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Frank Ilett is one of the leading expert accountants in the UK with more than 25 years' experience of English high court litigation, international arbitration and mediation.

Until 30 November 2013, Frank was a partner and head of Dispute Services in the UK at a Big 4 accounting firm. He has specialised in dispute resolution services since 1991. His main focus is in assessing loss of profits/value arising from breaches of contract, statutory duty, negligence and advising on post transaction disputes. He has worked on more than 150 investigation and expert witness cases.

Frank is a Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountant in England and Wales, a CEDR Accredited Mediator, and an approved expert on the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales appointments list. Over the last 25 years, he has presented on quantum issues in litigation, completion accounts disputes and other dispute related matters to professional colleagues, external law firms and other interested parties. He is a regular guest speaker at client seminars on quantum issues in IT disputes, has written numerous articles, and has given evidence in the High Court, in Arbitration and in ADR hearings.

Frank is able to provide specific examples of his experience on request. His general experience includes the following:

Frank has a particular specialism in assessing losses and damages in large ICT implementation contract disputes including ICT outsourcing disputes. He has worked on many such cases since his first involvement in the Pegler v Wang case in which he provided expert accountancy evidence in 1999.

In addition to his ICT work, over the last 25 years or so, Frank has provided expert evidence on loss, damages and other accounting matters across most industry sectors including: oil and gas, financial services, retail and distribution, manufacturing, government and infrastructure, utilities, transport, real estate, professional services and sport.

Frank is a leading quantum expert in arbitration disputes and has been listed in the Who's Who of International Arbitration for a number of years. He has given expert evidence on numerous occasions, most recently in three large cases, in London, Paris and the Cayman Islands, in January and March 2017. Notably, he has been appointed as an arbitrator's assessor under the Arbitration Act of 1996, a role in which he provided independent expert advice to the arbitrator in respect of the accounting and financial matters arising during the arbitration proceedings.

Frank's arbitration and high court experience is very international with recent cases involving disputes in London, Paris, Switzerland, Ukraine, Poland, South Africa, Greece, the Cayman Islands and Hong Kong.

Frank has extensive experience of post transaction disputes having worked on every aspect of such matters. In addition to advising on numerous warranty claims, Frank has (a) acted as adviser to parties in completion accounts matters before the corporate transactions were completed; (b) advised on the drafting of completion accounts; (c) advised parties in disputes on their submissions to the determining expert; and (d) acted as the independent determining expert.

Frank also has experience of assessing losses arising from anti-competitive practices, he has acted as expert in a variety of valuation disputes and he has led a number of accounting fraud investigations in the UK.