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Contracts Circular N° 36/2000
Department of Contracts
Notre Dame Ravelin
Floriana

To Heads of Department
and Parastatal Bodies

9th August 2000

Arbitration Clause in Government Contracts

Reference is made to Contracts Circular No. 23/2000 entitled 'Preparation of Tender Documents' as well as to OPM Circular No. 22/2000 dealing with arbitration.

Procurement officers are requested to note that the following clause is henceforth to be invariably included in all tender documents under the Special Conditions or the Instructions to Tenderers Sections, as may be appropriate, viz

Arbitration <<Any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this contract, or the breach, termination or invalidity thereof, shall be settled by arbitration in accordance with the rules of the Malta Arbitration Centre as at present in force.

Any reference in the attached General Conditions to other arbitration procedures shall not apply. >>

Your kind co-operation would be appreciated.

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