



Editorial

It is my honor to welcome you to this special edition of volume III.

This issue includes further articles about alternate dispute resolution and the latest news on commercial arbitration in the Arabic countries and other regions of the world.

Since its launching in 2004, DIAC's journal, "Arbitration in the Middle East", has achieved its primary objective to offer insightful information on the development of the rules and laws governing commercial arbitration in the Arab Countries and worldwide.

In order to proceed at this professional level and to achieve the journal's main strategic aim of being the foremost trusted bilingual source of information about commercial arbitration worldwide, DIAC continues to apply the highest standards and innovative strategies to remain in sync with the phenomenal growth of arbitration, particularly in the Middle East. One of these strategies is to turn this publication into a semi-annual journal with an increase in the number and quality of the articles published in each issue.

I would like to express my gratitude to all those who participated in the issues of Volume I, including writers, readers and subscribers. I hope such efforts will continue, and I welcome those interested worldwide in contributing to future issues of the DIAC journal.

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