



## AAA® Dispute Resolution Board Fees

Rules Effective December 1, 2000

Fees Effective January 1, 2010

A nonrefundable filing fee of \$3,050 for a three (3) member Dispute Resolution Board (DRB) or \$1,525 for a single member Dispute Resolution Board shall be paid to the American Arbitration Association (AAA) together with the Request for DRB Assistance.

An additional fee of \$300 is due and payable to the AAA for each Site visit or Hearing scheduled.

The expenses of witnesses for the Owner and the Contractor shall be paid by the party producing such witnesses. All other hearing expenses, including required travel and other expenses of the Board members and any witness and the cost of any proof produced at the direct request of the DRB, shall be borne equally by the parties unless they agree otherwise. Dispute Resolution Board members shall charge a rate consistent with the member's stated rate of compensation. Unless agreed otherwise by the Owner and the Contractor, any arrangement for compensation of a Dispute Resolution Board member shall be made through the AAA and not directly between the parties and the member. Member compensation and expenses shall not exceed guidelines presented to the AAA along with the Request for DRB Assistance.

The AAA may require the Owner and the Contractor to deposit in advance such sums of money as it deems appropriate to cover the expense of the DRB process, including Dispute Resolution Board member fees and expenses, if any, and shall render an accounting to the parties and return any unexpended balance at the conclusion of the Dispute Resolution Board's services.