

Commercial Dispute Resolution

Guiding you through troubled waters

What they say

*“A very credible litigation practice”
Commercial Litigation - Legal 500,
2008*

*“Charles Russell’s lawyers
provide real value for money and
great-quality advice’, with
particular areas of strength
including IT and telecoms, IP,
contractual disputes, insolvency
and partnership and shareholder
disputes.”*

*Dispute Resolution - Chambers
UK, 2009*

No-one likes disputes. At best they are a worrying distraction. At worst they can destroy businesses, relationships and reputations.

So when a commercial dispute seems unavoidable it is worth seeking expert advice before positions become established and relationships completely breakdown.

Working with you for a positive outcome

At Charles Russell, we are committed to managing and resolving your dispute as swiftly and as painlessly as possible.

Our experienced, partner-led team will work closely with you to understand fully the issues you are facing. We will then focus all our energies on achieving the best possible outcome for you and your organisation using the most appropriate dispute resolution techniques.

We think it is important you receive a personal, cost-effective service. So we are always available to answer your questions or concerns. And we are completely transparent with our fees and costs.

Some of the dispute resolution techniques we use include:

- **Negotiation:** Increasingly we deal with re-negotiation of commercial contracts using dispute resolution procedures
- **Mediation:** A confidential, quick and cost-effective process involving an appointed neutral third party. Our team includes accredited mediators
- **Arbitration:** Useful for its confidentiality, flexibility and speed. Our team includes members of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators
- **Adjudication:** A streamlined process leading to an enforceable decision from an expert. Our team includes an accredited adjudicator
- **Litigation (UK & international):** When litigation is necessary we act with commitment and tenacity
- **Injunction relief:** An order which requires a person (or organisation) to do, or not do, a particular act.

Who we work with

We work with governments, multi-national corporations and major UK companies. Our team has experts across a range of industries from media to medicine, telecoms to trusts, industry to insurance, and property to professional negligence.

We also deal with international commercial disputes, further strengthened by our links to 150 recommended law firms worldwide.

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