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BIOGRAPHY

Victoria is a Knowledge Management Lawyer in the International Arbitration team. She is responsible for the development of the knowledge management and training strategy within the International Arbitration Group.

Victoria is an experienced litigator with more than 15 years' experience of national and international dispute resolutions and has represented clients across a wide range of industry sectors including energy, banking and financial services. She is experienced in the conduct of ad hoc arbitrations, arbitrations under the UNCITRAL Rules and has also conducted under the auspices of major arbitral institutions, including the ICC and LCIA.

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The Law Commission of England and Wales has concluded its review of the Arbitration Act 1996. In our International Arbitration Survey 2022, we canvassed views on the potential areas for reform of the Act. On 6 September, the Law Commission published a final report setting out its conclusions and recommendations for the reform together with a draft Arbitration Bill. The headline point is that the new Act will not contain any dramatic changes. A common refrain during the consultation process was that the 1996 Act was fundamentally sound and there was no need for a fundamental re-draft. Instead, the focus has been on incremental improvements to the Act to ensure that it remains “state of the art” and “continues to support London’s world-leading role in international arbitration.” Here is a summary of what we can expect to see in a new Arbitration Act.

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Cost and delay remain the two areas of greatest concern to parties in arbitration. A particular source of frustration is that it can sometimes take many months for arbitrators to deliberate and issue an award. As a result, we are increasingly being asked whether arbitration agreements should include a deadline for the delivery of an award. This article considers some of the pros and cons of setting a deadline for the delivery of an award.

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On 30 November 2021, the UK's Law Commission announced it would conduct a review of the Arbitration Act 1996. The aim of this review is to maintain the attractiveness of England and Wales as a destination for dispute resolution. London is a popular seat of arbitration. The Arbitration Act 1996 is widely respected as a clear, well-drafted and effective framework for the conduct of arbitration. That said, competition between the top seats is fierce and there's no room for complacency. For this reason, the reform of the Act is not just of interest to UK practitioners but also to international practitioners around the world. We do not usually choose a survey topic focused on a single jurisdiction, but this once-in-a-generation review and reform process has implications for users and practitioners around the world.