

Session Title: [The Historic Iran Sanctions Deal – Reducing Risk for Asian Business](#)

Date: 15 April 2016

Time: 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

Duration: 90 minutes

Synopsis: The historic nuclear agreement reached by six nations with Iran in July of 2015 may, inter alia, substantially decrease the legal risk for global companies doing business in the Iranian market. Any current business with Iran that involves companies or goods from several nations could lead to substantial financial penalties and supply chain disruptions due to the widespread economic sanctions against Iran. The Iran deal, however, calls for the lifting of many sanctions against Iran that are applicable to companies based in Asia. The session will examine the anticipated easing of sanctions in several jurisdictions and the opportunities that these developments create for Asian companies to do business in and with Iran.

Committees: Cross Border Investment Committee with the International Trade Committee

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