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SECTORS: Aviation, Oil and Gas, Maritime, Airlines

SERVICES: Energy Dispute Resolution, Dispute Resolution, Maritime Dispute Resolution

BIO

ANDREW IS A PARTNER IN THE DISPUTE RESOLUTION GROUP.

Andrew has experience in a broad range of commercial and financial disputes including international arbitrations, bilateral investment treaty disputes and general litigation matters with a strong focus on the shipping, aviation, mining and commodities, oil & gas and other energy sectors.

His shipping expertise encompasses shipbuilding, ship repair, MoA, charterparty, cargo, enforcement and other dry shipping disputes including in specialised sectors such as LNG and cruise. In the aviation sector, he advises on repossessions, lease redelivery, airframe and engine damage, base maintenance and insurance disputes.

Andrew's natural resources expertise extends to commodities trading, trade finance and mining investment disputes, while his experience in the offshore oil & gas and energy sectors covers construction, drilling and service agreement disputes, as well as wider industry disputes such as judicial reviews.

He is recommended by Legal 500 UK 2023, who described him as being "conscientious, diligent, intellectually strong, a commercially-savvy lawyer" and "able to see every angle and out-think the opposition".

EXPERIENCE

Advising Norwegian bondholders in relation to the termination of charterparties and enforcement of mortgages over offshore supply vessels.

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Representing MRI on a successful appeal to the Commercial Court and Court of Appeal in relation to an LME arbitration award on a copper concentrates contract and subsequent enforcement actions. Acting on behalf of administrators in relation to a claim against former administrators arising from the pre-pack sale of a polymetallic mine in South America. Acting for Rabobank International in relation to disputes arising out of the infamous Qingdao warehousing fraud. Acting for Conapro Dena BMS sal against the government of the Gambia in relation to a US\$30m claim in respect of oil products. **EDUCATION** MEMBERSHIPS & **ASSOCIATIONS** University of Sydney, LLB Law Society of England and Wales Tulane University, LLM – Admiralty London Solicitors Litigation Association (LSLA) London Court of International Arbitration (LCIA) London Shipping Law Centre (LSLC) **INSIGHTS ARTICLE** RELIABLE SYSTEMS UNDER THE ELECTRONIC TRADE DOCUMENTS ACT www.wfw.com/articles/reliable-systems-under-the-electronic-trade-documents-act/ **PRESS** WFW ADVISES HSBC ON US\$300M PUSH FACILITY WITH SACE FOR NOGAHOLDING www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-hsbc-on-us300m-push-facility-with-sace-fornogaholding/ WFW ADVISES INTESA SANPAOLO AND SACE ON US\$220M PIETRO FIORENTINI **PRESS** UZBEKISTAN GAS SMART METERS SUPPLY LOAN www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-intesa-sanpaolo-and-sace-on-us220m-pietro-fiorentiniuzbekistan-gas-smart-meters-supply-loan/ **ARTICLE** COMMERCIAL DISPUTES WEEKLY - ISSUE 100

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