

# **UNITED NATIONS COMMISSION ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW (UNCITRAL)**

## *UNCITRAL Model Law on International Commercial Arbitration*

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### **EXPLANATORY NOTE BY THE UNCITRAL SECRETARIAT ON THE MODEL LAW ON INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL ARBITRATION**

#### **A. Background to the Model Law**

1. Inadequacy of domestic laws
2. Disparity between national laws

#### **B. Salient features of the Model Law**

1. Special procedural regime for international commercial arbitration
  2. Arbitration agreement
  3. Composition of arbitral tribunal
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