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CTILS.com is a public legal service platform on cross-border trade and investment, organized by the Department of Legal Affairs of CCPIT. It provides public and one-stop foreign-related commercial legal services including online consultation, legal database, case inquiry, trade warnings, training courses and other communications via the website and the WeChat official account, to solve legal problems encountered by enterprises in cross-border trade and investment, such as intellectual property rights protection, risk management, dispute prevention and resolution, trade remedy, export control and economic sanctions, anti-monopoly, national security review, overseas interest protection and early warning, etc.

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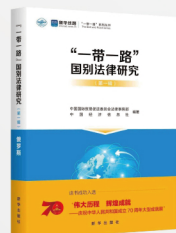
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Belt and Road Countries' Laws and Regulations Research Series



CCPIT launched the research project on Belt and Road countries' laws and regulations in 2016. With the strong support from relevant ministries and commissions, sub-councils of CCPIT, overseas cooperation institutions, domestic and foreign legal experts and various social groups, the project covering

64 Belt and Road countries was successfully completed. Subsequently, the Department of Legal Affairs of CCPIT and China Economic Information Service published the relevant work in the form of a series of books to provide Chinese businesses with first-hand practical legal information and practical cases of legal risks in terms of foreign investment, trade, taxation, finance, land, labor and environmental protection in the countries concerned. It serves as a reference for Chinese businesses to carry out investment and cooperation in relevant countries and a window into the local laws and regulations as well.

In 2019, the above Series was selected into "Extraordinary Journey, Magnificent Achievements -- the Grand Exhibition of Achievements in Commemoration of the 70th Anniversary of the Founding of the People's Republic of China".

The Global Economic and Trade Measures Index (GETMI)

CCPIT compiles and releases the reports of the Global Economic and Trade Measures Index (GETMI) for quantitative analysis of global economic and trade frictions. It selects 20 major countries/regions as its research subjects according to their representativeness in the global trade and economy, shares in trade with China, and their geographical locations. By calculating and analyzing basic data of technical trade measures, trade remedy measures, import and export control measures, tariff measures, and other restrictive measures, GETMI gives its prediction on the trends of global economic and trade frictions, filling in the blank of comprehensive quantitative analysis and research in this field. GETMI releases monthly and annual reports.

Selection and Publication of Investment Arbitration Cases

With the continuous advancement of "the Belt and Road Initiative" and the accelerated pace of "Going Global" by Chinese businesses, China has successfully turned from a country using foreign capital to a country investing abroad, which marks a leapfrog development of its outbound investment. At present, China is the second largest source of foreign investment, and the amount of foreign investment it attracts also ranks second in the world. Naturally, the need for professional and specialized interpretation of international investment dispute arbitration cases has emerged from Chinese businesses. In light of this, the Department of Legal Affairs of CCPIT entrusted Institute of International Law, Wuhan University to conduct related case studies, with a view to providing tangible and useful public legal service for businesses going global.

Global Intellectual Property Protection Index (GIPPI)

In order to meet the needs of the government and the industrial and commercial circles accessing and evaluating the information on global IP Protection, CCPIT launched a research on relevant indices. On the basis of sufficient research and thorough discussion, 15 major countries are selected as research objects according to their representativeness in the global economy, trade and investment, their shares in trade with China, geographic location and their IP protection activeness, etc. The news and information on their IP protection are collected and released all year round. On the basis of the research and studies on the foundation, environment, management, international cooperation and performance of IP protection, etc., CCPIT will build an index system and eventually compile the Reports on Global IP Protection Index.

Commercial Arbitration and Mediation

Commercial Arbitration & Mediation(No.CN 10-1667/F) is a bi-monthly journal supervised by CCPIT and co-hosted by China Academy of Arbitration Law and China Trade News. It is an academic research and communication platform that pools the discussions on hot issues, theoretical and practical studies, case studies and other high-quality papers in the field of commercial arbitration and mediation. Adhering to the correct orientation of public opinion and operation, the journal publishes cases on commercial arbitration and mediation and interprets related laws and regulations in order to facilitate foreign trade practices, promote exchanges and cooperation in international trade, and improve China's international trade discourse and influence.

Expert Teams

The Legal Advisory Committee on Economic and Trade Friction is the legal advisory body and important external think tank of CCPIT. The purpose of the committee is to provide professional, timely and efficient legal advisory and consulting service for the Department of Legal Affairs of CCPIT, overseas representative offices and sub-councils, as well as companies and enterprises. It can help China's industries and businesses improve their capability of legal risk prevention and management, offer advisory support for CCPIT to handle with economic and trade frictions.

Overseas Standing Legal Counsels is the legal advisory body composed of and selected from professional institutions and law firms by CCPIT, the purpose of which is to provide legal service for CCPIT and companies in the fields of economic and trade friction, anti-monopoly, free trade zones, security reviews, intellectual property rights (IPR), commercial rules, customs affairs, investment, arbitration, mediation, etc. Since 2016, CCPIT overseas standing legal counsels have covered countries or regions such as the United States, EU, Latin America, ASEAN, Eurasia etc, who have been playing an active role in improving CCPIT's level of professionalism, specialization, refinement and internationalization in handling with economic and trade frictions. Currently, the Counsels are responsible for consultations related to areas of America and Oceania, Europe and Asia.

Advisory Panel for CCPIT as UNCITRAL Observer Established in 1966, UNCITRAL is an international authority which formulates international commercial laws and guides the development of international commercial rules. CCPIT has attached great importance to participating in the work of UNCITRAL, and became an NGO observer to the UNCITRAL and all the six working groups in 2019. In order to better perform its duties as an observer and improve our right of international discourse, CCPIT established the Advisory Panel as its external, independent, professional and international advisory body through public recruitment. The Panel carries out tasks such as strategic and forward-looking researches, issue tracking and topic design, etc. to effectively facilitate CCPIT's participation in global governance as a representative of the Chinese business community.