BLG lawyers explain why Canada is so arbitration-friendly in The Arbitration Review of the Americas 2023

Robert Deane, Craig Chiasson and Paige Burnham, all members of BLG's International Arbitration Group, recently contributed the Canada chapter to *The Arbitration Review of the Americas 2023 - A Global Arbitration Review Special Report.*

The chapter, titled "Canada: rulings demonstrate judicial deference to arbitration," covers in detail the many reasons why Canada is consistently recognized as an arbitration-friendly jurisdiction. Points of discussion include:

- History of the implementation of the Model Law in Canada
- Background to the legislative framework for arbitration in Canada's provinces
- List of arbitration groups and institutions throughout Canada
- Recent Canadian case law

The Arbitration Review of the Americas 2023 - A Global Arbitration Review Special Report is an annual, yearbook-style report that provides an overview of the recent past and adds insight and thought leadership from the pen of pre-eminent practitioners from North and Latin America. Published annually by Law Business Research, the report provides an invaluable retrospective on the most substantial recent international arbitration events, supported by footnotes and relevant statistics.

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