

**INTERNATIONAL CENTRE FOR SETTLEMENT OF INVESTMENT DISPUTES**

*Fouad Alghanim & Sons Co. for General Trading & Contracting, W.L.L. and  
Mr Fouad Mohammed Thunyan Alghanim v Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan  
(ICSID Case No. ARB/13/38)*

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**PROCEDURAL ORDER NO 5  
ON PROCEDURAL MATTERS IN ADVANCE OF THE HEARING**

**3 March 2016**

*The Tribunal*

The Honourable L. Yves Fortier, PC CC OQ QC  
Professor Marcelo G. Kohen  
Professor Campbell McLachlan, QC (President)

*Secretary to the Tribunal*

Ms. Aïssatou Diop

*Assistant to the Tribunal*

Mr. Jack Wass

The Tribunal refers to the Claimants' request for procedural orders made by letter of 29 February 2016. The Tribunal has considered the Claimants' request, and the parties' subsequent observations by letters of 2 March and 3 March 2016, and orders as follows:

1. With respect to the application to file further evidence:
  - (a) The Claimants are to file, by close of business on Monday 7 March 2016 (London time), a reasoned request for leave to file any further evidence by way of rebuttal. That request shall particularise (i) what material in the Respondent's Rejoinder (or accompanying evidence) is new, such that it is necessary for the Claimants to be given an opportunity to respond to it by the submission of further evidence; and (ii) what evidence the Claimants propose to file in response, including the identity of the witnesses and the topics on which those witnesses would give evidence.
  - (b) The Respondent is to file any response to that request by close of business on Thursday 10 March 2016, following which the Tribunal will determine the application forthwith.
2. The parties will have the opportunity to file written opening skeletons, limited to 20 A4 sides (11 point Times New Roman, 1.5 spacing). Those skeletons are to be submitted simultaneously to the Secretary by close of business Tuesday 19 April 2016, following receipt of which the Secretary shall distribute both skeletons to the parties and to the members of the Tribunal.
3. The parties are to arrange for all expert witnesses to promptly hold joint meetings in their respective locations. By 12 April 2016, each set of experts is to file a joint statement which records, in respect of each relevant topic, the matters on which the experts are agreed, and in summary form the points on which the experts disagree and the basis for their different opinions.
4. The parties are invited to cooperate with respect to the production of agreed translations for the assistance of the Tribunal at the hearing.

For and on behalf of the Arbitral Tribunal

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Professor Campbell McLachlan QC  
President of the Tribunal  
Date: 3 March 2016