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As an experienced arbitration practitioner, Jonathan has advised and represented clients in arbitrations conducted under most of the major institutional rules, including the Singapore International Arbitration Centre (SIAC) Rules, the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC) Rules, the London Court of International Arbitration (LCIA) Rules and the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL) Rules. Jonathan is a Director and Hon. Secretary of the Singapore Branch of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators. He is also a member of several other professional institutions, including the Singapore Institute of Arbitrators and the Chartered Institute of Building. He regularly speaks at conferences, events and in-house client seminars on current topics relating to dispute resolution, arbitration and non-marine insurance.

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