

India Gambling Laws 2026 — the citizen's full map

□ Legal

Casinos in **Goa / Daman / Sikkim** (in-person only) · state lotteries in **13 states** · online **skill** games on **OGRAI-registered** platforms (from 1 May 2026).

□ Illegal (everywhere)

Online satta · offshore betting apps (Parimatch, 1xBet, Dafabet, Lotus365, Stake, Fairplay, Betway, Mostbet) · surrogate ads (1xBat, Dafanews) · online chance games · private lotteries · anything real-money online in **TN, AP, Telangana**.

Tax (even on illegal winnings)

30% flat under §115BBJ + 30% TDS at withdrawal under §194BA. AIS sees offshore-app credits.

In trouble

Cybercrime: **1930** (24×7) + cybercrime.gov.in within 72 hours. *Family help (gambling addiction):* **1860-2662-345** (Vandrevala, 24×7, free).

The 9 deep-dive guides

Is Satta legal? · IPL betting apps · New Online Gaming Act 2026 · State-by-state map · 7 tricks satta apps use · Your son is playing — what to do · How UPI fraud works · Complaint guide · Tax on winnings (§115BBJ)

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