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Checklist For An Arbitration Hearing

Stating the Claim

Be clear and complete Include requests for re-imbursement of: arbitration fee, and legal fees that may be incurred in obtaining confirmation of an award in court or in the successful defense of an award

Quality Claim

arrange for joint sampling of the merchandise. Arbitrators will generally want to see samples even if an inspection report is submitted.

Default

establish precise time of default document market prices at time of default

Statement of Facts

submit summary statement of undisputed facts state clearly what the dispute involves

Documentation

submit originals and three copies of contract and all documents related to the dispute, including correspondence, bills of lading, warehouse receipts, etc.

N.B. For more detail see "Preparation For An Arbitration Hearing"