U.S. Supreme Court to Rule on Important International Arbitration Issue

The United States Supreme Court has agreed to resolve a key issue in international arbitration agreements: whether the New York Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards permits a non-signatory to an arbitration agreement to compel arbitration against a signatory to arbitration based on the doctrine of equitable estoppel.

A post on the Harris Bricken **China Law Blog** points out that the question has split the circuit courts, meaning that now the answer to the question depends on where in the United States the dispute is being litigated.

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