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PROGRAMME

9.30am Welcome Address by Datuk Professor Sundra Rajoo, Director of the Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration

9.45am Welcome Address by Alexis Mourre, President of the ICC International Court of Arbitration

10.15am Inaugural Speech by YB Dato’ Sri Azalina Othman Said, Minister in the Prime Minister’s Department

10.30am Keynote Speech by Michael Hwang S.C “How have Asian countries adopted and interpreted the UNCITRAL Model Law?”

11.00am Coffee break

11.15am Panel I — ‘Transparency in Arbitration: A bird’s eye view’
Moderator: Abhinav Bhushan, Director, South Asia, ICC Arbitration and ADR, ICC International Court of Arbitration
Speakers:
• Philip Yang, Member of ICC International Court of Arbitration, Immediate Past Chairperson (HKIAC)
• Abraham Vergis, Managing Director, Providence Law Asia LLC
• Christopher Lau, Senior Counsel (Singapore), Chartered Arbitrator (FCIarb, FSIarb)
• Sapna Jhangiani, Partner, Clyde & Co
• Ben Olbourne, Barrister, 39 Essex Chambers

1.00pm Lunch break

2.00pm Panel II — ‘Cost Effective Arbitration: Myth or Reality?’
Moderator: Datuk Professor Sundra Rajoo, Director of the Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration
Speakers:
• Dr. Nicolas Wiegand, Partner, CMS Hasche Sigle
• Ing Loong Yang, Partner, Latham & Watkins
• Vinayak Pradhan, Consultant, Skrine
• Thavakumar Kandiahpillai, Group Head, Legal and General Counsel, SapuraKencana Petroleum

3.45pm Coffee break

4.00pm Panel III — ‘Investor-State Arbitration in South East Asia and Pacific’
Moderator: Tan Sri Dato’ Cecil Abraham, Senior Partner at Cecil Abraham & Partners (Kuala Lumpur), Member of the KLRCA Advisory Board
Speakers:
• Dr Jean Ho Qing, Assistant Professor, National University of Singapore “Investment Arbitration: The Importance Bringing Theory and Practice to Teaching”;
• Alastair Henderson, Managing Partner, Head of International arbitration practice, Southeast Asia, Herbert Smith Freehills (Singapore) “The Proliferation of Bilateral and Multilateral Investment Treaties in South East Asia & Pacific”
• Robert Kirkness, Senior Associate, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer (Singapore) “Investment Claims in the Region: Recent Developments”
• Thayananthan Baskaran, Partner, Zul Rafique & Partners (Kuala Lumpur) “Does Asia Need a Permanent Investment Court”

5.45pm Conference Summary and Thank You note by Alexis Mourre, President of the ICC International Court of Arbitration

6.00pm Cocktail Reception

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