Alerts

Warning: Website misusing the name and details of Christian Cockcroft

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A profile has been set up on the website 'www.fiverr.com' misusing the name and details of a genuine solicitor and purporting to offer legal services.

What is the scam?

The SRA have been informed of a profile on the freelance services marketplace Fiverr with the name 'Christian Cockcroft'. This profile purports to be for an individual who is offering legal services and suggests that the individual is regulated by the SRA.

Any business or transactions through the profile 'Christian Cockcroft' on the website Fiverr is not undertaken by a firm or individual authorised and regulated by the SRA.

Is there a genuine firm or person?

The SRA authorises and regulates a genuine solicitor called Christian Aaron Cockcroft, whose SRA number is 626130. The genuine solicitor is employed at the firm of solicitors Shoosmiths LLP as an Associate.

The firm have confirmed that the genuine solicitor has no connection to the website or profile referred to in the above alert.

What should I do?

When a firm's or individual's identity has been copied exactly (or cloned), due diligence is necessary. If you receive correspondence claiming to be from the above firm(s) or individual(s), or information of a similar nature to that described, you should conduct your own due diligence by checking the authenticity of the correspondence by contacting the law firm directly by reliable and established means. You can contact the SRA to find out if individuals or firms are regulated and authorised by the SRA and verify an individual's or firm's practising details. Other verification methods, such as checking public records (e.g. telephone directories and company records) may be required in other circumstances.