

Mohit Chopra Solicitor 400547

Control of practice Date: 27 March 2024

Decision - Control of practice

Outcome: Condition

Outcome date: 27 March 2024

Published date: 20 May 2024

Firm details

Firm or organisation at time of matters giving rise to outcome

Name: Miramar Legal

Address(es): Ground Floor, 406B Hackney Road, London, E2 7AP

Firm ID: 510620

Outcome details

This outcome was reached by SRA decision.

Decision details

Mr Chopra's practising certificate for 2023 / 2024 is subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Mr Chopra is not the sole lawyer manager or sole lawyer owner of an authorised body.
- 2. Mr Chopra may not act as a compliance officer for legal practice (COLP) or compliance officer for finance and administration (COFA) for any authorised body.
- 3. Mr Chopra may not practise on his own account under regulation 10.2(a) or (b) of the SRA Authorisation of Individuals Regulations.
- 4. Mr Chopra does not hold or receive client money, or act as a signatory to any client or office account or have the power to authorise transfers from any client or office account.

In these conditions the terms are as defined in the SRA Glossary.

Reasons/basis



The above conditions are necessary in the public interest. They are reasonable and proportionate having regard to the purposes set out in regulation 7 of the SRA Authorisation of Individuals Regulations, and the regulatory objectives and principles governing regulatory activities as contained in section 28 of the Legal Services Act 2007.

Prosecution Date: 20 May 2022

Decision - Prosecution

Outcome: Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal order

Outcome date: 20 May 2022

Published date: 15 June 2023

Firm details

No detail provided:

Outcome details

This outcome was reached by SRA decision.

Reasons/basis

Outcome of SDT Hearing

This notification relates to a Decision to prosecute before the Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal. This is an independent Tribunal which reaches its own decision after considering all the evidence, including any evidence put forward by the Respondent. The Tribunal had certified that there was a case to answer.

On 20 May 2022, the SDT considered and approved an Agreed Outcome.

Mr. Chopra was fined £20,000.

The SDT judgment will be available at <u>www.solicitorstribunal.org.uk</u> [http://www.solicitorstribunal.org.uk]

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