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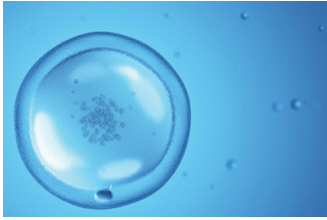
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Piercing the Corporate Veil

The recent Privy Council case of *Persad v Singh* emphasised once again that only in exceptional circumstances will a court “pierce the corporate veil” and attach liability to a shareholder for the actions of a company. Whilst this does not necessarily break new ground, it reaffirms a long-standing principle of contract law, and provides some salutary lessons for parties to take note of when entering into commercial contracts.

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Whilst it may be sound family planning advice to keep eggs, or indeed sperm, frozen to plan against future unforeseen events, those choosing to do so in the UK should be aware that it is not as simple as “putting them away now and not having to worry about them again”.

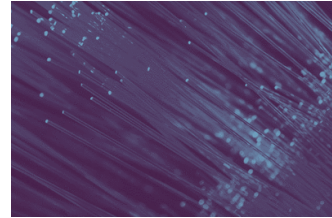
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Making terms and conditions work for you

In the ordinary ebb and flow of business, documenting the terms on which deals are struck is not always at the forefront of the minds of those involved: precisely documented terms are, after all, not the main object of the deal and can even be viewed with suspicion (as preventing business, rather than helping it).

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International Arbitration Tips The Arbitration Agreement

There are two types of arbitration agreement. An arbitration agreement entered into after a dispute has arisen (this is sometimes called a “submission agreement”) and more commonly an arbitration agreement contained in a wider contract between the parties and often

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referred to as the “arbitration clause”.

Our briefing covers:

- The importance of the arbitration agreement
- What are the requirements for a valid arbitration agreement?
- What to include in the arbitration agreement
- Making the arbitration agreement work

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