

# Banks in the Spotlight

A recent decision of the Federal Court governing the relationship between lender and borrower concerning terms in security documentation caused a stir in the industry. Does this merit a closer look into standard banking documentation? How does this affect recovery?

Other cases of note have raised practical considerations for banks as lenders and creditors with the coming into effect of the provisions under the Companies Act 2016 and the Insolvency Act 1967 relating to corporate rescue and the protection of individuals who stand as guarantors respectively. Are these inroads possibly being exploited by debtors? Are the provisions of the Insolvency Act 1967 too guarantor friendly? Alternatively, do these new mechanisms boost the financial services offered by Malaysian banks?

In this session, our guest speaker, Choong Shaw Mei, formerly a practising advocate and solicitor and also an inhouse legal adviser with an established bank in Malaysia, and a present-day academician at the University of Malaya, will collaborate with our partners, Ng Sai Yeang and Mark La Brooy, to provide an overview of these decisions.

We look forward to having you join us for this discussion where we will examine these decisions and highlight the steps which banks should put in place moving forward.

**DATE** 25<sup>th</sup> April 2019  
**TIME** 9:30am to 12:30pm  
**VENUE** Raja, Darryl & Loh  
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