Seminar and Discussion  
on the Need for Revisions of the Finnish Arbitration Act  

Date: 25 January 2018  I  Time: 8:30–11:15 am  I  Place: Restaurant Savoy, Eteläesplanadi 14, 7th floor, Helsinki

Programme

8:30  Registration and Breakfast

9:00–9:05  Welcome  
Heidi Merikalla-Teir  
Secretary General, The Arbitration Institute of the Finland Chamber of Commerce (FAI), Finland

9:05–11:15  Presentations and Discussion

Introduction to the topic  
Mika Savola  
Chair, The Arbitration Institute of the Finland Chamber of Commerce (FAI), Finland

Why Finland should adopt the UNCITRAL Model Law on International Commercial Arbitration  
Christopher R. Seppälä  
Partner, White & Case, France

Experiences of adopting the UNCITRAL Model Law on International Commercial Arbitration in Germany  
Professor Klaus Peter Berger  
University of Cologne  
Board Member and Past President, German Institution of Arbitration (DIS), Germany

The Swedish example does not necessarily apply to Finland in order for Finland to become an attractive place for international arbitrations; economic importance of a future service sector  
Sigvard Jarvin  
Avocat and arbitrator, France (formerly General Counsel of the ICC International Court of Arbitration)

Suggestions for a reform so that Finland could become a Model Law jurisdiction  
Corinne Montineri  
Legal Officer, United Nations Commission on International Trade Law (UNCITRAL), Austria

The Importance of reforming the Finnish Arbitration Act and the next steps  
Professor Tuula Linna  
University of Helsinki, Finland

11:15  Close of the Seminar

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