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Investor-State Dispute Settlement (ISDS)

Protecting foreign investments and defending sovereign interests under international treaties.

Treaty Claims (BITs & MAs)

Arbitration under Bilateral Investment Treaties and Multilateral Agreements.

Recent Instructions:

OIC Treaty Arbitration

Representation in UNCITRAL proceedings under the OIC treaty between a Jordanian investor and an EMEA State.

Dutch Holding Claim

Counsel in ICSID proceedings under a BIT between a Dutch holding conglomerate and an EMEA State.

Chinese Technology Claim

Representation in ICSID proceedings under a BIT between a Chinese technology conglomerate and an EMEA State.

Indian Manufacturing Claim

Counsel in UNCITRAL proceedings under a BIT between an Indian manufacturer and an EMEA State.

US Developer Claim

Representation in ICSID proceedings under a BIT between a US major developer and an EMEA State.

Indirect Expropriation

Advising a sovereign State on defense strategies against claims of indirect expropriation of industrial assets.

Fair & Equitable Treatment

Formulating claims regarding the breach of Fair and Equitable Treatment (FET) standards for a tech investor.

Sovereign & Government Disputes

Resolving commercial and administrative conflicts involving State entities.

Recent Instructions:

Tariff Dispute

Counsel to a domestic public utilities company in a dispute with the Federal government over tariff implementations.

Administrative Dispute

Counsel to a free zone authority in a sensitive administrative dispute with the Federal government.

Permit Revocation

Counsel to an education services provider vis-à-vis a licensing authority for the revocation of operating permits.

Oil Field Operator Dispute

Representation of a heavy civil contractor in a turnkey project dispute with a State-owned oil field operator.

Jordan Government Dispute

Representation in a construction dispute between a Jordanian contractor and a government agency.

Emergency Arbitration

Representation in emergency arbitration proceedings between a construction firm and a State entity.

Public Procurement Dispute

Counsel on a heavy civil engineering contractor on a turnkey project dispute arising from a public tender.

Procedural Strategy & Enforcement

Expert management of the arbitration lifecycle, from emergency measures to enforcement.

Recent Instructions:

Multi-Jurisdictional Set Aside

Advising a multi-jurisdictional contractor on setting aside an arbitration award in multiple jurisdictions simultaneously.

Third-Party Funding Enforcement

Enforcement of arbitral awards against third-party project bank guarantees in a major infrastructure project.

Injunction Defense

Advising a large holding company on defending against injunctions in London, New York, and the UAE regarding arbitral assets.

Arbitral Award Assignment

Expert opinion on the validity of assigning arbitration awards to third-party funders under Civil Law.

Sham Arbitration Defense

Expert evidence in the UK courts regarding “sham” arbitration agreements and deemed submission to jurisdiction

Emergency Procedures

Handling cryptocurrency arbitration in a click-wrap context utilizing emergency arbitrator procedures.

Stay of Enforcement

Expert declaration on the effect of a stay of enforcement pending Cassation Court rulings.

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Construction & Engineering

Resolving disputes in major infrastructure, energy, and development projects.

Infrastructure & Transport

Disputes arising from mega-projects, roads, dredging, and heavy industry.

Recent Instructions:

USD 1.5 Billion Steel Dispute

Representation in a dispute between a steel supplier and an Italian main contractor related to a mega-project.

GCC Infrastructure Fraud

Managing a multi-jurisdictional fraud supply claim related to a major infrastructure project for an Indian claimant.

Performance Bond Injunction

Prevention of a performance bond liquidation for a USD 40 million project against a major contractor.

Dredging Project Seizure

Removal of court asset seizures against vessels related to a major dredging and marine infrastructure project.

Turnkey Civil Engineering

Counsel to a heavy civil engineering contractor on a turnkey project dispute involving complex delay analysis.

Extension of Time (EOT) Claims

Preparation of a comprehensive EOT claim in a major construction project involving concurrent delay issues.

Project Bank Guarantees

Enforcement of arbitral awards against third-party project bank guarantees major infrastructure project.

Commercial Development

Real estate, hospitality, and mixed-use development conflicts.

Recent Instructions:

Hotel Fit-Out DAB

Representation in Dispute Adjudication Board (DAB) proceedings between a hotel fit-out subcontractor and the main contractor.

Status-Quo Dispute

Litigating a USD 110 million status-quo dispute between a UAE conglomerate and a Malaysian contractor.

Real Estate Investment

Representation in a real estate investment dispute between Polish investors and a hotel developer.

Italian HNW Investment

Counsel in a hotel investment dispute between an Italian HNW investor and a hotel developer.

HNW Developer Dispute

Representation in a hotel development dispute between a HNW developer and an Indian contracting firm.

Agriculture Subcontractor

USD 18 million dispute between an agriculture subcontractor

and an Australian main contractor.

MEP Knock-for-Knock

Risk assessment on a knock-for-knock arrangement in a USD 30 million subcontract for MEP works.

Energy & Industrial Projects

Conflicts in the oil, gas, manufacturing, and utilities sectors.

Recent Instructions:

Yemen War Insurance Claim

The first insurance dispute arising out of the Yemen War valued at USD 30 million for a global O&G supplier.

Energy Servicer Due Diligence

Due diligence for a leading energy servicer on conservation and guaranteed energy savings projects.

Utilities Tariff Dispute

USD 30 million tax and tariff dispute for an energy utility company arising from government-mandated markdowns.

Tobacco Plant Wastage

USD 120 million tax dispute for a tobacco manufacturer arising from production moisture loss and wastage.

State Oil Operator

Counsel to a contractor in a dispute with a State oil field operator regarding scope creep and variation orders.

Industrial Supply Chain

Dispute between a global electronics manufacturer and a retailer over distribution and industrial supply.

Barge Vessel Sale

Dispute over the sale of a barge vessel between East Asian and South Asian parties for industrial use.

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Commercial & Sectoral Arbitration

Specialized dispute resolution for insurance, technology, and transport sectors.

Insurance & Reinsurance

Coverage disputes, D&O liability, and war risk claims.

Recent Instructions:

War Risk Coverage

Advising on the first insurance dispute arising out of the Yemen War valued at USD 30 million for a global Oil & Gas supplier.

D&O Liability

Insurance dispute between a HNW individual and a global insurer regarding Directors & Officers (D&O) insurance coverage.

Construction Risk

Insurance arbitration between a large construction firm and a major insurer regarding project all-risk policies.

API & Insurance Funds

Complex claims concerning the adequacy and deployment of insurance funds in the context of high-frequency trading platforms.

Medical Malpractice/Product Liability

Due diligence for the acquisition of a manufacturer of lifesaving IV solutions involving liability insurance assessments.

Launch Liability Coverage

Advising on liability exposure and insurance coverage for cross-border launch operations in the space sector.

Policy Interpretation

Advisory on policy interpretation for “all-risk” construction insurance in the Middle East.

Technology & Telecommunications

Disputes regarding IT implementation, data, and orbital spectrum.

Recent Instructions:

Cloud System Implementation

Risk assessment to a global retailer on executing a cloud distributed order management system.

Automated Tech Provider

Counsel on region-wide transactional and dispute considerations for a US automated technology provider.

Data Localization Compliance

Counsel on e-commerce compliance for data localization, cybersecurity, and e-authentication disputes.

Misrepresentation Claims

USD 40 million dispute between an institutional investor and a pharmaceutical firm for misrepresentation of proprietary technology.

Space Spectrum Coordination

Advising a US satellite manufacturer on spectrum coordination and International Telecommunication Union filings.

System Failure Liability

Arbitration regarding platform liability for system failures, API malfunctions, and flash crashes.

Telecoms Infrastructure

Advising on disputes regarding the rollout of non-geostationary satellite stations in a Gulf state.

Aviation & Transport

Aerospace, maritime, and logistics dispute resolution.

Recent Instructions:

Aircraft Manufacturing

Representation in an aviation dispute between a US aircraft manufacturer and a UAE buyer.

Drone Acquisition

Advising an Asian defense firm on the acquisition and legal operation of advanced unmanned aerial drones.

Space Tourism Claim

Counseled a Space Tourist on a discriminatory arbitration claim against a major US space tourism firm.

Launch Services Liability

Counseled a European launch services provider on cross-border launch operations and liability exposure.

Vessel Seizure

Court proceedings for the seizure of a vessel in satisfaction of a charter debt.

Charter Party Guarantees

Claim against the guarantor of a charter party agreement in the maritime sector.

Aviation Rights (Track I)

Engaged in Track I dialogue with South East government for APAC government on aviation rights.