Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) A Primer For Logistics and Supply Chain Management Professionals



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Agenda

- Introduction
- Primary Dispute Resolution Processes
- Goals of Alternative/Appropriate Dispute Resolution (ADR)
- Negotiate, Mediate, or Adjudicate?
- Questions & Answers

Marvin J. Huberman: Background

- Marvin J. Huberman, LL.B., LL.M. (ADR), C. Arb, C.S. (Civil Litigation)
 - Senior lawyer, commercial arbitrator, mediator
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 - Represents individual / business clients, financial institutions, insurers and governments in Toronto, Ontario
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- Prolific author, speaker, legal instructor, counsel on numerous reported cases
- Member, chair, and director of various legal committees, task forces, and associations
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Conflict: Inevitable

- Causes of conflict
- Ways of resolving
- Avoidance
- Rights-based
- Power-based
- Interest-based
- Examples

ADR Defined

Goals

Advantages

Disadvantages

Negotiation

- Compromise is crucial
- > The goal: mutual satisfaction with the result
- Positional bargaining
- Interest-based bargaining
- > Five basic elements of "win-win" negotiation

Mediation

- The process
- > Evaluative mediation
- Facilitative mediation
- > Why mediation works

Adjudicative Processes

- Litigation
- > Arbitration
- > Arbitrate or Litigate?



Selecting an Appropriate ADR Procedure

- The client's goals
- > The ADR procedure most likely to achieve those goals
- > Does the client desire settlement?
- > What are the barriers to settlement?
- > Choosing an appropriate dispute resolution process

Conclusion

- > The key to success
- > ADR's challenges, opportunities, and promises
- The future looks bright



Q&A

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