VIAC – Questionnaire for Arbitrators

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4. Current position: Independent Arbitrator

5. Education: 1980: Dentistry (DDS), Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam, The Netherlands

1984: Law, University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands

1985: Master of Public Health, Health Policy and Management,

Harvard University, Cambridge, USA

6. Practiced experience in arbitration

How many arbitrations have you participated in (domestic/international); under which Rules?
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• How often have you acted as Chairman?

22

• How often have you acted as Sole Arbitrator?

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• How often have you acted as Co-Arbitrator?

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• How often have you acted as Counsel?

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

n/a

7. Publications and other activities in arbitration (e.g. training sessions, seminars, conferences, articles and others):

Various articles and lectures on international arbitration

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

- NAI (Netherlands Arbitration Institute), President of the Board 2011-2018
- DAA (Dutch Arbitration Association), Member of the Advisory Board
- ICC, Member Commission on Arbitration and ADR
- ASA, CEPANI, DIS, IBA, ICCA, LCIA, Member

9. Languages

Mother tongue: Dutch

10. 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, Dutch (basic German)

10. In which legal systems have	e you trained?		
✓ Civil Law	☐ Common Law		
☐ Austrian Law	☐ Hungarian Law	☐ Swiss Law	
☐ Czech Law	☐ Polish Law	Ukrainian Law	
☐ German Law	☐ Slovakian Law ☐	✓ European Law	
Other: Dutch law			
11. What is your main jurisdict	tion of practice?		
The Netherlands			
12. In which jurisdictions are y	ou admitted to the bar?		
The Netherlands			
13. Special expertise or special	lizations (please list a ma	ximum of five):	
☐ Antitrust/Unfair competition	☐ Damages	☐ Insolvency	☐ Power plants
✓ Aviation	☐ Distribution	☐ Insurance	☐ Private Intern. Law
☐ Banking & Finance	☐ Domain name disputes	☐ Intellect. property (IP)	☐ Public Intern. Law
☐ Capital markets	☐ Employment	☐ ISDS/ Foreign invest.	☐ Real estate
□ CISG	✓ Energy	✓ Joint ventures	☐ Shipping
☐ Civil fraud disputes	☐ Engineering	☐ Licensing	☐ Sports
✓ Commercial disp. / transactions	☐ Entertainment	☐ Life sciences	☐ State/Public contracts
☐ Commodity market	☐ Healthcare & Pharmac.	☐ Maritime arbitration	☐ Technology
✓ Company/Corporate/M&A	☐ Hotel/Gastro./Tour.	☐ Media	☐ Telecommunication
☐ Construction	☐ Inform. technology (IT)	☐ Mining	☐ Transport
☐ Contract law	☐ Infrastructure	☐ Natural resources	
☐ Other			
14. Date of birth: 26 May 195	56		

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