VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. Current position: Attorney At Law and Partner

5. Education:

- Admission to the Austrian Bar at the Vienna Bar Association (April 1998)
- Bar exam at the Court of Appeals in Vienna, passed with distinction (April 1997)
- Master of Laws (LL.M.) programme at London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE), passed with Merit (LL.M., October 1994)
- Legal studies at the law school of the Karl-Franzens-University in Graz (Mag.iur., June 1991)
- Episcopal high school "Bischöfliches Seminar und Gymnasium" in Graz (September 1977 to June 1985; final exam in June 1985)

6. Practiced experience in arbitration

- How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?
 Eleven international Arbitrations and five domestic arbitrations
 - International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), Vienna International Arbitral Centre (VIAC-Vienna Rules), Arbitral Centre of the Vienna Chamber of Commerce (Ständiges Schiedsgericht der Wirtschaftskammer Wien), Danish Arbitration
- How often have you acted as Chairman? None
- How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator? None
- How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator? Four
- How often have you acted as Counsel? Seven
- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g. Administrative Secretary)? Five
- 7. Publications and other activities in arbitration (e.g. training sessions, seminars, conferences, articles and others): None
- 8. Membership in arbitral institutions / functions in arbitral institutions/organizations: None

9. Languages

Mother tongue: German

Working languages (i.e. languages in which you have both a spoken and written command so that you may conduct arbitral proceedings in this language): English

- 10. In which legal systems have you trained? Austrian Law
- 11. What is your main jurisdiction of practice? Austria
- 12. In which jurisdictions are you admitted to the bar? Austrian Bar at the Vienna Bar Association
- 13. Special expertise or specializations (please list a maximum of five):
- General contract law
- National and cross-border corporate, M&A and real estate transactions
- Construction and turn-key-contract law

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