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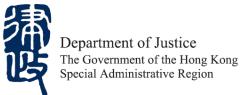
## **Programme**

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Workshop on Dispute Resolution Lima, Peru 26 February 2016







APEC Strengthening Economic and Legal Infrastructure Workshop on

## Dispute resolution – the key to efficient settlement of business disputes Lima, Peru 26 February 2016

Organized by the Department of Justice of Hong Kong, China in collaboration with the UNCITRAL Secretariat

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Time	Session	Speaker
8:30 a.m.	Registration	
9:00 a.m.	Opening	Welcome Remarks
		Mr. Rory McLeod, Chair, APEC Economic Committee, Director, Ministry of Economic Development, New Zealand Introduction:  Dr. James Ding, Coordinator, SELI, Deputy Principal Covernment Counsel
		Deputy Principal Government Counsel, Department of Justice, Hong Kong, China
9:10 a.m.	Keynote speech	Mr. Renaud Sorieul, Secretary, UNCITRAL

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9:40 a.m.	International Commercial Arbitration – legislative perspective	Moderator: Mr. Peter Wong, Deputy Solicitor General, Department of Justice, Hong Kong, China (with experience sharing on the adoption and application of the UNCITRAL Model Law on International Commercial Arbitration in Hong Kong, China) Speaker: Mr. Jae Sung Lee, Legal Officer, UNCITRAL Secretariat: UNCITRAL and its text on International Commercial Arbitration
10:35 a.m.	Questions and Answers	
10:50 a.m.	Coffee Break	
11:05 a.m.	International Commercial Arbitration – practical perspective	Moderator: Ms Andrea Ortiz Venegas, General Directorate for International Economic Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Chile Speakers:  Mr. Anthony Houghton, SC, Member of the Special Committee on Alternative Dispute Resolution, Hong Kong Bar Association: Overview of Hong Kong Arbitration  Mr. Richard Leung, Chairperson, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (East Asia Branch): Arbitration and Forum Shopping in the Seat  Mr. Samuel Wong, President, Hong Kong Institute of Arbitrators: Deal Clinching Dispute Resolution Clause  Ms Sylvia Siu, Council Member, The Law Society of Hong Kong: Practical Tips on Commencement of Arbitration
12:30 p.m.	Questions and Answers	

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12:45 p.m.	Lunch hosted by the Department of Justice of Hong Kong, China at Delphos Bistro restaurant of Delfines Hotel & Casino	
2:05 p.m.	Other Forms of Dispute Resolution	Moderator: Mr. William Brydie-Watson, Legal Officer, The International Institute for the Unification of Private Law (UNIDROIT)  Speakers:  Mr. Jae Sung Lee, Legal Officer, UNCITRAL Secretariat: Work of UNCITRAL in the field of mediation and conciliation  Mr. Michael Dennis, Executive Director, Department of State Advisory Committee on Private International Law, USA: Commercial Justice in a Digital World - Online Dispute Resolution  Ms Cecilia Wong, Council Member, The Law Society of Hong Kong: Choose Mediation to resolve commercial disputes
3:25 p.m.	Questions and Answers	
3:40 p.m.	Coffee Break	
3:50 p.m.	Investor- State Arbitration	Moderator: Mr. Renaud Sorieul, Secretary, UNCITRAL (with presentation on Note on the United Nations Convention on Transparency in Treaty-based Investor-State Arbitration) Speakers: Mr. Martin Doe Rodriguez, Senior Legal Counsel, Permanent Court of Arbitration: The Permanent Court of Arbitration and the Investor-State dispute settlement system Mr. Anthony Houghton, SC, Member of the Appointments Committee, Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre: Investor-State Arbitration in Asia

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4:50 p.m.	Question and Answers	
5:05 p.m.	Conclusions and Recommendations	Co-Moderators:  Mr. Jae Sung Lee, Legal Officer, UNCITRAL Secretariat  Dr. James Ding, Coordinator, SELI, Deputy Principal Government Counsel, Department of Justice, Hong Kong, China
5:25-5:30 p.m.	Closing	Dr. James Ding, Coordinator, SELI, Deputy Principal Government Counsel, Department of Justice, Hong Kong, China

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