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EMPLOYMENT

Debevoise & Plimpton LLP since February 1982; partner since 1988.

Co-Chair, International Dispute Resolution Group; Co-Chair, Global Markets Initiative; Co-Chair, Business Integrity Group

I have practiced private and public international law for more than 35 years. Practice has focused on international arbitration of public law disputes (such as those under bilateral investment treaties), international commercial arbitrations, and transnational litigation in US and foreign courts. Work with clients on every continent and on cases involving common law, civil law, Islamic law and other systems. Won one of the largest investment treaty awards ever (\$1.2 billion for Occidental Petroleum) and one of the largest ICC awards ever (\$750 million for Hyundai Heavy Industries). Write and speak frequently on these subjects, and regularly recognized as a global leader in these fields. According to *Chambers Global* and *Chambers USA*, “among the very, very best,” and “a true giant in the field, whose depth of knowledge is incredible.” *Legal 500* praises as “a brilliant lawyer and tactician” whose “oral advocacy was the best I have ever seen.”

In 2015-16, I served as President of the International Bar Association, the world’s largest global legal organization. In that capacity, I led efforts relating to judicial integrity, climate change justice, business and human rights, human trafficking, human rights and the rule of law, and the independence of the legal profession, among others.

In addition, I have held prominent positions in other NGOs, government committees and arbitration institutions across the world. Worked on initial government efforts to encourage alternative dispute resolution under NAFTA; advised on negotiations to create a worldwide judgments convention, US sanctions policy and nuclear deterrence; and through the IBA and arbitration institutions, changed the practice of international arbitration by drafting the IBA Rules of Evidence and revising arbitration rules of institutions as diverse as the American Arbitration Association, the Arbitration Institute of the Stockholm Chamber of Commerce and the Singapore International Arbitration Centre.

United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit, Law Clerk for Hon. Luther M. Swygert, September 1980 – September 1981

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS

U. S. Department of State’s Advisory Committee on International Economic Policy Subcommittee on Sanctions:
Member since 2010

U.S. Secretary of State’s Advisory Committee on Private International Law: Member since 1990

NAFTA Advisory Committee on Private Commercial Disputes: one of eight initial private U.S. representatives on committee established by free trade agreement (1994-99)

U.S. Department of State Committee to negotiate through the Hague Conference on International Law a worldwide convention on jurisdiction and on enforcement of judgments (1990s)

Appellate Division, First Department (New York): Special Master to mediate appellate disputes

BAR ASSOCIATIONS

International Bar Association: In 2015 and 2016, I served as President of the world's largest international lawyers' association, comprised of more than 100,000 lawyers and nearly 200 bar associations and law societies -- the first American to serve in that position in a quarter of a century. Served as its Secretary-General in 2011-2012 and Vice President in 2013-14; have served as Chair of its Legal Practice Division (comprising more than 50 substantive committees), also the first American to serve in that position; member of the Council of the Human Rights Institute; President of the IBA Foundation; and Chair of the Arbitration Committee. In these positions, have led various law reform efforts and worked with leading lawyers, bar associations and government officials worldwide.

American Bar Association: Fellow of the American Bar Foundation, and served for more than 20 years in many leadership positions, such as the Presidential Task Force on Global Membership; Co-Managing Director of the Litigation Section; Chair of its International Litigation Committee; Chairs of meetings in London, Hong Kong and elsewhere; and a member of the Presidential Task Force on GATT Trade & Services Agreement Negotiations, Standing Committee on World Order Under Law, and Task Force on Broker-Dealer Supervision and Compliance.

Association of the Bar of the City of New York: Have been a member of its Committee on the United States in a Global Economy, Committee on International Trade, and Task Force on International Commercial Arbitration Moot, among other activities.

International Law Association (American Branch): Have served on its Executive Committee and as Co-Chair of the Committee on International Commercial Arbitration.

OTHER NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

Council on Foreign Relations: Member; served on the Advisory Committee for *Deterring State Sponsorship of Nuclear Terrorism* (published Sept. 2008).

American Law Institute: Member of the Council (composed of judges, academics and private practitioners, which is responsible for approving every ALI Restatement) since 2009. Served as one of eight Counselors to the Restatement Fourth on Foreign Relations Law, and also served as an Adviser to the Restatement of the Law of International Arbitration. Previously acted as an Adviser on Transnational Rules of Civil Procedure.

BritishAmericanBusiness: Member of the Board of Directors

Human Trafficking Legal Center: Member of Board of Directors of organization to fight human trafficking.

Ikamva Labantu: Served on the Board of Directors of the U.S. arm of a South African NGO responsible for 1000+ education, economic and health empowerment projects (2003-2008).

James Beard Foundation: Trustee of foundation devoted to promoting culinary arts in United States and abroad.

Magna Carta Trust: Trustee on committee organizing celebrations for 800th anniversary of the Magna Carter in 2015.

Yale University, President's Council on International Activities: Advises University President on developing, improving and promoting educational activities throughout the world

ARBITRATION INSTITUTIONS

Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre: Co-Chair

International Council of Arbitration for Sport (ICAS): Deputy President of its Anti-Doping Division; was a member of its Panel of Arbitrators from 1998-2019; appointed as an arbitrator for the Beijing Summer Olympics (2008), Athens Summer Olympics (2004), and Salt Lake City Winter Olympics (2002).

Australian Centre for International Commercial Arbitration Centre (ACICA): Member of its Council

Mumbai Centre for International Arbitration: Member of its Council

Mauritius Arbitration and Mediation Centre (MCCI): Member of its Court

Russian Arbitration Centre (RAC): Member of its Board

ICC Commission on Arbitration and ADR: Current member of Task Force on ADR and Arbitration; past member of the Commission and the Task Force on E-Discovery

Stockholm Chamber of Commerce Arbitration Institute: Served as Vice Chair of Board of Directors from 2012 – 17 and on the Board from 2006 - 2017.

Singapore International Arbitration Center: Former Member of the Board of Directors

American Arbitration Association (AAA): Have served on the Board of Directors and Executive Committee and was at various times Chair of the Law Committee, the International Section of the Arbitration Committee, Task Forces on Revisions of International and Commercial Arbitration Rules, and of the Board of Advisors of *ADR Currents*, and a member of the Task Force on Guidelines for Disclosure of Documents.

London Court of International Arbitration (LCIA): Past President of North American Users' Council, and former member of the LCIA Court, including as Vice President of the Court.

Fédération Internationale de l'Automobile (FIA): Judge of the International Tribunal (2011-2019)

International Institute for Conflict Prevention and Resolution (CPR): Member of the Arbitration Committee and past member of the Task Force on Disclosure of Documents and Presentation of Witnesses

Center for Effective Dispute Resolution (CEDR): Have served as a member of the Commission on Settlement in International Arbitration, which issued a report to provide mechanisms to encourage settlements.

Centro Internacional de Arbitraje, Mediación y Negociación of the Instituto Universitario de Estudios Europeos, Universidad de San Pablo (Madrid): Former member of the Advisory Committee, and presented its first Grotius Lecture in 2007

College of Commercial Arbitrators: Founding Fellow

Chartered Institute of Arbitrators: Fellow and formerly member of the International Committee

Institute for Transnational Arbitration: past member of the Advisory Board of Directors

Swiss Arbitration Association: Member

Milan Club of Arbitrators: One of three Americans in this group of 30 experts in international arbitration.

Serve on many arbitration panels, including some of the institutions listed above, plus the Japan Commercial Arbitration Association, Shanghai International Arbitration Centre, Chinese International Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission, and the Cairo Regional Arbitration Centre

EDUCATION

Yale College, B.A. 1977; Yale Law School, J.D. 1980

PERSONAL

Born October 17, 1955; United States Citizen; Married, two children, three grandchildren.