



Alexander Martin Groat

Solicitor

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Decision - Closure

Outcome: Intervention

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Firm details

Firm or organisation at date of publication and at time of matters giving rise to outcome

Name: Waughs Solicitors

Address(es): Clarendon House, Judges Terrace, High St, East Grinstead, RH19 3AD

Firm ID: 658796

Outcome details

This outcome was reached by SRA decision.

Decision details

To intervene into the recognised sole practice of Alexander Martin Groat, who practised as Waughs Solicitors (the firm) on the following grounds:

Reasons/basis

- a. Mr Groat has been adjudged bankrupt (paragraph 1(1)(d) of Schedule 1 to the Solicitors Act 1974 (as amended)).
- b. It is necessary to intervene to protect the interests of clients and former clients of Mr Groat and/or the interests of the beneficiaries of any trust of which Mr Groat is or was a trustee (paragraph 1(1)(m) of Schedule 1 to the Solicitors Act 1974 (as amended)).

Intervening agents

Chris Evans of Lester Aldridge LLP, Russell House, Oxford Road, Bournemouth, BH8 8EX has been appointed as the intervening agent.

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