Litigating legal black holes

More activity and more private actors in space, means more disputes. Understand how and where those disputes will be resolved to prepare your business.

To mitigate risks and ensure your business is prepared to leverage new opportunities, ask yourself the right questions, including:

- What claims might I have and what claims could there be against me – for incidents that occur in the space industry, including in orbit?
- What control do I have over the forum in which disputes arising in space will be resolved, and why does this matter?
- Should I arbitrate a space dispute and how do I ensure the dispute can be quickly, efficiently and confidentially resolved?
- What evidentiary challenges arise in relation to events in orbit and how can these be surmounted?
- What is the regulatory enforcement landscape, and what are the current enforcement priorities, relating to space activities?
- How can public enforcement by State agencies turn into private enforcement through class actions and follow-on claims?
- Why do data protection and cybersecurity issues present complex litigation challenges for space operators?



Unrivalled expertise in dispute resolution



Our global experts bring together multi-sectoral expertise to assess the litigation risks facing commercial space operations over the next decade and analyse how the growing risk of disputes will impact businesses. Please contact any one of our specialists to join the conversation.



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