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Neutrals - Adjudicators

A selection of Adjudications/DBs on which Peter Aeberli has been appointed within the last few years include:

- RICS nomination: Pubic building in Scotland, alleged design/construction defects; £18 million claimed.
- RICS nomination: Cladding dispute, 25 story block in London; Declaratory
- Agreed appointment: Chair of DAAB on infrastructure project in a Baltic country.
- CIC nomination: Transnational gas pipeline: NEC 3 amended; about £8 million claimed.
- ICE nomination: Off-shore harbour works in Scotland: FIDIC Dredging and Reclamation works: €16 million claimed.
- ICE nomination: DB: Roadworks in Eastern European Country: FIDIC Red Book; about €3 million claimed plus EoT.
- ICE nomination: Flood defence project in Scotland: NEC, declaratory.
- ICE nominations: Various adjudications under an NEC3 Subcontract with Dispute Option W1 concerning a non-European nuclear power station.
- LCIA nomination: Underground railway station: NEC subcontract, about £800k claimed.
- RICS nomination: Scottish School: Alleged subsidence, about £4 million claimed; Reported at Transform Schools (North Lanarkshire) Limited v Balfour Beatty Construction Limited [2020] CSOH 19.
- RICS nomination: Liquefied Natural Gas plant: Bespoke terms: Termination and account; About £6.5 million claimed;
- ICE nomination: Ground and landscaping works: NEC3 amended: Final account, about £4 million claimed; John Doyle Construction Limited v. Erith Contractors Limited [2020] EWHC 2451 [35].
- Agreed nomination: £50 million Materials Jetty associated with construction of a nuclear facility: NEC 3 amended, entitlement to levy liquidated damages; about £1.5 million in dispute.
- Agreed nomination: Higher education facility: Engineering services; Bespoke agreement. About £3 million claimed for delays;
- Agreed nominations: Bespoke contract; Waste to energy facility in Scotland, various disputes.
- LCIA nomination: Station tunnelling: NEC3 amended; Account, about £12 million claimed;
- Agreed nomination: Nuclear facility: NEC3 amended. Alleged compensation events, about £800k claimed;
- TecSA nomination: Term contract for services: Bespoke terms: Account, about £350k claimed;
- TecSA nomination: NEC 3 Option D, as amended. Nuclear power plant; about £350,000.00 claimed, some in Euros.
- RICS nomination: Central London offices: JCT terms; Post termination account; about £6 million claimed;
- ICE nomination: Tram facility: JCT terms: Declaratory as to alleged defects;
- ICE nomination: Process plant: Bespoke EPC contract: About £1.8 million claimed for alleged defects;

- CIArb nomination: Northern Ireland infrastructure: Bespoke design build and operate contract; Declaratory as to long term obligations;
- Agreed nomination: Residential and commercial M&E services: Bespoke terms: £6 million claimed:
- ICE nomination: Airport runway: NEC3 amended: Declaratory as to time;
- RICS nomination: Office project: JCT as amended: Alleged glazing defects, about £650k claimed.
- TecSA nomination: £50 million Data Centre: JCT DB (2011) as amended: £6.5 million claimed.

Recommendations

"Thank you very much indeed for your assistance yesterday. ... we could not have got there without your skill and persistence." - **London city solicitors – Mediation instruction**

"The adjudicator decided, in what both parties accepted was a thorough and well reasoned decision, ... that the defendant had to pay the claimant the sums for which I have given summary judgment." *Knight v. Urvasco* [2008] EWHC 3956. "I would like to express my appreciation of the proficient approach and treatment by the one member DAB ..." - **Eastern European State entity**

"We would also like to convey our thanks to the Arbitrator ... We look forward to working again with the Arbitrator soon." - **London city solicitors**

Academic qualifications

- MA (Edin)
- BA (Oxon)
- Dip Arch
- RIBA and ARIAS (1979 to mid-2025)
- FCIArb

Professional qualifications & appointments

- Barrister (Middle Temple)
- Chartered Arbitrator
- Architect
- Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators
- Accredited CEDR Mediator
- Diploma in International Commercial Arbitration

Professional bodies

- RIBA and RIAS (1979 to mid-2025), ACE, FCIArb, Barrister
- Visiting senior lecturer at Kings College Centre of Construction Law and Management, teaching construction law, arbitration and dispute resolution and Course director for Module D of the MSc Course – Arbitration and dispute resolution module: 2002-2013.
- Joint Secretary of the Joint Contracts Tribunal (JCT): 1995 to 1998.
- Cases editor on the Arbitration and Dispute Resolution Law Journal: 1994 to 2000

- Member of the drafting committee for the Construction Industry Model Arbitration Rules (CIMAR).
- Member of ICC Commission on Arbitration and ICC Task Forces on Reducing Costs in Complex Arbitrations and on Maximizing the Probative Value of Witness Evidence.
- Worshipful Company of Arbitrators (liveryman).