

Consultation responses from the SRA

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Legal Services Board Statement of Policy: first-tier complaints

17 November 2025

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/lsb-statement-policy-first-tier-complaints/] Legal Services Board statement of policy: Empowering Consumers in the Legal Services Market

23 October 2024

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/empowering-consumers-legal-services-market/] Reform of the Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorism Financing Supervisory Regime

23 October 2023

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/reform-anti-money-laundering-counter-terrorism-financing-supervisory-regime/] Legal Services Board: Draft statement of policy on ongoing competence

07 March 2022

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/legal-services-board-draft-statement-of-policy-on-ongoing-competence/] OLC Business Plan and Budget 2021-22

06 January 2021

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/olc-business-plan-and-budget-2021-22/] Economic Crime Levy Consultation: Response of the Solicitors Regulation Authority (SRA)

10 December 2020

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/economic-crime-levy-consultation/] Response to the Legal Services Board's Call for Evidence:
Ongoing Competence

29 June 2020

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/lsb-ongoing-competence/] Legal Services Board (LSB) supplementary consultation on proposed Internal Governance Rules

06 March 2020

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/legal-services-board-



<u>Isb-consultation-on-supplementary-consultation-on-proposed-internal-governance-rules/</u>]

<u>Draft Business Plan 2019/20 Legal Services Board</u>

06 March 2020

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/lsb-consultation-on-draft-business-plan-2019-20/] Office for Legal Complaints corporate strategy for 2020-23 and business plan for 2020-21

12 February 2020

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/office-for-legal-complaints-corporate-strategy-2020-23-business-plan-2020-21/] Legal Ombudsman discussion paper: Transparency and Reporting Impact

19 December 2019

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/transparency-reporting-impact/] Transposition of the Fifth Money Laundering Directive

14 June 2019

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/fifth-money-laundering-directive/] Confidentiality clauses: measures to prevent misuse in situations of workplace harassment or discrimination

30 May 2019

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/confidentiality-clauses/] Joint committee on the draft Registration of Overseas Entities Bill - SRA response

27 March 2019

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/draft-registration-overseas-entities-bill/] Revising the Mental Capacity Act 2005 Code of Practice: Call for evidence - SRA response

18 March 2019

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/revising-the-mental-capacity-act/] BEIS and RDA consultation on ethnicity pay reporting - SRA response

11 February 2019

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/beis-rda-consultation-ethnicity-pay-reporting/] SRA response: Legal Ombudsman 2019/20 business plan and budget

17 January 2019

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/leo-2019-20-business-



plan/] Reform of the Gender Recognition Act 2004

31 October 2018

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/reform-gender-recognition-act-2004/] Vulnerable People Inquiry APPG on Financial Crime and Scamming

30 October 2018

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/vulnerable-people-inquiry/] Opening trade negotiations with Australia / New Zealand / The United States / The Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership, Department for International Trade

30 October 2018

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/opening-trade-negotiations/] Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal consultation on the making of procedural rules in relation to applications to the tribunal

27 September 2018

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/sdt-applications/]
Legal Services Consumer Panel's draft three year strategy and work
programme

05 March 2018

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/legal-services-consumer-panel-response/] Strategy 2018-21 and Business Plan 2018/19 Legal Services Board

26 February 2018

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/strategy-business-plan-2018-lsb/] The Legal Services Board consultation on reviewing Internal Governance Rules

15 February 2018

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/igr-response/] Legal Ombudsman's Consultation on our business plan and budget 2018-2019

24 January 2018

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/legal-ombudsman-response/] Consultation on proposed maintenance amendments to the laws that regulate the financial services industry and other non-financial businesses and professions in Jersey

05 December 2017

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/jersey-fsc/]
Competition and Markets Authority Legal Services Market Study Report

29 June 2017

<u>Our report on Competition and Markets Authority Legal Services Market Study</u>

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/cma-report/] BSB consultation on standard of proof

13 June 2017

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/bsb-response/] HM Treasury consultation on the Money Laundering Regulations 2017

13 April 2017

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/mlr-regs-hm-treasury/] Consultation on the Legal Services Board Business Plan 2017/18

24 January 2017

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/lsb-business-plan-2017-18/] Justice Select Committee inquiry: implications of Brexit for the justice system

30 November 2016

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/brexit-justice-enquiry/] Competition and Markets Authority Digital Comparison Tools Market Study

22 November 2016

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/cma-dtc-market-study/] HM Treasury 2016 Autumn Statement

17 October 2016

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/autumn-statement-2016/] Competition and Markets Authority Legal Services Market Study Interim Report

30 August 2016

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/cma-interim-report/] Ministry of Justice's consultation on 'Legal services: removing barriers to competition'

01 August 2016

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/moj-removing-barriers-competition/] General Pharmaceutical Council's consultation on



standards for pharmacy professionals

<u>06 July 2016</u>

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/standard-pharmacy-professionals/] Options to refine the UK competition regime

24 June 2016

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/options-refine-uk-competition-regime/] Department for Business, Innovation and Skills' National Innovation Plan: call for ideas

<u>07 June 2016</u>

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/national-innovation-plan/] HM Treasury Call For Information: Anti-Money Laundering Supervisory Regime

<u>03 June 2016</u>

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/aml-supervisory-scheme/] Consultation by Lord Chief Justice of England and Wales on reforming the courts' approach to McKenzie Friends

20 May 2016

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/mckenzie-friends/] Legal Ombudsman consultation on Proposed ADR Scheme Rules

09 December 2015

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/leo-adr-scheme-rules/] Ministry of Justice consultation on Preserving and Enhancing the Quality of Criminal Advocacy

02 December 2015

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/moj-quality-criminal-advocacy/] Consultation on removing the seven year rule for exemptions from CILEx qualifications

30 November 2015

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/cilex-seven-year-rule/]
The Future of Training for the Bar: Academic, Vocational and Professional
Stages of Training consultation

12 November 2015

Read the SRA response to the Office for Legal Complaints consultation paper "OLC draft scheme rules".

[https://guidance.sra.org.uk/sra/consultations/consultation-responses/bar-future-training/]



Extending the scope of the duty for non-economic regulators to have regard to economic growth and defining the scope of the Small Business Appeals Champions - Department for Business Innovation and Skills consultation

23 January 2015

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