

Michael Gaye Solicitor 106047

Control of practice Date: 27 February 2024

Decision - Control of practice

Outcome: Condition

Outcome date: 27 February 2024

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Firm details

Firm or organisation at time of matters giving rise to outcome

Name: Kitson Boyce LLP

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Firm ID: 517529

Firm or organisation at date of publication

Name: SWlaw Limited

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Firm ID: 558154

Outcome details

This outcome was reached by SRA decision.

Decision details

Michael Gaye's practising certificate for 2023/2024 is subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Mr Gaye is not a manager or owner of any authorised body.
- 2. Subject to the condition above, Mr Gaye may act as a solicitor, only as an employee, where the role has first been approved by us, aside from in connection with his engagement as a consultant with SWlaw Limited (SRA number 558154).

- 3. Mr Gaye may not practise on his own account under regulation 10.2(a) or (b) of the SRA Authorisation of Individuals Regulations.
- 4. Mr Gaye may not act as a compliance officer for legal practice (COLP) or compliance officer for finance and administration (COFA) for any authorised body.
- 5. Mr Gaye may 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.
- 6. Mr Gaye may not give any solicitor undertakings to any third party.

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.

Control of practice Date: 26 April 2023

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