social Perspective on Alloparenting in Human Societies, Berghahan Books, U K, (2009) pp.213-240

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i) Citation of an Editorial:

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Madhu Sharama, "Test Tube Babies", The Times of India, August 2, 2004.

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Edwin R.A. Seligman (ed.), *Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences* Vol. XV, The Macmillan Co., NY, 1957, p.

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http://www.betterhealth.vic.gov.au/bhcv2/bhcarticles.nsf/pages/Surrogacy\_the \_issues?open, Last visited on 16.1.2011

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