



## **PROFILE OF SHRI V. SRIDHARAN. SR. ADVOCATE**

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Mr. Sridharan's areas of practice include indirect taxes such as Customs, Excise and Service tax; Sales tax and Value Added Tax (VAT); International Trade laws.

Mr. Sridharan holds a Degree in Mathematics from Madras University and a Law degree from Delhi University. He is a qualified Chartered Accountant and a Cost Accountant.

Mr. Sridharan was the founding partner of the law firm LAKSHMIKUMARAN & SRIDHARAN, a leading firm of advocates in Indirect Taxes, Anti-dumping & WTO laws, IPR laws. He is practicing since 1985. He is a seasoned lawyer possessing vast experience and has successfully litigated on important and very heavy tax matters for more than a decade at the Supreme Court of India, High Courts and the Customs, Excise and Service Tax Appellate Tribunal. He specializes in Service Tax, Customs, Excise, Sales Tax and Value Added Tax (VAT) and International Trade laws.

With a rich background in accounts and law, he is the specialist in charge of tax planning. He is also an expert in Customs Valuation and a skillful drafter.

He has been instrumental in assisting courts in deciding important questions of law in Indirect Taxes and in development of law.

Mr. Sridharan has delivered many lectures on indirect tax laws at various prestigious Institutions. He is also frequently invited by professional institutes to give talks on Indirect Tax laws.

He has delivered a number of lectures on Central Excise, Customs, Service Tax and Value Added Tax. He has also been invited by Institutes of Cost Accountants and Chartered Accountants to deliver lectures on these subjects.

