



The Dispute Resolution Board Foundation
Fostering Common Sense Dispute Resolution Worldwide

DRBF 10th Annual International Conference Workshop Event

May 12-13, 2010

Istanbul, Turkey

The Allocation of Risk and The Duties and Responsibilities of the Dispute Adjudication Board Under FIDIC Contract Conditions

The DRBF will present a two-day workshop in conjunction with its 10th Annual International Conference. This year's workshop intends to deal with basic concepts of risk allocation in all standard FIDIC Conditions of Contracts as well as the handling of claims by the parties and the employer's engineer/representative. Due to the ever increasing use of the Design-Build contracts by employer organizations both in the region and internationally, there will be emphasis on the use of the FIDIC forms for Plant and Design-Build and EPC Turnkey Contracts. The workshop will also examine the duties and responsibilities of the parties, the engineer/employer's representative and the Dispute Adjudication Board to resolve the disputes that commonly arise under FIDIC forms of Contract.

The first day will concentrate the delegate attention to (1) the common risk areas in traditional construction contracts with an emphasis on design and variation risks; (2) the operation of the claim and dispute resolution provisions of the contract and (3) the roles of the engineer and employer's representative under the Design-Build and EPC forms.

On the second day, the workshop will turn attention to (4) the establishment of the Dispute Adjudication Board; (5) the adjudication process starting with informal advice and then procedures for obtaining DAB decisions and finally (6) the effects of DAB decisions under FIDIC standard contract forms.

This training event will be co-sponsored by the DRBF and FIDIC and will be fully CPD and CLE accredited.

Conference and training workshop are open to all construction industry and dispute resolution professionals interested in learning more about the Dispute Board process with an emphasis on best practices and practical experience.

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