

Arbitration Case #4

Date: 2008

Summary

A dispute between two managers (Manager A and Manager B) in LIR D led to the split of the LIR and disagreement about paid and outstanding services fees.

Details of Case

Manager A was listed as the main contractual contact for LIR D and in the government registration of companies as LIR D's Managing Director. After an internal dispute, Manager B contacted the RIPE NCC asking for Manager A to be removed from LIR-contract status.

Both managers agreed to arbitration.

Arbitration Ruling

In conjunction with the Arbiter, Manager A, Manager B and the RIPE NCC agreed that:

- LIR D should be transferred to Manager B who would then be responsible for all RIPE NCC service fee invoices from 2007 onwards
- Manager A would start a new LIR (LIR E) and the RIPE NCC would waive the sign-up fee for LIR E
- As Manager A had paid the Q1 2007 fee for LIR D, the RIPE NCC booked this fee as payment received from LIR E