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PROGRAMME



A seminar organised by
Singapore Institute of Architects

SIA EXPERT DETERMINATION SEMINAR

Date : 10 Dec 2010, Friday
Venue : SINGAPORE INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
 SIA THEATRETTE - LEVEL 1
 79 NEIL ROAD S(088904)
Time : 2.00PM - 5.00PM

PROGRAMME

1.30pm	Registration
2.00pm	Welcome Remarks by SIA
2.05pm	Presentation by Teresa Ee Huei Ping
3.00pm	Tea Break
3.30pm	Presentation by Naresh Mahtani
4.30pm	Question and answers
5.00pm	End of Seminar

SIA Member	S\$ 50.00
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SYNOPSIS

Teresa Ee and Naresh Mahtani will speak on why Expert Determination is a useful tool for resolving certain kinds of disputes for the building and construction fraternity.

Currently, where disputes and differences between parties remained unresolved beyond the first tiered decisions by contract administrators (such as those by the Architect under the SIA Form), parties have the further options of referring such issues to arbitration, mediation, statutory adjudication or the courts.

However, sometimes these dispute resolution processes are not necessarily the most cost-effective and efficient ways for resolving certain kinds of disputes, such as specific technical engineering and construction issues or questions (such as those relating to defects or compliance with technical specifications). In such instances, Expert Determination may provide a faster and inexpensive alternative, and will complement and support the current ADR regime in Singapore, as it has in various other countries, notably in Australia and England.

Naresh and Teresa will amongst other things, refer to the experience in other jurisdictions, the positions of the courts in relation to expert determination, its relationships and co-existence with arbitration and adjudication, as well as give a brief introduction to the draft Rules for Expert Determination being developed by the Singapore Institute of Architects.

SPEAKERS PROFILE



**Teresa
Ee Huei Ping**

Teresa Ee Huei Ping, MSc, B Arch, LLB, FCI Arb, FSI Arb, MSIA, is a construction practitioner with extensive involvement in the world of alternative dispute resolutions. With her years of prior service in the Institute's Contracts and ADR Committee, she took up the chair of the Expert Determination Sub-Committee since its formation in 2008. Teresa is an accredited adjudicator with the Singapore Mediation Centre and a panel arbitrator with the Singapore Institute of Architects and Singapore Institute of Arbitrators. She has served as arbitrator, adjudicator and mediator pursuant to various institutional and ad-hoc ADR rules. Teresa is currently the Director, PPP & Projects at the UGL Premas Ltd.

Naresh Mahtani, FCI Arb, FSI Arb, has been in active legal practice for 28 years in regional and international construction projects, oil and gas projects, commercial transactions and dispute resolution, as counsel as well as arbitrator and adjudicator in various cases in Singapore and the region (including India, Indonesia, Malaysia and Brunei). He is a founding partner of ATMD Bird & Bird LLP, at which firm he is now a practising consultant for projects and dispute resolution.



Naresh Mahtani

He was the former Chairman of the Society of Construction Law, Singapore (2006-2008) and has served as council member on the Singapore Institute of Arbitrators and as CEO of the Law Society of Singapore for several years. Amongst various appointments relating to dispute resolution, he has been appointed as arbitrator in SIAC and ICC cases; and is on the Disputes & Compensation Resolution Panel of Singapore Wholesale Electricity Market; adjudicator in the Financial Industry Dispute Resolution Panel (Fidrec) as well as an accredited Adjudicator with the Singapore Mediation Centre. He is currently engaged as the draftsman of the proposed Rules for Expert Determination for the Singapore Institute of Architects, and writes and speaks regularly at seminars relating to arbitrations and dispute resolution in the construction industry.

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