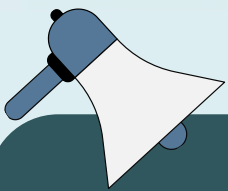


ARCANA(AB) FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER



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NEWS UPDATE!

UPDATED FEE SCHEDULE

ARCANA is pleased to share that our fee schedule has been updated to better reflect our services and support our ongoing commitment to quality and excellence.

With over two years experience under our belt, ARCANA(AB) is positioned to offer the lowest possible fees.

Construction Adjudication Supporting the PPCLA of Alberta

ARCANA (AB), an appointed Nominating Authority for construction adjudication in the province of Alberta, is pleased to release its third newsletter for 2025 with some key updates. ARCANA (AB) functions as a partnership between the ADR Institute of Alberta (ADRIA), the ADR Institute of Canada (ADRIC), and the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS). For more detail and information about ARCANA, visit our website <https://adralberta.com/prompt-payment/>

What is Adjudication?

Adjudication is a form of expedited dispute resolution used to resolve construction disputes quickly and cost effectively. As laid out in Provincial legislation (the Prompt Payment Construction Lien Act), adjudication is the preferred dispute resolution mechanism for construction sector disputes that cannot otherwise be resolved by the parties.

Adjudication is a fast, straightforward process where an independent Adjudicator, appointed by a Nominating Authority, resolves disputes under a strict timetable—usually within one month of receiving both parties' submissions



Why Choose ARCANA

Affordable Fee Structure

Experienced Roster Members

Timely and Efficient Adjudication Services

Industry-Recognized Expertise



Follow us on LinkedIn to stay updated on news, events, and information.

HIGHLIGHTS

(DECEMBER- JANUARY)

NUMBER OF
APPLICATIONS (NOTICES)

9

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION

Spread across 5
municipalities

VALUE OF CLAIMS

Majority Tier 2
(\$15,000 - \$100,000) and
Tier 3
(\$100,001 - \$500,000)

OUTCOMES

Most of the files are in
progress

Adjudication – Industry Awareness Session

Building on the success of its previous orientation session, ARCANA is planning another in-person industry session in Calgary focused on construction adjudication. This session is intended to support industry with a clearer understanding of the adjudication process and encourage broader sector engagement. The session will include a brief presentation on the wider scope of adjudication, highlighting its relevance beyond payment disputes, as well as an overview of Section 19. **If you are interested in attending this session, please email us at arcana@adralberta.com.**

Adjudicator – Continuing Professional Development

ARCANA is planning its first professional development workshop of the year for its roster members in March.

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