



## Evening Seminar

### Recent Global Construction Cases

Wednesday, 15 January 2020

Our Chairman, Ashley Howlett, on behalf of the Society of Construction Law Hong Kong, cordially invites you to an evening seminar to be given by **David Thomas QC** from Keating Chambers on **Wednesday, 15 January 2020** at the Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre.

David will talk our members through some of the most recent and interesting developments of global construction cases in a number of jurisdictions including Canada, Australia and England.

About the speaker:

**David Thomas QC** has a global construction and engineering practice. He has been instructed in some of the biggest and highest profile construction cases in the world both in litigation and international arbitration. This includes the Shard, Wembley Stadium, the London Olympic Stadium, and the Burj Khalifa.

David is ranked as a leading silk in the Legal 500 Asia Pacific Guide. His recent work in Asia covers Korea, Hong Kong, Singapore, Vietnam and Kazakhstan. He is a “*strategically brilliant barrister*” with an approach based on professionalism, teamwork and building relationships. He is well known for his forceful “*advocacy skills that keep him in demand the world over*”, “*cross-examination skills [that are] second to none*”, commercial awareness and the clarity and practicality of his advice which makes him ‘*a joy to work with*’.

In the UK he has recently been acting on the termination of a design and build contract for an energy from waste plant as well as disputes relating to motorways and other infrastructure. Recent reported decisions have been: *Mailbox v Galliford Try* [2017] EWHC 1405 and *ICL v Hitachi Zosen Inova* [2017] EWHC 2633. Current international arbitration work includes disputes relating to coal fired power stations in Africa and Indonesia and oil and gas projects in the Middle East and Kazakhstan.

Venue: Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre, 38/F, Two Exchange Square, Central, Hong Kong

Date / Time: Wednesday, 15 January 2020; 6:00 pm for 6:30 pm

Cost: Free for exempt members; HK\$100 for basic members; HK\$200 for non-members (including refreshments)

Please register on our online registration system at <https://www.scl.hk/meetings.php>. Alternatively, please return the registration application slip below and your cheque to Membership Administration, Society of Construction Law Hong Kong, 38/F, Two Exchange Square, Central, Hong Kong. For enquiries please contact Ms Isabelly Lai on +852 2525 2381, fax +852 2524 2171.

**REGISTRATION [HERE](#) OR OVERLEAF**

Administration:

Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre

38/F Two Exchange Square, 8 Connaught Place, Hong Kong

Tel: (852) 2525 2381, Facsimile: (852) 2524 2171, email [admin@scl.hk](mailto:admin@scl.hk)

# Evening Seminar

## Recent Global Construction Cases

Wednesday, 15 January 2020

### REGISTRATION FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ I am a member/non-member of the SCLHK.

Note: If you are one of the SCLHK members who elected to pay the “all inclusive” 2019/2020 annual membership fee of HK\$1,250, and are therefore exempt from paying to attend this event, please tick this box ...

Please reserve one seat for myself and \_\_\_\_\_ seats for guests.

Phone No. (Day time): \_\_\_\_\_

Fax \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

- |    |   |       |            |
|----|---|-------|------------|
| 1) | ( ) No. exempt member<br>(paid the all-inclusive 2019/2020 annual subscription fee) | HK\$  | 0.00       |
| 2) | ( ) No. member @ HK\$100.00   | HK\$  |            |
| 3) | ( ) No. non-member @ HK\$200.00   | HK\$  |            |
|    |   | Total | HK\$ _____ |

I therefore enclose a cheque for HK\$ \_\_\_\_\_ payable to “Society of Construction Law Hong Kong”

**Events by other organisations** can be found on the SCLHK website at: <http://www.scl.hk/meetings.php>