

ADR Committee

Technical Sharing Session on Concurrent Delays: Proving Extension of Time vs Proving Compensation

Date, time & venue

19 October 2017 (Thurs); 6:00pm for 6:30pm to 8:00pm; Chun Wo and Hsin Chong Rooms, 10/F, The HKIE HQs

Programme highlights

Contractors often consider that they are entitled to recover prolongation costs on the back of having demonstrated an entitlement to an extension of time. When faced with prolongation cost claims Owners often cite Contractor-caused ‘concurrent’ delays in an attempt to defeat such claims. These opposite positions will be reviewed with a view of understanding which, if any, is the more sustainable.

Speakers

David Atkinson BEng MSc (Eng) MSc FCIArb MAE MCIQB is a Civil Engineer, with 23+ years of industry experience and 10 years of experience in performing cause and effect analyses of major delay/ disruption claims within the construction industry. He has extensive experience in construction management, programming and analysis of delay claims. David has been appointed as a planning Expert, lead delay analyst and has provided Expert Witness testimony in arbitration. David is named in *Who's Who Legal Construction: Expert Witnesses*.

Michael Tonkin BSc PGDipArb FRICS FCIArb FCIQB FDBF MAE CARb is a Chartered Quantity Surveyor, Chartered Arbitrator, CEDR Accredited Mediator and testifying expert witness in quantum with 25+ years of experience in the construction industry. He is regularly instructed as Expert in matters of quantum on substantial construction disputes and has been appointed as arbitrator on more than 60 occasions. Michael often acts as “Coordinating Expert” across several disciplines of expert. He is named in *Who's Who Legal Construction: Expert Witnesses*.

Registration & enquiries

The event is free of charge. The number of participants is limited to 40. Please send email to SamChan@member.hkie.org.hk by noon Wednesday, 18 October 2017 stating your name, HKIE membership number, discipline, company, contact number and email address. Successful applicants will be notified by email by Wednesday evening. You may contact Ir Sam YS Chan at Tel: 98418104 or via email for enquiries.