

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER OF THE  
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE OF THE COURTS**

Pursuant to the authority vested in me, and effective immediately, I hereby designate the Hon. Charles E. Ramos, Justice of the Supreme Court, New York County, to handle all international arbitration cases before the Commercial Division, New York County. For purposes of this order, international arbitration cases shall include, but not be limited to, all proceedings brought under CPLR Article 75 or under the Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. § 1 et seq., except that they shall not include matters arising out of a relationship which is entirely between citizens of the United States, unless that relationship involves property located abroad, envisages performance or enforcement abroad, or has some other reasonable relation with one or more foreign states. For the purpose of this order a corporation is a citizen of the United States if it is incorporated or has its principal place of business in the United States.

  
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Chief Administrative Judge of the Courts

Dated: September 16, 2013

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