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After Clause 4

LORD HACKING

After Clause 4, insert the following new Clause –

"Safeguarding against fraud and corruption

In section 33 of the Arbitration Act 1996 (general duty of the tribunal), after subsection (1)(b) insert —

"(c) safeguard the arbitration proceedings against fraud and corruption.""

Before Clause 10

LORD HACKING

Before Clause 10, insert the following new Clause –

"Award of costs

In section 61(2) of the Arbitration Act 1996 (award of costs), for the words from "costs should follow" to the end substitute "a reasonable amount of the costs of the successful party should be paid by the other party or parties, but account should be taken of costs incurred by the another party which were unnecessary or excessive in whole or in part and should not fall to be paid by the successful party.""

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