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24–26 September 2014

VENUE
The Royale Chulan, Kuala Lumpur

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to benefit from early bird rates!

WATCH OUT for sessions on the changing environment of legal practice; impact of technological advances on provision of legal services; technology and the courts; challenges to the Federal Constitution; environmental law; cross-border liquidation; and MANY OTHERS.

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CONFIRMED SPEAKERS



**THE RIGHT HONOURABLE
TUN ARIFIN ZAKARIA**

13th Chief Justice of Malaysia. His Lordship brings with him a wide array of experience as he has served in various capacities in the law.



**THE RIGHT HONOURABLE
LORD WALKER OF
GESTINGTHORPE**

Retired Justice of the Supreme Court of the United Kingdom. Lord Walker was made Lord of Appeal in Ordinary in October 2002, when he received a life peerage and the title of Baron Walker of Gestingthorpe.



**AMBIGA
SREENEVASAN**

President of the Malaysian Bar from 2007 to 2009.



**DESMOND
BROWNE QC**

A leading Queen's Counsel in all areas of media law. He has been involved in a huge number of the most important cases affecting the media over the past three decades.



Lifting the Corporate Veil: Maxim, Mystery or Myth?

Lord Walker of Gestingthorpe

The topic of lifting (or piercing) the corporate veil is a vivid and much-used, but probably misleading, description of situations in which the law looks behind the separate corporate personality to see, to a greater or lesser extent, what is or has been going on behind it. It is an issue that arises in many varied contexts and jurisdictions. This session will explore recent cases in the United Kingdom and other jurisdictions that address this issue.

Defamation Laws: Time for Reform?

Ang Hean Leng and Desmond Browne QC

A comprehensive study to evaluate the current laws in Malaysia relating to libel and slander will be presented during the session. The study also proposes reform that would reflect the changes and developments in social media and other modes of dissemination of information. In addition, the session will address developments in other jurisdictions, and recommend which of these would be similarly applicable and effective in our legal system. An eminent English barrister and a Malaysian Judge will present a review of the proposals during the session.

Regulatory Compliance in the Capital Markets

Representatives from the Securities Commission Malaysia, Bursa Malaysia and the Malaysian Bar will share their knowledge and experience on issues relating to compliance and enforcement under the Capital Markets and Services Act 2007 in order to preserve the integrity of, and promote confidence in, the capital markets. This session will also explore the accessorial liability of lawyers under the corporate regulatory and disclosure regime.

Statutory Provisions that Impact on Solicitor-Client Privilege and Confidentiality

The enactment of anti-money laundering and counter-terrorism financing laws and regulations have resulted in tighter laws and stricter enforcement. Are lawyers subject to such legislation, and do the laws and regulations encroach on the principles of solicitor-client privilege and client confidentiality?

Modern Appellate Advocacy

This forum-style discussion featuring two speakers from the Judiciary and two speakers from the Malaysian Bar will address advocacy in the appellate courts. The speakers will discuss a wide range of aspects relating to modern appellate advocacy, from the perspective of the Bar and the expectations of the Bench.

Hard Talk: Human Rights and the Public Interest

Ambiga Sreenevasan returns to moderate a “Hard Talk” session on human rights and the public interest. Come see her “cross-examine” a panel of distinguished speakers who will weigh in on the domestic and international record and reputation of Malaysia's human rights practice.

TO REGISTER



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