

## **David M. Benck**

Mr. Benck is a dual US/Luxembourg citizen authorized to work in both the US and the EU.

Mr. Benck graduated from Birmingham-Southern College (BA-Economics, 1990), including international educational travel to China, Taiwan, Australia and New Zealand. He obtained his Juris Doctorate from the University of Alabama School of Law (JD, 1993).

Professionally, he serves as the Vice President, General Counsel and Assistant Secretary for Hibbett Sporting Goods, Inc. (Nasdaq: HIBB), a billion dollar, full line sporting goods distributor headquartered in Birmingham, Alabama with nearly 1,100 retail locations in approximately 36 US states. He also chairs the Enterprise Risk Committee and serves as Hibbett's Chief Privacy Officer.

In addition to his role as chief legal officer for Hibbett Sporting Goods, Mr. Benck serves in the following capacities:

- The Court of Arbitration for Sport (Lausanne, Switzerland) – Arbitrator;
- UK Sport Resolution (London, UK) – Arbitrator;
- American Arbitration Association/ International Centre for Dispute Resolution [AAA/ICDR] with offices in New York, Bahrain, Mexico City and Singapore- Council Member, National Sports Advisory Committee Member, Member of the Large Case Committee, and Arbitrator on Commercial, Employment, and Sport panels. Mr. Benck has arbitrated over 100 disputes, as a single arbitrator or on a panel;
- Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, representing the Birmingham District – Board of Directors and Business Inflation Panel Member;
- Inaugural member of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Independent Resolution Panel.
- The World Games 2021 Birmingham- Member of the Board of Directors;
- Society of International Business Fellows- Member;
- United States Council for International Business (USCIB) - Arbitrator Database;
- Atlanta International Arbitration Society- Member;
- United States Anti-Doping Agency (USADA) – formerly member of USADA Anti-Doping Review Board;
- USA Track and Field- formerly member of National Athletics Board of Review (NABR Panel);
- USA Gymnastics – (Indianapolis, Indiana) – formerly Board of Directors;
- Cumberland School of Law- Adjunct Professor of Law (not teaching in 2018).