Changsha Mediation Summit

*Changsha to host the 3rd CCPIT International Mediation Summit on 11th of September 2018*

As a non-conflict approach, commercial mediation plays a crucial role in resolving international disputes and establishing harmonious trade relations, which has attracted considerable attention from the international society, governments and the business world.

To explore ideas, worldwide dispute resolution approaches and to promote the multiple dispute resolution mechanisms under ‘Belt & Road’ initiative, the China Council for the Promotion of International Trade (the CCPIT) held 2 international mediation summits, in Beijing in 2016 and in Hangzhou in 2017, which received positive feedback in China and the rest of the world. The International Mediation Summit has become an important forum for mediators, arbitrators, lawyers and other legal processional to exchange ideas and develop cooperation.

To further deepen communication and cooperation, the CCPIT will host the next International Mediation Summit 2018 in Changsha, Hunan province from the 11th to 13th of September. The welcome dinner will be on the 11th with the summit starting from 12th until noon of 13th. The summit will be supported and hosted by the China Ministry of Justice of the People’s Republic of China, the CCPIT and the Hunan Provincial People's Government, organized by the Department of Grass-roots Work Guidance of MOJ, the CCPIT Commercial Legal Service Center and the CCPIT Hunan, also supported by China Supreme People's Court, the China Law Society, the All Chinese Lawyers' Association and the Department of Justice Hong Kong SAR.

The summit’s theme is ‘Discussions on International Consulting and Dispute Resolution Mechanisms’, sub-topics including ‘Implementing the Belt & Road Initiative, Preventing and resolving Trade and Investment Disputes’, ‘Constructing Multiple Dispute Resolution Mechanisms’, ‘Updates on the Development of Recognition and Enforcement of Mediated Settlement Agreements currently being undertaken by UNCITRAL’ ‘Domestic and International Commercial Mediation Case Sharing’ and ‘The Role of Lawyers under Consulting Dispute Resolution Mechanism’.

Mediators, arbitrators, judges, jurists, lawyers and other legal professionals are warmly welcome to join the International Mediation Summit 2018 in Changsha on September 11th.

Please save the dates for this precious opportunity!