

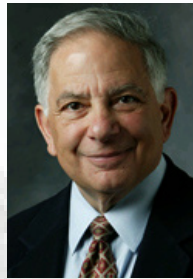


FedArb is a private-court system for arbitration and mediation of civil cases. FedArb Rules are based on federal procedure and incorporate an appellate review process. FedArb has assembled some of the finest arbitrators and mediators in the U.S. from the ranks of former federal and state judges, magistrates, and experienced private practitioners. With FedArb, you can confidently choose an individual or a panel capable of delivering high-quality service.

FedArb arbitrators are held to their contractual deadlines, which may not be unilaterally altered by arbitrators. Our system incorporates all necessary disclosure from arbitrators, and high ethical standards of conduct, supervised by the FedArb Council. All procedures are confidential. Our web site provides an up-to-date secure status review of your case.

Parties may customize their arbitration procedures to foster cost efficiency and to tailor the amount of discovery to the individual case. You can reserve the right to appeal, or waive it, limit discovery, or choose full-fledged federal discovery for complex cases. The FedArb appellate process ensures adherence to precedent, as in the court system, while retaining the cost efficiencies and confidentiality of arbitration.

FedArb Rules



Hon Abraham D. Sofaer
Chairman and Founder
U. S. District Court,
S.D. N.Y. (1979-1985)

The FedArb Rules are the product of many years of experience on the federal court bench in the U.S., and in domestic and international arbitrations. The Rules incorporate the best of each system.

FedArb Rules track the FRCP, at the same time allowing maximum choice for the parties, as in arbitration. We add efficiency by using web technology and electronic delivery. We guarantee that parties will avoid the long delays caused by decision-making inefficiency.

The Fixed Price Option

One of the most disappointing aspects of litigation and arbitration today is the inability of parties to know how long a matter will take to complete, and how much it will cost. FedArb offers to conduct arbitrations with guaranteed limits on time and cost to disposition.

FedArb asks parties how much discovery and how many hearing days they need, and based on our discussions, we calculate a price. Parties will know what an arbitration will cost, and can avoid cost overruns. You set the date for the completion of your case.

We will include that date in the contract terms so that your arbitrator or panel will issue the award in the time allotted. Call us for a free consultation.

Appeals

With FedArb, parties have the security of an appellate review process to ensure that arbitrators correctly apply controlling precedents. FedArb judges have operated in courts where appeals are routinely available, and are attuned to the usefulness of a review process.

Parties can waive an appeal before the arbitration begins, or after the Award is issued, if cost savings and an earlier date of finality for the Award are a priority.

FedArb Council

The FedArb Council ensures accountability by providing a framework for governance of the arbitration process. Its members, distinguished former federal judges, review disputes concerning FedArb Rules, facilitate resolution of ethical problems, and are available to deal with complaints about the performance or conduct of arbitrators.

Council members may also serve as arbitrators or on appeal panels with other participating arbitrators. The Council gives parties a forum for definitive resolution of issues that otherwise might jeopardize the progress of a case.

Participating Arbitrators

FedArb has recruited a panel of former federal judges and other experienced individuals capable of integrating the advantages of litigating in the federal courts of the United States with the advantages of arbitration. You can examine the credentials of participating arbitrators on the FedArb website, and read published decisions of the former judges to learn how they handle the evidence and the law.

Case System

FedArb's technology automates scheduling, tracking, and managing cases. Each case has its own web space, where parties can post documents and filings. Lawyers and clients can track expenses incurred for arbitration services, as well as the progress of each case.

FedArb is committed to offering the highest level of service in managing your case. Your case manager is there to resolve problems and keep cases on track, and our systems are built with a high level of security and redundancy to ensure privacy and security.

Call us to discuss how we can help you with your next arbitration or mediation.

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