WELCOME

CIarb President
I wish to extend a warm welcome to all those attending the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators International Conference 2010, which the Irish Branch is hosting this Autumn in Dublin.

This conference affords us the opportunity to witness first hand the vast experience and expertise of many noted and informed experts in the ADR field. From an attendee’s perspective, you can gain from this wealth of knowledge, keeping you right up to date with worldwide developments in ADR.

Participation is the key to our conference and we are providing question and answer opportunities within each session.

Ireland is a country rich in culture, noted for its friendliness and its capital Dublin is a multi-cultural city.

To our overseas guests and to all attendees I look forward to meeting you at the conference.

Céad mile Fáilte
Joe Behan, CIarb President

CIarb Irish Branch Chairman

It is an honour for the Irish Branch of the Institute to host the President’s Event and we are looking forward to meeting many old and new friends.

The event will enable you not only to keep up with the latest trends in ADR Internationally, but will provide a very worthwhile networking opportunity with colleagues from diverse backgrounds, all of whom share an interest in ADR.

We look forward to welcoming you all to Dublin in September and will do our best to ensure that your stay is as enjoyable and informative as possible.

Terence O’Keeffe, Chairman CIarb Irish Branch

Conference Fee:

Members: €300.00
Inclusive of VAT
Non Members: €350.00

Conference Fee Includes:
- Pre-conference Reception in Dublin City Hall on Thursday 23 September 6.30-8.00pm (all guests and partners are welcome to this pre-conference event)
- Full Day Conference including lunch on Friday 24 September in The Davenport Hotel, 9.00am - 5.00pm
- Gala Dinner in Trinity College on Friday evening 24 September 2010

Gala Dinner Only:
All guests and partners welcome to Gala Dinner at €100.00 per guest.

Conference Fee Only: (those who cannot attend the Gala Dinner) Members: €250 Non Members: €300.00

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THURSDAY 23 SEPTEMBER PRE-CONFERENCE RECEPTION
6.30-8.00pm Pre Conference Reception—Dublin City Hall All partners and guests are welcome.

FRIDAY 24 SEPTEMBER CONFERENCE PROGRAMME
9.00-5.00pm Full Day Conference
9.00-9.20 Opening by
Mr. Terence O’Keeffe, CIarb Irish Branch Chairman
Mr. Joe Behan, CIarb President
The Hon. Mrs. Justice Fidelma Macken, Judge of Supreme Court Ireland
9.20-10.50 Session 1
Mr Chris Dancaster What did the UK get right (and wrong) with Construction Adjudication
Ms Bertha Cooper-Rousseau ADR in the Caribbean
Dr Axel Reeg Arbitration & ADR In Continental Europe
Q & A
10.50-11.10 Coffee Break
11.10-12.20 Session 2
Mr Justice Roderick Murphy A View from the High Court
Professor Dr Nael Bouri ADR in the Middle East
Q & A
12.20-12.50 Session 3
Mr Max Abrahamson Interviewed by Mr. Anthony Hussey
12.50-2.00 Lunch
2.00-3.30 Session 4
Mrs Justice Catherine McGuinness Mediation/Conciliation The Law Reform Commission Proposals
Mr Alan LImbury Med-Arb-Med
Q & A
3.30-4.15 Coffee
3.45-4.45 Session 5
Mr Chandrakant Kamdar Arbitration In Asia
Mr Thomas Halket A View from the USA
Q & A
4.45-5.00 Closing

GALA DINNER
7.30pm The Dining Hall, Trinity College Dublin

CONFERENCE OFFICIALLY OPENED BY The Hon Mrs Justice Fidelma Macken Judge of Supreme Court Ireland

Mrs Justice Macken was appointed a Judge of the High Court in 1998 and in 1999 became the first woman appointed a Judge of the European Court of Justice (ECJ), where she served until October 2004. She appointed to the Supreme Court in 2005. Mrs Justice Macken is a Bench of the Honorable Society of King’s Inns and an Honorary Bencher of Middle Temple London. She was the first Averil Dewerrell Lecturer in Law at Trinity College Dublin, and has been a guest lecturer at Kings College London, as well as at the University of Pittsburgh and at Georgetown University Law School in the United States and in Florence, Italy, at the University of Ljubljana, Slovenia, and at several other universities. In 2003 she was invited to become the Global Hauser Fellow at New York University. She was also a Member of the Editorial Board of the Irish Intellectual Property Review (IPR), and of the Company Law Review Commission. She has been a member of the Board of Trustees of the Academy of European Law (ERA), Trier, Germany, and since 2005 has been a member of the Permanent Court of Arbitration in The Hague. In 2008 Mrs Justice Macken was appointed by the Council of the European Communities as a Member of the Selection panel for the nomination of judges to the Staff Tribunal of the Institutions of the European Communities.

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