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Your Supervising Solicitors
Search Orders

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Welcome

At Myerson we understand executing Search Orders can be one of the most challenging legal processes both from a technical and tactical perspective. So we ensure our specialist and professional team of supervising solicitors, act as your trusted advisers, providing clear and practical guidance to ensure that your search order is executed as smoothly as possible, whilst protecting the interests of the respondent and ensuring the order is implemented fairly.

Why Myerson?

We are experienced in the operation of search orders and familiar with obligations to both the Court and Respondent. This means we understand the importance of diffusing volatile situations and to ensure that the Order is complied with respectfully and efficiently.

We are proud to be ranked as '**Top Tier**' in the prestigious international directory **The Legal 500**, who describe the team as 'dynamic, positive, forward-thinking, effective and tenacious', whilst 'giving sound and sensible legal advice'. This means you can be certain that you will be receiving the highest quality legal advice from highly ranked and trusted individuals.

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Your Solicitors



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Head of the Dispute Resolution and Commercial Litigation Department, Adam has been in practice for almost 20 years and has built an enviable reputation and case history in commercial litigation, particularly in relation to shareholder and joint venture/partnership disputes and commercial agency claims. Adam trained and gained experience at national, commercial firms after having attended the University of Liverpool to obtain his LLB (hons) law degree. Adam is listed by the Commercial Fraud Lawyers Association as a solicitor specialising in supervising Search Orders.

Adam has considerable experience of advising in relation to complex, high-value and international commercial litigation matters, and has experience of contesting claims against parties based in the USA, France, the Republic of Ireland, Spain, Germany, Hungary, Romania and Japan. Adam is regularly retained to bring or defend actions seeking injunctive relief.

Adam is ranked as a Leading Individual by The Legal 500, who describe him as an *'an exceptional, dynamic and creative litigator; a visionary leader with excellent communication skills, tenacity and a proven track record of success in the most complex and challenging of cases'*.

Case Examples Include

- Adam was appointed by the High Court as supervising solicitor to implement a search order and organised and led the supervision of a simultaneous, multi-site emergency search of residential and commercial property. The search involved electronic data as well as a physical search. Adam directed a team of supervising solicitors and liaised successfully with the applicant's solicitors (whilst ensuring that the order was fairly implemented) to ensure that the search was a success
- Obtaining a court-sanctioned search order and arranging for the simultaneous surprise searches of a laboratory, office and residential property. The dispute was intricate and involved allegations of breaches of restrictive covenants, misuse of confidential information, intellectual property infringement, theft and conspiracy. The team acted swiftly in preserving vital evidence and recovering reams of stolen documentation that was vital to the client's business. The dispute resolved favourably for the client.

To find out more about Adam [click here](#).

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Tim was admitted as a Solicitor 1982 and practices entirely in Commercial Litigation work and has been a partner at since 1999 being appointed to Senior Partner in 2012.

Applied for and obtained search and seizure orders involving searches of both residential and commercial premises. Executed search orders at residential premises. In both cases arranged for the appointment of and liaised with supervising solicitor and specialist IT company instructed to image hard drives.

Commercial litigation experience includes conduct of High Court, Court of Appeal and Supreme Court proceedings in matters including employee restrictive covenant injunctions, IT and IP infringement, Insolvency Act proceedings.

Tim also has expertise in commercial property litigation and professional negligence claims.

Tim is ranked by The Legal 500, '*Tim Norman is commercially astute, incisive, positive and assured*'.

Case Examples Include

- Acting for the Defendant in the Supreme Court reported case of *Holland v Revenue and Customs* {2010} UKSC 51. Tim represented his client throughout each stage of the case in the High Court, the Court of Appeal and finally in the Supreme Court. The claim involved complex legal principles relating to de facto directorship and misfeasance. It is now a widely reported case and is a well-established legal authority in this area of the law.
- Acting for a client company in a professional negligence claim against its former solicitors arising out of the Solicitor's negligence in dealing with a High Court claim.
- Acting for a Kenyan Solicitor in connection with the recovery of legal fees arising from the Mau Mau Litigation against the British Government.

To find out more about Tim [click here](#).

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Sven is an experienced commercial litigator. Prior to joining Myerson, Sven trained with a firm in Kent before relocating to the North West in 2007. From 2007 until 2020, Sven worked in the Dispute Resolution team in the Manchester office of a national firm, where he was promoted to Associate Partner in 2013 and then Partner in 2018.

Sven's practice encompasses company commercial disputes, claims for professional negligence, debt recovery, shareholders' and boardroom disputes and insolvency litigation (both company and personal) where he routinely acts for a variety of national and international clients across a diverse range of sectors.

Case Examples Include

- Acting for multiple defendants in claims by an Austrian multinational for breach of distribution agreement.
- Acting for a large US multi-national in respect of the restoration of a UK subsidiary for the recovery of monies which had passed to the crown in bona vacantia and related claims against the companies' former accountants for professional negligence.
- Advising a Romanian subsidiary of a large Belgian multi-national on a breach of contract claim concerning the non-supply of bespoke machinery by a UK manufacturer.
- Acting for a company in pursuing claims against former senior employees for breaches of post-employment restrictive covenants (including for springboard relief).
- Acting for multiple respondents in defending two unfair prejudice petitions by an aggrieved shareholder.
- Acting for a UK manufacturing company upon the dismissal of its director following discovery of theft from the company, including associated recovery and compromise of all claims.

To find out more about Sven [click here](#).

Don't just take our word for it...

"Myerson Solicitors LLP has a really strong experienced team which is growing".

"Myerson provided us with a team of supervising solicitors for a multi-site, simultaneous search at locations across England at short notice. The team had the experience to serve each search order and flexibility to ensure the searches took place fairly and without incident. I am happy to recommend Myerson". Rob Lucas, Head of IP Litigation of Shulmans LLP.

"The team has an excellent way of dealing with clients and managing cases generally, as well as good judgment".

"The team has a huge range of satisfied clients from all over the country, despite not being the most high profile of firms, so they must be doing something right".

"The team are phenomenally hard workers who produce first class work, even from difficult clients and cases".

"Fantastic service and excellent communication throughout the process. I would highly recommend and use their service again".

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