

## MAY THE ODDS BE EVER IN YOUR FAVOUR SELECTING THE MOST APPROPRIATE DISPUTE RESOLUTION FOR YOUR INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENTS

Businesses have for a long time been advised that arbitration represents the best option for regional dispute resolution, primarily because of the uncertainties surrounding regional litigation and the ease of cross-border enforcement. Leveraging on this, both Malaysia and Singapore have built enviable reputations as leading venues for international arbitration. More recently however, a renewed emphasis on international commercial litigation and the focus on mediation as a complement to arbitration having brought new options to the table. Meanwhile, investment treaty arbitration presents a further but increasingly controversial alternative. The question facing international businesses today is therefore whether these developments represent viable choices for effective resolution of international disputes, or if they have limited relevance in practice.

The seminar will be presented by Alastair Henderson and Emmanuel Chua of Herbert Smith Freehills LLP in Singapore. It will aim to equip counsel with practical knowledge needed to make an informed decision on the appropriate dispute resolution mechanism to adopt for international transactions. This will be followed by a panel discussion involving a prominent judge, in-house counsel and external counsel, who will each provide their unique perspectives on the factors to look out for in deciding on an appropriate dispute resolution option.

## MARK YOUR<br/>CALENDAROBTHTHURSDAY<br/>2015TIME6PM-7:30PM

VENUE SEMINAR ROOM 1, Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration

BANGUNAN SULAIMAN, JALAN SULTAN HISHAMUDDIN, Kuala lumpur, malaysia.

ADMISSION IS FREE. LIMITED SEATS AVAILABLE.

## PROGRAMME

5:30 PM Registration
6:00 PM May The Odds Be Ever in Your Favour -Selecting the Most Appropriate Dispute Resolution Forum for your International Investments by Alastair Henderson, Head of International Arbitration Practice in South East Asia, Herbert Smith Freehills LLP & Emmanuel Duncan Chua, Senior Associate, Herbert Smith Freehills LLP Panellists:

(i) Chelva Retnam Rajah SC, Partner, Tan, Rajah & Cheah
(ii) Harman Faiz, Head, Group Legal, UEM Group Berhad

- (iii) Lee Shih, Partner, Skrine
- (iv) Ben Olbourne, Barrister, 39 Essex Court

## HOW TO REGISTER AND BY WHEN?

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