

ARBITRATORS CV

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Qualifications	1969 BA BAI(Hons) Civil Engineering TCD 1976 PhD (Shifting Bed Hydraulic Models) TCD 1980 Chartered Engineer IEI, 1993 FIEI & FCI Arb 2000 MSc (Construction Law & Arbitration) KCL 2003 Accredited Mediator CI Arb 2005 Chartered Arbitrator CI Arb
Career history	1969-1972 Research Engineer with McCabe Delaney & Assoc (hyd. model) 1972 Resident Engineer with Roadstone Limited (roads & underpass) 1972-1973 Contracts Engineer with Irish Industrial Tanks Limited (tank erection) 1974-1975 Resident Engineer with McCabe Delaney & Assoc. (harbour works) 1975-1978 Site Manager with Public Works Limited (pipelines & harbour works) 1979-1980 Site Manager with Irish Enco Limited (harbour works) 1980-1985 Consulting Engineer t/a Ross & Co (civil, structural, water, planning) 1985-1988 Project Manager with Saudi Consulting Services (roads & housing) 1988-1990 Director & General Manager of Thew (UK) Limited (building & civil) 1990-1994 Construction Contracts Consultant t/a Layng Ross 1994-1997 Senior Consultant with James R Knowles Limited 1997-to date Construction Dispute Resolver t/a Layng Ross
Positions held	1980-1983 Hon. Secretary, Midleton Chamber of Commerce 1992-to date Committee Member, Southern and South East Branches CI Arb 2001-2003 Chairman, South East Branch CI Arb 2001-to date Trustee, Worshipful Co. of Arbitrators Charitable Trust 2002-2004 Council Member of Society of Construction Law 2003-2005 Course Director of Adjudicator Training CI Arb 2003-2005 Newsletter Editor, Worshipful Company of Arbitrators 2004-to date Court Assistant, Worshipful Company of Arbitrators 2005-2008 Chairman of Students, Worshipful Company of Arbitrators 2010-to date Hon. Treasurer, South East Branch CI Arb
Dispute resolution experience	Conciliation: 10 no. as Conciliator; 3 no. of which were roads disputes ranging from €5.5m to €97.5m, of which 2 no. settled at or within 0.5% of Conciliator's Recommendation, and the third is still in hand. Adjudication: 26 no. as Adjudicator + 19 no. as Party Rep. + 3 no. as Expert Witness Arbitration: 2 no. as Arbitrator + 12 no. as Party Rep. + 3 no. as Expert Witness Litigation: 20 no. as Expert Witness Mediation: Mediator of 1 no. construction dispute, and in excess of 20 no. neighbour disputes. Negotiation: Has achieved settlements of in excess of 50 no. disputes without recourse to formal dispute resolution procedures.
Specific areas of expertise	Building, Civil and Structural Engineering, Marine Works, Geotechnical, Drainage & Hydrology, Piling, Concrete & Steelworks, Roadworks, Programming and Project Management, Construction Contracts and Disputes Resolution.

Declaration: *I accept responsibility for the accuracy of the particulars contained in this form including my qualifications and I agree that, when submitted, its contents will be made available on the Engineers Ireland website www.engineersireland.ie*

I agree to the declaration above: **John Derek Layng Ross**, 2 September 2010.