Seminar on

An Introduction to International Chamber of Commerce Arbitration

Date: 9 Aug 2011 (Tuesday) **Time:** 9:00 am – 1:00 pm
Venue: Bar Council Auditorium (First Floor)

Registration fees | **Members of the Malaysian Bar/International Chamber of Commerce Malaysia RM80**
Pupils RM40 | Non-Members RM100

Cecil Abraham
Cecil Abraham is an advocate and solicitor, and a chartered arbitrator. He has been involved as arbitrator and counsel in more than 100 commercial arbitrations held under various institutional rules. He also does investment arbitrations and is a member of the International Convention for Settlement of Investment Disputes ("ICSID")'s panel of arbitrators. He has represented the Malaysian Government in an ICSID arbitration, and is presently arbitrating in annulment proceedings under the ICSID Convention. He is a Council Member of the International Council for Commercial Arbitration ("ICCA") and is Bencher of the Honourable Society of Middle Temple. He is also the Chairman of the International Chamber of Commerce ("ICC") Malaysia Arbitration Committee.

Chang Wei Mun
Chang Wei Mun was called to the Malaysian Bar on 18 Nov 1986. He specialises in the area of construction dispute resolution, and has been involved in the dispute resolution process for projects involving, amongst others, international airports, hotels, commercial complexes, water treatment plants, oil rigs, paper mills, waste disposal facilities, major dams, power stations, undersea fibre optic cabling, and land reclamation works. He has arbitrated on most of the local standard forms of building contract, as well as some international and non-standard contracts. To date, he has been involved in over 20 arbitrations, many of which are international in nature.

Chang Wei Mun has also acted as an arbitrator in various international and domestic arbitrations, and is a member of ICC Malaysia's Panel of Arbitrators, Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration ("KLRCA"), and Malaysian Institute of Arbitrators ("MIArb"). He is currently the President of MIArb.

Kirin Shanti Moganasundram
Kirin Shanti Moganasundram's areas of practice include arbitration, commercial and corporate litigation, communications and multimedia, entertainment, enforcement of foreign judgments and arbitral awards, and banking and insolvency.

She has acted in a wide range of disputes both in the High Court and in arbitration proceedings. She has been involved in domestic and international commercial arbitrations held under the KLRCA and United Nations Commission on International Trade Law ("UNCITRAL") Arbitration Rules, Singapore International Arbitration Centre ("SIAC") Rules and ICC's Rules of Arbitration. She also regularly handles commercial disputes in court and has been involved in a number of cases reported in Malaysian law reports.

Rajendra Navaratnam
Rajendra Navaratnam obtained his first degree in Electrical Engineering and started his career as an electrical engineer in the power industry, where he remained for about 10 years, before retraining in law and beginning his legal career in 1988.

Rajendra Navaratnam practises primarily in the areas of construction law and insurance, in both litigation and arbitration. He has appeared as counsel in the Court of Appeal and the Federal Court. He has acted for and has advised insurers on insurance claims with technical content, in addition to employers, contractors and subcontractors on construction issues.

He also sits as an arbitrator in construction and other disputes in both international and domestic arbitrations. He is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators ("CIArb"), England, and is a chartered arbitrator.

Wong Chong Wah
Wong Chong Wah graduated with a LLB (Hons) from the University of Singapore. He was admitted as an advocate and solicitor of the High Court of Malaya in 1969. He was admitted to the Singapore Bar in 1991 and the Brunei Bar in 1996. He has conducted numerous cases, of which at least 60 have been featured in the Malaysian Law Journal and other law reports. He has acted as counsel in a constitutional tribunal specifically set up to inquire into alleged judicial misconduct. He has also acted in several arbitration proceedings involving construction contracts, and for various financial institutions in relation to a wide range of litigation matters such as local incorporation, mergers and takeovers. He is also an ICC Court Member for Malaysia.

Vinayak P Pradhan
Vinayak P Pradhan is a chartered arbitrator. He is the Vice-President of CIArb and a Vice-Chairman of the ICC Commission on Arbitration. He is on the ICSID Panel of Conciliators and Arbitrators, and is a member of the Permanent Court of Arbitration and the Court of Arbitration for Sport. He was a Commissioner with the United Nations Compensation Commission from 1998 to 2003. He has sat as presiding arbitrator, co-arbitrator and sole arbitrator in numerous international arbitrations conducted *ad hoc*, as well as under various rules, including the ICC Rules, SIAC Rules, KLRCA and UNCITRAL Arbitration Rules, London Court of International Arbitration ("LCIA") Rules and Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre ("HKIAC") Rules.

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Programme

09:00 am	Registration
09:30 am	**Welcome and Opening Remarks** by: ◆ WSW Davidson *Chairperson* *Bar Council Arbitration Subcommittee* ◆ Cecil Abraham *Chairman* *ICC Malaysia Arbitration Committee*
09:40 am	**Commencing an Arbitration** by Rajendra Navaratnam *Advocate and Solicitor*
10:10 am	Coffee Break
10:30 am	**The Arbitral Tribunal** by Chang Wei Mun *Advocate and Solicitor*
11:00 am	**Arbitral Proceedings and the ICC Arbitration Commission** by Vinayak P Pradhan *Vice-President, CIArb;* *Vice-Chairman, ICC Arbitration Commission*
11:30 am	**Terms of Reference, Procedural Timetable and Interim Measures** by Kirin Shanti Moganasundram *Advocate and Solicitor*
Noon	**Awards and the Role of the ICC Court** by Wong Chong Wah *ICC Court Member for Malaysia*
12:30 pm	**Q & A** **Closing Remarks** by WSW Davidson and Cecil Abraham
01:00 pm	Lunch

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Payment can be made by cheque or cash. Cheques should be made payable to **"Bar Council"**. Payment by cash can be made at the ground floor of the Bar Council Secretariat. Registration will be confirmed once full payment is received.

All payments must be made in advance of the event. There will be no refunds if cancellations are made after **5 Aug 2011 (Friday)**, but substitutions are allowed. All cancellations have to be done by email or facsimile.

There are limited places available and registration is on a first-come, first-served basis. Completed forms are to be forwarded to:

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