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Prosecution Date: 29 November 2023

Decision - Prosecution

Outcome: Referral to Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal

Outcome date: 29 November 2023

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Firm details

Firm or organisation at time of matters giving rise to outcome

Name: Maddox Legal Limited

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Firm ID: 644314

Firm or organisation at date of publication

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Outcome details

This outcome was reached by SRA decision.

Reasons/basis

This notification relates to a Decision to prosecute before the Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal. This is an independent Tribunal which will reach its own decision after considering all the evidence, including any evidence put forward by the Solicitor. The Tribunal has certified that there is a case to answer in respect of allegations which are or include that:-

Between around 2 December 2019 and 6 January 2020 he inappropriately requested and obtained payment from a client into a personal joint bank account, and failed to repay these sums until December 2020.



The allegations are subject to a Hearing before the Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal and are as yet unproven. <u>Search again [https://guidance.sra.org.uk/consumers/solicitor-check/]</u>