

Application for Solicitors' Higher Rights of Audience Regulations 2010

Please read the accompanying guidance notes. If the answer to any question exceeds the space allowed please continue on a separate sheet.

Section 1 - Personal details

1. Surname	Title (e.g. Mr, Ms, Mrs, Miss)
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2. Forename(s)	3. SRA number
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4. Address	
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5. Telephone number	
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6. E-mail address	
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7. Date of admission as a solicitor in England & Wales	
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8. Date of registration with the Law Society of England and Wales as a European Lawyer under the European Communities (Lawyers' Practice) Regulations 2000.	
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Section 2 - Application

Please refer to the guidance notes and regulations before completing this section

1. I wish to apply for the criminal award
- I wish to apply for the civil award
- (Please tick either or both awards)

Please note: If you are applying for one award and in future wish to apply for the other, you will need to make a new application which will be subject to the relevant fee.

2010 requirements

2. I have completed the assessment prescribed under the 2010 Regulations
- and attach a certified copy of evidence that I have passed the advocacy assessment
3. I have obtained my qualification in another jurisdiction and wish to apply under
- Rule 5 for this to be assessed
- and attach evidence mapped in accordance with the statement of standards for solicitor higher courts advocates

Transitional arrangements

4. I have completed the Development Route (2000 regulations)
- and attach a certified copy of evidence that I have completed the training and assessments in procedure, evidence, ethics and advocacy.
5. I have completed the Development Route (2000 regulations)
- and attach a certified copy of my Bar vocational course certificate and evidence that I have completed the portfolio

Please note: The SRA may request a copy of your portfolio at a future date

Section 3 - Declaration

I hereby declare that the information given in my application is, to the best of my knowledge, correct.

I agree to be bound by the Solicitors' Higher Rights of Audience Regulations 2010 and Rule 11 of the Solicitors Code of Conduct.

I authorise the SRA to seek verification of any matters pertinent to the proper consideration of my application.

I understand that details of my membership of a professional accreditation scheme will be published from time to time by the SRA. The data used for such publication will be that contained in the SRA's central solicitors data base and may include: my name, my firm's name, my main practising address, practice telephone number, fax number and email address and details of my firm's website where appropriate.

Signed

Date

Section 4 - Application checklist

To help us process your application quickly, please check the following:

The declaration in section 3 is signed and dated.

I have enclosed evidence that I have completed the requirements under the 2010 Regulations.

The cheque made payable to the "Law Society" is signed, dated and securely attached (if appropriate).

The methods of payment form is completed, signed, dated and securely attached (if appropriate).

Section 5 - Fees

The fees are £75, payable with application.

Please ensure that you have read the guidance notes before submitting your application. Cheques should be made payable to The Law Society.

Where to return applications

Please return completed application forms to:

Caseworking & Application Unit
Solicitors Regulation Authority
Ipsley Court
Berrington Close
Redditch
B98 OTD

or

DX 19114 Redditch

If you require further assistance, please telephone our Contact Centre on 0870 606 2555. If you are calling from overseas, please use +44 (0)1527 504450. Lines are open from 09.00 to 17.00, Monday to Friday and calls may be monitored/recorded for training purposes. Alternatively, you may wish to contact us by e-mail at contactcentre@sra.org.uk. Please quote your SRA number as this will help us to respond promptly to your enquiry.