



Workshop on

“Challenges & Opportunities of Arbitration in the SAARC Region with a focus on India

19th May 2018 | Federation House | New Delhi

Tentative Program

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| 10.00 AM – 10.30 AM | Registration |
| Inaugural Session | |
| 10.30 AM – 11.00 AM | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Welcome Address by Mr. Arun Chawla, Advisor, ICA and Deputy Secretary General, FICCI• Special Address by Mrs. Uma Sekhar, Joint Secretary, Legal & Treaties Division, Ministry of External Affairs, Govt. of India• Keynote Address by the Chief Guest Mr. Suresh Chandra, Secretary, Department of Legal Affairs, Ministry of Law & Justice, Government of India• Concluding Remarks by Mr. Zahidullah Jalali, Director General, SAARC Arbitration Council (SARCO) |
| 11.00 AM – 11.15 AM | Tea Break |
| Session I: Arbitration in the SAARC Region | |
| 11.15 AM – 12.00 NOON | <ul style="list-style-type: none">- SARCO's Role in the SAARC region- Judicial Role in Arbitration field of the SAARC Region <p>Chaired by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ms. Geeta Luthra, Senior Advocate & Vice President, ICA <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Vikramjit Singh Sahney, Padma Shri, Chairman Advisory Council, Former President SAARC CCI & Corporate President, Sun Group *• Mr. Faazaan Mirza, Deputy Director, SARCO• Mr. Anish Wadia, FCI Arb, Independent International Arbitrator, Chambers of Anish Wadia• Mr. Bharatendu Agarwal, Assistant Director Law (Designate) SARCO, Consultant, Law Commission of India |
| Session II: Trends & Challenges in Arbitration | |
| 12.00 NOON – 1.00 PM | Open Floor Discussion Chaired by: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Lalit Bhasin, Bhasin & Co., Advocates <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Suman Jyoti Khaitan, Advocate & Managing Partner, Khaitan & Partners• Mr. Tejas Karia, Partner, Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas & Co |
| 1.00 PM – 2.00 PM | Lunch |