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David is both Chartered Engineer and Chartered Arbitrator, and is a European Engineer, registered in Brussels. He is a Fellow of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers and a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators.

David hails from the West Midlands, having lived in North Worcestershire. He was educated at Kings Norton Grammar School, Birmingham. He started his career, as did many engineers of his generation, in the nuclear industry with GEC with whom he had served a student apprenticeship alongside his Honours Degree in Mechanical Engineering. In 1970 he transferred his interest to process contracting in the water and wastewater industry, most notably with Hawker Siddeley, and in solid waste incineration/



processing and recycling, where he held a number of engineering and management posts. In 1985 as General Manager of the UK Systems Division of a Swedish group, he was developing and controlling a business as designers and contractors/integrators of projects in high technology, computer controlled, automated warehousing and materials handling.

From 1990, under the banner of his own limited company, he then provided a service of high level expertise in engineering contracts topics to client companies: contractors and purchasers of process plants, capital plant & equipment. Subsequently he trained further and from 1996 took appointments as arbitrator, adjudicator and expert determiner – mainly in relation to contracts in a broad range of engineering and process topics.

For many years David was a committee member of the Thames Valley Branch of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators and served in several capacities including three years as Branch Chairman. He has been a member of the Institution of Chemical Engineer's Dispute Resolution Committee since 2003. In other spheres David was a committee member of Thames Valley Chamber of Commerce and was for five years (2000-2005) Chairman of the College Corporation of Bracknell & Wokingham College.

David has a continuing professional interest in promoting dispute resolution and is a member of the Society of Construction Arbitrators, the Society of Construction Law and the Adjudication Society.

David and his wife Kate moved to Wiltshire in late 2016 where they enjoy many rural leisure pursuits. David also aspires to being a proficient golfer.