

## Compare Dispute Resolution Processes

	Third Party Involved	Third Party Decides	Who Controls Process	Private or Public	Needs or Rights based	Supported by Legislation	Duration	Relative Cost
<b>Negotiation</b>	No	No	Parties	Private	Needs	No	Days	Very Low
<b>Adjudication</b>	Yes	Yes	Adjudicator	Private	Rights	Yes	Weeks	Low
<b>Mediation</b>	Yes	No	Parties	Private	Needs	No	Weeks	Low to Medium
<b>Conciliation</b>	Yes	Advises	Parties	Private	Needs	No	Weeks	Low to Medium
<b>Expert Determination</b>	Yes	Yes	Parties	Private	Rights	No	Weeks	Low to Medium
<b>Arbitration</b>	Yes	Yes	Parties	Private	Rights	Yes	Months	Med to High
<b>Litigation</b>	Yes	Yes	Courts	Public	Rights	Yes	Years	Very High