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Form No. DA4

**ARBITRATOR STATEMENT ACCEPTANCE, AVAILABILITY,
IMPARTIALITY AND INDEPENDENCE**

Case No:

Claimant(s):

Respondent(s):

Arbitrator's Name:

Nationality:

(Please tick as appropriate)

1. ACCEPTANCE / REJECTION

I accept to serve as arbitrator under and in accordance with the BADRC Rules of Arbitration ("Rules").(i) I confirm that I am familiar with the Rules. (ii) I accept that my fees will be fixed exclusively by the Centre and my expenses paid pursuant to Schedule I of the Rules.

I decline to serve as arbitrator in this case.

1) If you tick in this field, please sign and date the form without filling any other section

2) If you wish to disclose the reasons for your non-acceptance, please do so on a separate sheet attached hereto

2. AVAILABILITY

I confirm, based on the information presently available to me, that I can devote the time necessary to conduct this arbitration throughout the entire duration of the case as diligently, efficiently and expeditiously as possible in accordance with the time limits in the Rules. I understand that it is important to complete the arbitration as promptly as reasonably practicable and that the Centre will consider the duration and conduct of the proceedings when fixing my fees. My current professional engagements are as below for the information of the Centre and the parties.

	Chairperson/ Sole	Co-	Party representative	Expert
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	arbitrator	Arbitrator		
Arbitration proceedings				
Court proceedings	-	-		

- I would like to provide following information that may affect my availability (provide any other relevant information and tick only if relevant)

3. IMPARTIALITY AND INDEPENDENCE

(Tick one box and provide details below and/or, if necessary, on a separate sheet)

- Nothing to disclose:** I am impartial and independent and intend to remain so. To the best of my knowledge and belief, there are no facts, circumstances, past or present or relationships of any kind that might be of such a nature as to give rise to any justified doubts as to my independence or impartiality in the eyes of any of the parties.
- Acceptance with disclosure:** I am impartial and independent and will remain impartial and independent for the duration of the proceedings. However, I disclose the following present and past professional, business and other relationships with the parties, the parties' representatives, as well as any other interests, relationships or circumstances, which, from the perspective of the parties, could possibly call into question my independence or could give rise to doubts as to my impartiality. I draw attention to the matters below and/or on the attached sheet for the consideration of Centre and parties prior to the confirmation of my appointment;

4. I acknowledge that by signing this declaration, I have the **continuing duty throughout the arbitration to promptly disclose any circumstances** that may subsequently arise or come to my attention during this arbitration which, from the perspective of the parties, could possibly call my independence into question



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or could give rise to doubts as to my impartiality, or that conflict with the agreement of the parties.

5. I shall keep confidential all information coming to my knowledge as a result of my participation in this arbitration, including the contents of any Award made by the Tribunal.
6. I will not engage in any *ex parte* communication concerning this arbitration with a party or its representative.
7. I attach my curriculum vitae, as well as attach a list of the publications that I have authored or co-authored(*attach only only if relevant*)

Place and Date

Signature