

Our London Litigation and Dispute Resolution Practice



Overview

Our London litigators offer a wide range of practice areas including banking and corporate litigation, commercial litigation, compliance, international arbitration, intellectual property, securities litigation, insolvency litigation, [white collar litigation,] and labour and employment litigation.

The team advises financial institutions, corporations, and private clients on UK and international arbitration, litigation and insolvency matters.

Market Leading Expertise: We have a broad multi-jurisdictional and multi-disciplinary practice comprising lawyers across teams in the UK and also in Europe, the US and Asia. We regularly work together to support clients across the full spectrum of their global contentious legal requirements.

Fully Integrated Team: Our London litigation team primarily focusses on domestic dispute resolution while retaining a fully integrated international outlook to provide seamless legal advice and strategy across jurisdictions, disciplines and sectors in conjunction with our European, US and other global colleagues. This allows us to:

- offer a truly consistent, joined up service in a way that only constant collaboration can achieve;
- present commercially viable solutions to disputes faced by our clients – the chances are that we have seen and done it before;
- pass on the efficiencies and savings generated by our collective experience – no learning on the job, no re-inventing the wheel.

Commercially Tailored Service: We seek to understand the commercial approach and strategic direction of our clients, thereby allowing us to offer clients bespoke, tailored advice on all disputes.

Dedicated Team: We aim to build meaningful relationships with our clients, which is dependent on fielding an expert and dedicated team on every matter, so that our lawyers can provide a service which is focused, partner-led, efficient and more responsive, more thoughtful and more dynamic than our competitors.

What Others are Saying



Rule of law & access to justice - Highly Commended

For the successful challenge to sections 13 & 16 of Trinidad & Tobago's Sexual Offences Act, 1986, which criminalised same-sex relationships.

*The Financial Times
Innovative Lawyers Europe,
2018*



Simon Airey is recommended for Dispute Resolution; Regulatory Investigations and Corporate Crime

Legal 500 UK, 2018



Simon Airey recognised by Sharplegal

*Acritas Stars by Sharplegal,
2018*



Paul Hastings provides 'high levels of expertise, competence, professionalism & responsiveness'.

Legal 500 UK, 2018

Tom Nevin is 'excellent with clients and knows how to get the best out of counsel'. – *Legal 500 UK 2018*

Jack Thorne is 'unbelievably hardworking and a pleasure to work with'. – *Legal 500 UK 2018*

Dispute Resolution: Commercial Litigation: Paul Hastings LLP is 'a go-to firm for hard-fought pieces of litigation, particularly involving multiple jurisdictions'. It is best known for disputes involving securitisation, particularly commercial mortgage-backed securities' transactions and other structured investment vehicles. – *Legal 500 UK 2018*

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Representative Experience [Others?]

Cabot Financial v Faccenda Investments

Acting for Cabot Financial Debt Recovery Services, the purchaser of Hillesden Securities (a debt recovery business) in numerous claims against the vendor for breaches of warranty and failure to pay the transaction documents' indemnities, which arose out of the manner in which the business was conducted pre-acquisition.

Note Trustee and Issuer v Bank

Providing "shadow" advice as conflicts counsel to note trustee client and noteholder committee as joint claimant with issuer in arbitration against Eastern European borrower bank in LCIA Arbitration following default by borrower of 2 x hundred-million USD note issues.

Citibank, N.A v Oceanwood Opportunities Master Fund and Ors

Represented ad hoc opposing committee of senior secured noteholders in English law High Court proceedings regarding a control dispute brought by security trustee and security agent in relation to control of Norwegian paper company Norske Skog.
[David Manson to confirm]

Jason Jones v The Attorney General of Trinidad and Tobago

Acted as English-based pro-bono solicitors for claimant in a successful court challenge to decriminalise homosexuality in Trinidad and Tobago and subsequent domestic appeal.

Representative Clients

[Others? – Foxhill? – JJ Logo?]



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