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Decision - Control of practice

Outcome: Condition

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Firm details

Firm or organisation at time of matters giving rise to outcome

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Firm or organisation at date of publication

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Outcome details

This outcome was reached by SRA decision.

Decision details

Mr Berens's practising certificate for 2024 / 2025 is subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Mr Berens shall not act as a manager or owner of any authorised body.
- 2. Mr Berens may not act as a compliance officer for legal practice (COLP) or compliance officer for finance and administration (COFA) for any authorised body, or Head of Legal Practice (HOLP) or Head

- of Finance and Administration (HOFA) in any authorised non-SRA firm.
- Mr Berens does not hold, receive, or have access to client money, or does not act as a signatory to any client or office account, or have the power to authorise electronic 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.

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