

# ADNDRC CONFERENCE 2009

Friday, 22 May 2009 | Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong

# **Organisers**





## Co-Organisers





# Supporting Organisations:

- Hong Kong Institute of Trademark Practitioners
- Internet society Hong Kong Chapter
- Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration
- Hong Kong Computer Society
- Licensing Executives Society China

In view of the increasing needs for speedy and effective resolution for domain name and other intellectual property (IP) related disputes in the Asia region, the Asian Domain Name Dispute Resolution Centre (ADNDRC) will be organising an annual conference on Friday, 22 May 2009 at the Grand Hyatt Hotel Hong Kong. The conference will highlight the salient issues pertaining to intellectual property and domain name disputes resolution and introduce to the delegates the trend and development of online dispute resolution in the Asia region.

Since 2005, ADNDRC Conference has been successfully organised annually around the Asia-Pacific region, including Kuala Lumpur, Hong Kong, Beijing and Seoul. We believe that this year's Conference will attract a considerable number of members from these associations as well as many other professionals from the international community. The event will undoubtedly provide a unique and unrivalled forum, bringing together in-house counsels, barristers, solicitors, arbitrators, mediators, domain name experts, and senior executives of major local and international corporations.



# ASIAN DOMAIN NAME Dispute resolution centre

A charitable institution limited by guarantee registered in Hong Kong

The Asian Domain Name Dispute Resolution Centre (ADNDRC) is a charitable institution limited by guarantee and registered in Hong Kong. It is a joint undertaking by the China International Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission (CIETAC), the Hong Kong International

Arbitration Centre (HKIAC) and the Korean Internet Address Dispute Resolution Committee (KIDRC). The ADNDRC is one of four (4) approved providers in the world and the first and only one located in Asia, of dispute resolution services in regards to generic top level domain names (gTLDs), which are the top level domains approved by the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN), which appointed the ADNDRC as a domain name dispute provider on 3 December 2001.

The domains in regards to which the ADNDRC will act as a domain name dispute resolution provider include all gTLDs: -

.aero, .asia, .biz, .cat, .com, .coop, .info, .jobs, .mobi, .museum, .name, .net, .org, .pro, .tel and .travel

Since its formation, the Asian Domain Name Dispute Resolution Centre has developed to meet the growing need for domain name dispute resolution and is now recognised as one of the world's leading online dispute resolution providers.



Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre (HKIAC) was established by a group of the leading business and professional people in Hong Kong to be the focus for Asia of dispute resolution in 1985. It has been generously funded by

the business community and by the HKSAR Government but it is totally independent of both and it is financially self sufficient. HKIAC aims to assist disputing parties to solve their disputes by arbitration and by other means of dispute resolution. The HKIAC places great emphasis in providing online dispute resolution services in a wide variety of areas including intellectual property and information technology.



#### 中国国际经济贸易仲裁委员会 CHINA INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC AND TRADE ARBITRATION COMMISSION

China International Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission (CIETAC) is the leading international commercial arbitration institution in China, with its headquarters in Beijing. It was originally established in April

1956 within the China Council for the Promotion of International Trade. In keeping with the modernisation of China's economic and trade development the organisation was reorganised and took on its current name in 1988. In 1989, CIETAC established a Sub-Commission in Shenzen and in 1990 a Sub-Commission was established in Shanghai. Its current Panel of Arbitrators, selected and appointed from among Chinese and foreigners with special knowledge and practical experience in trade and economics, science and technology, law and other fields, contains 518 arbitrators who come from more than 30 countries and regions around the world. The foreign arbitrators and the arbitrators from the Hong Kong SAR, the Macau SAR and Taiwan amount to 174. Up to now, CIETAC has concluded over 10,000 cases and become one of the well-known international arbitration institutions in the world. CIETAC is one of two, the other being HKIAC, domain name dispute resolution providers for .cn.



KIDRC previously known as Internet address Dispute Resolution Committee (IDRC) was established in 2002, with the aim of settling disputes on the Internet pertaining to Internet address. The National Internet Development Agency of Korea ("NIDA") handles the

administrative affairs of the KIDRC. It currently is the sole dispute resolution provider for .kr.

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# Conference Programme

08:15 ~ 08:45	Registration
08:45 ~ 08:55	Welcome Remarks
08:55 ~ 09:10	Opening Remarks  Peter CHEUNG  Deputy Director of Intellectual Property, Intellectual Property Department, Government of HKSAR
09:10 ~ 09:30	Keynote Speech  YU Jianlong  Vice Chairman & Secretary-General, China International Economic and Trade Arbitration  Commission, China
09:30 ~ 10:10	Protecting Intellectual Property Rights & Domain Name - Strategies & Tips
10:10 ~ 11:10	Key Aspects in Resolution of Domain Name Disputes in Asia > gTLDs > cnTLDs > krTLDs > hkTLDs > Internet Keywords > IDNs
11:10 ~ 11:30	Morning Refreshment Break
11:30 ~ 12:00	Trend of Domain Name Registration in Asia - Insiders' Views from Registrars
12:00 ~ 12:30	Salient Procedural Issues in Domain Name Dispute Resolution - Observations from Dispute Resolution Providers
12:30 ~ 13:30	Conference Luncheon with Keynote Speech  Tim COLE, Chief Registrar Liaison, ICANN, USA
13:30 ~ 14:30	The Three Elements in Domain Name Dispute Resolution - Unspoken Views on Recent UDRP Decision
14:30 ~ 15:15	Court's Jurisdiction & Procedure in Handling Domain Name Disputes in Asia
15:15 ~ 15:30	Afternoon Refreshment Break
15:30 ~ 16:30	Arbitrating & Mediating Intellectual Property Disputes in Asia - Opportunities & Challenges
16:30 ~ 17:10	Online Dispute Resolution & E-Commerce in Asia - Development Since the World Financial Turmoil
17:00 ~ 17:05	Closing Remarks  Gary SOO  Secretary-General, Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre, Hong Kong

# **Confirmed Speakers**

<u>Commune opeaners</u>					
Neil Brown Australia	Peter Bullock Partner, PinsentMasons Hong Kong	Dennis CAI Assistant Secretary-General HKIAC, Hong Kong	Edmon Chung CEO DotAsia Organisation Limited Hong Kong		
Moonchul Chang Professor National Police University Korea	David Kreider General Counsel Vodafone New Zealand Ltd. New Zealand	Scott Donahey USA	Lian Yunze Partner Hylands (Hao Tian) Law Firm Beijing		
Sebastian Hughes Partner Troutman Sanders Hong Kong	William Law Partner, ATW Law Offices Hong Kong	Amy Lee Senior Associate JSM, Hong Kong	Ms. Chloe Lee Partner Stephenson Harwood and Lo Hong Kong		
Mena Lo Partner Wilkinson & Grist Hong Kong	Li Hu Secretary-General ODR & DNDR Centre CIETAC, Beijing	Jonathan Shea CEO, HKIRC & HKDNR Hong Kong	Sun Han Hui Legal Counsel, CNNIC Beijing		
Christopher To Council Member, HKIAC Hong Kong	<b>Joe Thymian</b> Director - Sales and Marketing Melbourne IT, Australia	Olivia Tan Legal Council Kuala Lumpur Regional			

Centre for Arbitration, Malaysia

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\*\* This form is valid for one delegate only. Please make extra copies for additional registrations. \*\*

FEES (incl. conference materials, refreshments and lunch)

Rate	Members <sup>#</sup>	Non-Members				
Early Bird Discount (on / before 9 April 2009)	☐ HK\$2,000	☐ HK\$2,300				
Regular Rate (after 9 April 2009)	☐ HK\$2,300	☐ HK\$2,500				
#Membership includes: Asian Domain Name Dispute Resolution Centre Domain Name Panel / China International Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission / Hong Kong Computer Society / HKIAC Panel of Arbitrator / HKIAC List of Arbitrators / HKIAC .cn, .hk, .pw, .ph Domain Name Dispute Resolution Panels / Hong Kong Institute of Trademark Practitioners / Korea Internet Address Dispute Resolution Committee / Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration / Internet Society Hong Kong Chapter / Licensing Executives Society China						
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- 1. Registration will be confirmed upon receipt of payment.
- 2. Written confirmation will be issued by fax or email.
- 3. The conference programme is subject to change at any time without liability.
- 4. In the event of cancelling the registration, a cancellation notice should be issued in writing by registrant no later than Friday, 8 May 2009 for a full refund of registration fee (less 15% administration charge). We regret that no refunds can be made if a delegate fails to attend without prior notice in writing to the organisers.

Signature:

- The conference will be cancelled if a No. 8 typhoon signal or above is hoisted or the Black storm warning is raised three hours prior to start of the conference.
- To ensure your name will appear in the "List of Delegates" which is available at the conference folder, your registration must be received at the office of the organisers by Tuesday, 19 May 2009 (the latest).