



## 22nd Annual Clayton Utz and University of Sydney International Arbitration Lecture

Wednesday, 11 October 2023

Arrival: 5:30pm (AWST)

Lecture: 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Networking drinks and canapés: 7:00pm – 7:30pm

**Federal Court of Australia**

1 Victoria Ave, Perth WA 6000

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On behalf of Clayton Utz and the University of Sydney, we would like to invite you to join us for the 22nd Annual International Arbitration Lecture featuring keynote speaker, **the Hon Michael Buss**.

### The Role of Court Assistance in Commercial Arbitration

The *International Arbitration Act 1974* (Cth) and the Commercial Arbitration Acts of the States have adopted the UNCITRAL Model Law (as amended in 2006).

Those statutes of the Commonwealth and the States and Territories comprise an integrated statutory framework for international and domestic arbitration.

The role of Australian courts in assisting commercial arbitration is determined by the legislative provisions which have adopted the UNCITRAL Model Law (as amended in 2006) and by the approach of the courts in construing and applying those provisions.

This lecture will consider the approach of Australian courts in construing and applying various provisions of the Model Law and how those decisions shape the role of the courts in intervening in commercial arbitration for the purpose of assisting, as distinct from interfering, with arbitration.

We hope you can join us.

Regards

Clayton Utz



### About the speaker – the Hon Michael Buss

On 1 February 2006, Justice Buss was appointed a Judge of the Court of Appeal of Western Australia and also a Judge of the Supreme Court of Western Australia.

Justice Buss has delivered more than 2,150 published judgments in all areas of the jurisdiction of the Court of Appeal of Western Australia.

Prior to assuming judicial office, Justice Buss was a partner in a national law firm between 1 July 1982 and 30 June 1987.

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