



2nd SCMA India Arbitration Conference

SYNOPSIS:

The value of an arbitration is in the effective enforcement of an arbitral award. This may prove challenging when enforcing an arbitral award across different borders and foreign jurisdictions. The 2nd SCMA India Conference will gather international legal practitioners from key Indian trading partners and discuss their experiences in enforcing awards in their respective jurisdictions.

SPEAKERS:

- Opening Address : Mr Dennis Chan, Executive Director, SCMA
Singapore/Malaysia : Mr Jainil Bhandari, Partner, Rajah & Tann Singapore LLP
Hong Kong/China : Mr Lianjun Li, Partner, ReedSmith Richards Butler
Indonesia : Mr Bama Djokonugroho , Budidjaja International Lawyers
India : Mr Amitava Majumdar, Managing Partner, Bose & Mitra & Co.

WHEN:

10 November 2017 (Friday)
3.00pm to 6.00pm
Dinner & Drinks to follow

LIMITED SEATS AVAILABLE

Please register your interest by
06 November 2017 to
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WHERE:

Vivanta by Taj—President
90 Cuffe Parade
Mumbai, India
Maharashtra 400005

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Mr Jainil Bhandari

Partner, Rajah & Tann Singapore LLP

Jainil Bhandari is qualified to practice law in Singapore and Malaysia and has been in active litigation and arbitration practice since 1989, appearing in both the Singapore and Malaysian courts and in ad hoc as well as institutional commercial arbitrations administered under SIAC, SCMA, KLRCA, LMAA and UNCITRAL Rules. He is also experienced in arbitrations administered by various trade bodies such as GAFTA, FOSFA and PORAM. He specializes in shipping and trading disputes relating among other matters to bills of lading, charterparties and transportation contracts, offshore construction projects, marine insurance, shipping casualties and international commodity contracts.

Jainil was an adjunct tutor for the basic advocacy course at the National University of Singapore from 1990 to 1997. In addition, he tutors Admiralty law for the Preparatory Course Leading to Part B of the Singapore Bar Examinations (formerly known as the Postgraduate Practical Law Course).

Jainil has been consistently ranked as a leading lawyer in shipping law by Asia Legal Pacific 500, Chambers Global – The World’s Leading Lawyers, AsiaLaw Profiles and Who’s Who Legal: Singapore.



Mr Lianjun Li

Partner, Reed Smith Richards Butler LLP

Lianjun Li is a partner and the head of Shipping and Trade Litigation Practice of Reed Smith Richards Butler. He qualified as a solicitor in Hong Kong, England and Wales in 2002. He has extensive experience in dealing with shipping matters (charter parties, ship purchase and sale, bill of lading and cargo disputes, P&I matters and ship casualties), international trade and commodity disputes, documentary credit issues, international commercial and shipping arbitration and in practical and legal aspects of doing business, negotiation and litigation in China.

He is a fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators and a Member of Panel Arbitrators of Hong Kong Law Society. He is also a listed or panel arbitrator in many well-known arbitration institutions including the Hong Kong International Arbitrator Centre, the China International Economic Arbitration Commission, China Maritime Arbitration Commission, Shanghai International Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission, South China Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission, Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration, Singapore Chamber of Maritime Arbitration and Arbitration Centre Across the Straits.

He is a visiting professor of Dalian Maritime University, Shanghai Maritime University, Jimei University and Korean University. He also serves as a member of Hong Kong Maritime and Port Board.

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Mr Bama Djokonugroho

Senior Associate, Budidjaja International Lawyers

Bama is a well-rounded lawyer with extensive experience working on legal matter in government institution, law firms and in multi-national company. Currently, Bama's practice areas including Commercial Dispute Resolution, Environment, Insurance & Re-Insurance, International Trade & Customs as well as Aviation & Shipping.

He has successfully represented numerous domestic and multi-national companies in proceedings before Indonesian National Board of Arbitration (Badan Arbitrase Nasional Indonesia/BANI) and Indonesian courts, in wide ranging matters from general commercial issues, trade secret disputes, vessel collisions to complex subsea construction disputes. On the non-contentious side, he advised and assisted his clients on various issues, inter alia, contract negotiations, company acquisitions, regulatory compliance issues and mitigation of potential regulatory breach.

Bama has been regularly invited as speaker for international seminars and conferences at various countries across South East Asian. He is also a regular Indonesian contributor for "International Comparative Legal Guide: Shipping Law" since 2016, as well as the World Bank's "Doing Business" project since 2014.

Bama is presently a member of Executive Committee at the Indonesian Independent Mediator and Arbitrator (Mediator dan Arbiter Independen Indonesia/MedArbId). He is a Member at the Indonesian Bar Association (PERADI), and admitted to practice in Indonesian courts.



Mr. Amitava Majumdar (Raja)

Managing Partner, Bose & Mitra & Co

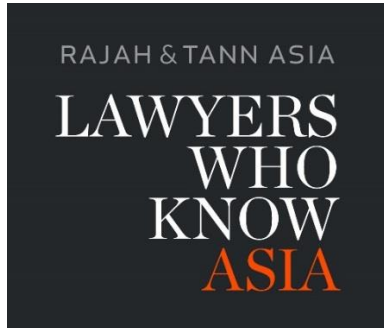
Amitava Majumdar (Raja) is the Managing Partner of Bose & Mitra & Co. which is consistently rated as a band 1 law firm in the category of Shipping by both Chambers & Partners and Legal 500.

He is the legal advisor to the Government of India, representing India at the Legal Committee Meetings held by the IMO and a Trustee of the Maritime Training Trust, chaired by the Director General of Shipping. He is a part of the Maritime Committee of the Indian Council of Arbitration and a member of the SCMA General Committee. He is also involved in a number of International Commercial Arbitrations in London, Singapore and India and various international ship sales and purchases.

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Reed Smith Richards Butler LLP

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Most recently BIL has established a China Practice Group, a division dedicated to providing legal needs for Chinese clients, which consists of highly experienced Chinese speaking lawyers with deep understanding of the Chinese culture ready to assist Chinese companies in solving any of their legal concerns related to Indonesia. Additionally, BIL also offers a range of other legal services and related specialized services such as customs and legal compliance review, asset and anti-counterfeiting investigations, and notary services.



Bose & Mitra & Co.

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