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Mr Richard TAN is a national of Singapore and practices as a full time arbitrator.

He is qualified to practise law in Singapore, England and Wales. He was called to the Singapore bar in 1980 and has had 35 years' experience in the law. He is a Chartered Arbitrator (UK Chartered Institute of Arbitrators), a Fellow of the CI Arb and a Fellow of the Singapore Institute of Arbitrators. He is also a consultant to Morgan Lewis Stamford.

He is regarded as a leading Asian arbitrator and has served as sole arbitrator, party-appointed arbitrator and chairman or president of arbitral tribunals, as well as an emergency arbitrator, in numerous international arbitrations. He has been appointed in arbitrations under various institutional rules, including the SIAC, ICC, AAA/ICDR, HKIAC, LCIA rules as well as in *ad hoc* arbitrations and is on the arbitration panels of many regional and international arbitral bodies including the WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Center, American Arbitration Association/ICDR, Singapore International Arbitration Centre, Korean Commercial Arbitration Board, National Board of Arbitration Indonesia (BANI), the Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre of Arbitration, the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, the Singapore Law Society, SIAC-Singapore Stock Exchange-Derivatives Trading, the Singapore Contractors Association, the Singapore Institute of Architects and others. He is also on the WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Centre panels for domain name, film and media, FRAND and AGICOA disputes and on the SMC panel for domain name disputes under the Singapore Domain Name Dispute Resolution Policy. He is on the SIAC panel of arbitrators for emergency relief (Emergency Arbitrator panel).

He has extensive experience in arbitration and dispute resolution work in Asia and internationally, involving construction and engineering, commercial, energy, joint ventures, shareholders agreements, corporate, technology, intellectual property, media and entertainment law. His work has involved arbitrations under the substantive or procedural laws of Singapore, Malaysia, PRC, Hongkong, Indonesia, India, Bangladesh, Vietnam, Thailand, Myanmar, Brunei, Korea, Japan, Philippines, Mauritius, New Caledonia, Australia, many countries in Europe as well as the Middle East and the United States of America.

Mr Tan has held various appointments, including the following:

- Chairman of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, Singapore Branch
- President of the Singapore Institute of Arbitrators
- Director on the Board of the Singapore International Arbitration Centre
- Adjunct Associate Professor at the National University of Singapore and a faculty member on the NUS-Kings College MSc programme on Construction Law and Arbitration
- Practice and Standards Committee of the CI Arb and chair of the Professional Development committee of the CI Arb Singapore Branch
- Advisory Board member to the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development on a programme for dispute resolution
- Advisory board member of the Singapore Film Commission
- Honorary legal adviser to the Singapore Contractors Association, the Singapore Institute of Architects and the Singapore Film Commission
- Member of the Singapore National Research Foundation legal task force on Interactive and Digital Media
- Chairman of the Legal Commission, Singapore Red Cross Society
- Vice-Chairman AIPPI Singapore group.
- Member of various committees of arbitral institutions on the drafting of rules and on ethics.
- Assessor, examiner and course director on international arbitration courses conducted by the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators, including the Fellowship workshops and award-writing modules, tutor in the World Intellectual Property Organization's courses and workshops, and has conducted arbitration training and courses in many countries.

He has been recognized by many legal directories as an expert and a leading individual in the field of international arbitration and dispute resolution.

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