IADC Chinese Corporate Counsel Symposium

Multifunction Room, Shenzhen Lawyer Association 9h00-12h10, Wednesday, October 18, 2017

Organizer: Benchmark Chambers International (BCI)

International Association of Defense Counsel (IADC)

Shenzhen Lawyers Association

China International Economic and Trade Arbitration Commission (CIETAC) South Sub-Commission

8:30—9:00 Registration

9:00—9:40 Opening Remarks (40 mins)

Moderator: **Dr. Jane Jinyi XIAO**, Executive Vice President of BCI

Keynote Speakers:

Judge of 1st Circuit Tribunal of People's Supreme Court (8 mins) TBC

Mr. Jiang, Xilin, Director of Bureau of Justice of Shenzhen Municipality (8 mins)

Mr. LIN Changchi, Chairman of Shenzhen Lawyers Association (8 mins)

Ms. LI Xiaoguang, Secretary-General of CIETAC South Sub-Commission (8 mins)

Mr. Andy Kopon, IADC President, Partner of Kopon Airdo (Chicago, IL USA)- Brief Overview on the IADC(8 mins)

9:40-10:50 Session 1 on U.S. Perspective

Moderator: **Mr. Winston Wenjie GAO**, director of Shenzhen Lawyers

Association

9:40 — 10:10 The Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States& Other Important U.S. Policy Changes for Chinese Businesses. (30 Minutes)

Speaker: Mr. Tripp Haston,Bradley LLP (Washington, DC &Birmingham, AL)

10:10— 10:40 Avoiding & Managing Risk in the U.S. for Chinese Business: A Review of Key Issues (30 mins)

Speaker:Mr. John T. Lay, Gallivan White Boyd & Lay (Columbia, SC)

10:40 - 10:50Q&A

10:50-12:00 Session 2 on Europe and Singapore Perspective

Moderator: Ms. Ariel Lu Ye, Lawyer of KWC & Mallesons, Director of BCI

10:50 — **11:20** Pitfalls on Doing M & A and Commercial Transactions in Europe - Risks and New Developments (30 mins)

Speaker: Dr. Anton Maurer, AM International Legal Services (Stuttgart, Germany)

11:20 — 11:50 Litigation/Arbitration in Singapore - Practical Perspectives for PRC Parties

Speaker: Mr. Foo Maw Shen, DentonsRodyk (Singapore)

11:50 - 12:00Q&A

12:10-14:00 Lunch

Venue: Sheng Ji Restaurant at Shenzhen Astronautics Building