

VIAC – QUESTIONNAIRE

1. Name

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2. Date of birth

November 6, 1942

3. Citizenship

German

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5. Current position

Rechtsanwalt and independent arbitrator

6. Education

Universities of Tübingen and München; MBA Institut Européen d'Administration des Affaires (INSEAD), Fontainebleau, France

7. Practiced experience in arbitration:

How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international)?

30 (domestic¹: 12 international²: 18)

Under which Rules?

DIS; ICC; UNCITRAL; VIAC; Slovak Chamber of Commerce and Industry; The Arbitration Association of the Republic of China; Centre de l'Arbitrage de la Chambre Franco-allemande de Commerce et d'industrie

How often have you acted as Chairman?

5

How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator?

9

¹ All parties being either domiciled or having their seat in Germany

² One or more party being either domiciled or having its legal seat outside of Germany

How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator?

12

How often have you acted as Counsel?

4

How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)?

None

8. Publications in arbitration:

- (1) Doing Business in Germany, Abschnitt "Arbitration" in Doing Business in Europe, CCH Editions Limited, 1998 ff (loose leaf), bis 2007
- (2) "German Arbitration Law" in Journal of International Arbitration (JIA) 2001, 579;
- (3) "Schiedsverfahren im Rahmen von Investitionsschutzabkommen der Bundesrepublik Deutschland" in Zeitschrift für Schiedsverfahren/German Arbitration Journal (SchiedsVZ) 2003, 97;
- (4) „Rechtsschutz deutscher Unternehmen in China“ in Recht der Internationalen Wirtschaft (RIW) 2006, 436 (together with Ulrike Glueck);
- (5) „Schnelligkeit und Wirtschaftlichkeit in Schiedsverfahren“ in Zeitschrift für Schiedsverfahren/German Arbitration Journal (SchiedsVZ) 2009, 149 // Spanish Version in La Ley, Nr. 7637 vom 25.05.2011, S. 12 // English Version in Arbitration News, Newsletter of the International Bar Association Legal Practice Division, Vol. 17 (2012) p. 49)
- (6) Deutscher Handelsvertreterausgleich und internationale Schiedsverfahren in Festschrift (Liber amicorum) Wegen (Editors: Cascante, Spahlinger, Wilske), 2015

9. Membership in arbitral institutions / functions in arbitral institutions/organizations:

DIS; Chartered Institute of Arbitrators; Panels of Slovak Chamber of Commerce; Kuala Lumpur Regional Centre for Arbitration

10. Languages

Mother tongue

German

Working languages (i.e. languages in which the undersigned has both a spoken and written command so that he may conduct arbitral proceedings in these languages)

English; French

11. In which legal system have you trained?

German

12. What is your main jurisdiction of practice?

Germany

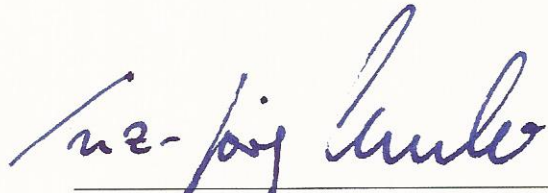
13. Special expertise or specializations (please list a maximum of three):

Distribution Law; International Sales; Corporate including M&A

I have completed this questionnaire to the above to the best of my knowledge and believe they are accurate. I understand that the above information will be used for VIAC's internal use and may be given to interested persons and may be put on VIAC's website.

Date and signature

Stuttgart, September 30, 2015



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