

Notice of Annual Conference: Friday, 9th June 2017

At Swiss Re Offices, 30 St Mary Axe, London EC3A 8EP

Coffee served from 9.00 am

Conference opens at 9.30 am

Conference: Confidentiality in Arbitration Proceedings

The main focus of the conference is to consider whether there should be any, and if so, what changes to ARIAS (UK) Rules and Clauses with regard to maintaining confidentiality in arbitration proceedings and the possible publication of awards in some form or other. This topic is of considerable importance to Panel Members and all users of ARIAS (UK) Rules who are therefore encouraged to attend. Views expressed at this conference will be considered by the ARIAS (UK) Committee in deciding what changes to make, if any.

Chairman: Sir Bernard Eder, Chairman, ARIAS (UK)

Who will introduce the issues.

Speakers: Mark Templeman, Q.C., Essex Court Chambers

Who will look at the legal background of confidentiality in arbitration proceedings.

Alan Weir, solicitor and member of ARIAS (UK) Management Committee

Who will present the need for some changes to existing Rules and Clauses.

Christian Lang, Attorney at Law, Swiss Reinsurance Company Limited

Who will present the case for not changing the existing Rules and Clauses.

There will be a break for coffee at about 10.45 am, followed by a general discussion on the issues.

This will then be followed (at about 12.15pm) by the **Annual General Meeting of ARIAS (UK)**.

Buffet lunch for all participants

Cost £75 (places limited)

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