

Stephen Barton Solicitor 114731

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Decision - Closure

Outcome: Intervention

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Firm details

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Firm ID: 047362

Outcome details

This outcome was reached by SRA decision.

Decision details

To intervene into the practice of Stephen Barton.

Reasons/basis

- Mr Barton has failed to comply with the SRA Accounts Rules (2019) which are rules made under section 32 of the Solicitors Act 1974 (as amended) paragraph 1(1)(c) Schedule 1, Solicitors Act 1974.
- It is necessary to intervene to protect the interests of clients (or former or potential clients) of Mr Barton, and/ or the interests of the beneficiaries of any trust of which Mr Barton is or was a trustee – paragraph 1(1)(m) Schedule 1, Solicitors Act 1974.

Intervening agents

John Owen of Gordons LLP, 1 New Augustus Street, Bradford, BD1 5LL has been appointed as the intervening agent.



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