



Arbitration Act 1996

1996 CHAPTER 23

PART I

ARBITRATION PURSUANT TO AN ARBITRATION AGREEMENT

The arbitral proceedings

37 Power to appoint experts, legal advisers or assessors.

- (1) Unless otherwise agreed by the parties—
 - (a) the tribunal may—
 - (i) appoint experts or legal advisers to report to it and the parties, or
 - (ii) appoint assessors to assist it on technical matters,and may allow any such expert, legal adviser or assessor to attend the proceedings; and
 - (b) the parties shall be given a reasonable opportunity to comment on any information, opinion or advice offered by any such person.
- (2) The fees and expenses of an expert, legal adviser or assessor appointed by the tribunal for which the arbitrators are liable are expenses of the arbitrators for the purposes of this Part.

Changes to legislation:

Arbitration Act 1996, Section 37 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 17 February 2022. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

- Act applied by [S.I. 2021/1467 Sch. 2 para. 7\(2\)\(a\)](#)