



The British Embassy

**The British-Turkish
Lawyers Association**

The Law Society of England & Wales



You are cordially invited to a seminar on

ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION

on

18 MARCH 2009

at the

Sheraton Hotel

Ballroom A

Please find attached the seminar program.

To reserve a place please fill in and send the attached registration form to Yada ARISOY of Viya Tourism latest by 13 March 2009.

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Please note that simultaneous English/Turkish translation will be provided

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09:00 – 09:30 Registration

09:30 – 09:45 **Welcoming and opening of seminar**

Union of Turkish Bar Associations' Representative

The British Embassy Official

Selcuk Senguler - Partner, Sengüler & Sengüler

Morning Session on ADR and Mediation

Chaired by Mickaël Laurans, Law Society of England and Wales

09:45 – 10:15 **What is Alternative Dispute Resolution?**

Raichel Hopkinson - Partner/Dispute Resolution, Denton Wilde Sapte

What is Alternative Dispute Resolution? What are the differences between mediation, arbitration and other ADR techniques? Advantages and costs?

10:15 – 10:45 **A Comparative Approach to Mediation: Developments in the European Union and its Member States**

Speaker to be confirmed

10:45 – 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 – 11:40 **Mediation – A Case Study In Cross-Border Multi-Cultural Mediation: The Mediation Of Claims Arising Out Of The 1999 Earthquake Damage To The Ankara/Istanbul Highway Project.**

Jonathan Wood - Head of Commercial Recoveries and Dispute Resolution, Clyde & Co

11:40 – 12:00 **Keynote address**

The Rt. Hon. Lord Mayor of the City of London Ian Luder

12:00 – 12:35 **The Turkish Draft Law on Mediation**

Prof. Dr. Hakan Pekcanitez, Galatasaray University, Istanbul

12:35 – 12:45 **Q&A on mediation**

Panel of speakers

12:45 – 13:45 Lunch



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Afternoon	Session on Arbitration Chaired by Prof. Dr Turgut Kalpsuz, Ankara University (TBC)
13:45 – 14:15	Introduction to arbitration Simon Morgan - Co-chair of the international arbitration group, Simmons&Simmons
14:15 – 15:00	Recognition and Enforcement of Arbitral Awards Granted Against Sovereign States Under the Rules of ICSID and the Energy Charter Treaty Prof. Dr. Nuray Eksi - University of Marmara, Istanbul
15:00 – 15:45	Dealing with arbitral institutions Speaker to be confirmed, Herbert Smith <i>Comparison between the various arbitral institutions (ICC, LCIA, etc). Procedural differences. Costs.</i>
15:45 – 16:00	Coffee break
16:00 – 16:45	Execution/enforcement of arbitration awards under the New York Convention Steve Abraham - Partner/Dispute Resolution, Norton Rose
16:45 – 17:00	Q&A session Panel of speakers
17:00 – 17:10	Closing remarks Mickaël Laurans, Law Society of England and Wales



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