



We can provide accounting advice and expert witness services on business and share valuations and loss quantification in the context of litigation or dispute.

KPMG can help. Some questions to consider:

- Are you involved in a dispute involving the valuation of an individual business or a group of businesses?
- Does your claim involve the valuation of a minority or majority shareholding?
- Do you require industry or market specific valuation experience?
- Do you require a valuation as a result of a compulsory purchase order?
- Are you seeking a settlement to a family or matrimonial dispute involving the valuation of a business?
- Have you suffered losses from a disruption of your business as a result of another party's negligence or breach, or through an insured event?

You may need

Valuation advice in a dispute situation.

Knowledge of procedural requirements and approaches.

Industry-specific valuation experience.

Capacity to undertake valuation dispute resolution on a local or international level.

We can provide

A rigorous and objective valuation approach based on extensive valuations experience and specific industry knowledge.

Experienced expert witnesses with a thorough knowledge and experience of valuations and dispute resolution processes.

A multi-disciplinary team of professionals providing credible written evidence and / or oral testimony to a court or arbitration.

The resources of a global network of firms. Knowledge of local 'preferred practice' and awareness of cultural differences to valuation approaches.

Potential benefits to you

Informed decision-making. A realistic expectation of a settlement outcome.

Key issues addressed early and legal procedures adhered to. Effective resolution of the dispute.

Specific market experience leads to identification of industry specific issues which may affect valuation outcome.

A joined up, consistent methodology across jurisdictions, saving time and costs.

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Experience

Case 1

We were instructed by a major shareholder of a high end restaurant to assist in a shareholder dispute in Hong Kong. We assisted the client to quantify the valuation of the group (which is the subject of the dispute). We participated in the mediation process and provided expert witness support services in the Court.

Case 2

We were appointed as a single joint expert for a matrimonial divorce case in Hong Kong. Our expert provided both written evidence and oral testimony to the High Court of Hong Kong.

Case 3

Our client, a Hong Kong based company was awarded a favourable order for its claim damages arising from an improper termination of a contract by the opposing party by the arbitration court. KPMG assisted the client to quantify the losses as a result for the breach of the contract.

Case 4

A PRC based utility company filed an insurance claim to its insurer against its policy coverage on machinery breakdown and consequential loss. We were appointed by an insurance company to assist in the quantification of the loss sustained by a PRC company. We carried out a valuation of the agent's business and challenged the quantum of damages claimed. This led to a successful negotiated settlement for our client, which avoided a court appearance.

Key Messages

KPMG's Valuation Dispute Advisory Services is recognised by industry bodies for its wide-ranging experience in dealing with financial aspects of claim involving business or share valuations.

We can provide multi-disciplinary teams comprising valuation specialists and professionals with actuarial, tax, corporate finance and forensic experience.

As part of a global network, we have an international outlook and are able to respond quickly to enquiries. We aim to provide you with relevant valuation advice to your specific industry sector and circumstances.

Our expert witnesses have given oral evidence on numerous occasions in Hong Kong and internationally.

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