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Sheila Kumar  
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Dear Sheila

**Approval of the application made by the Council for Licensed Conveyancers (CLC) to the Legal Services Board (LSB) under section 51 of the Legal Services Act 2007 (the Act) for the level of practising fees for 2013/14**

I am pleased to inform you that the 2013/14 Licence Fee and Practice Fee levels as set out in your application of 30 August 2013 have been approved by the LSB. This decision has been made under the authority delegated to me as Chief Executive by the LSB Board.

We are content that the information that you have provided indicated that the criteria within the LSB's Practising Fee Rules 2009 have been met.

I am grateful to Simon Blandy for a clearly presented application. I am also pleased that the CLC responded positively to the matters raised in our 2012/13 Decision Letter (20 September 2012). I note and welcome that the CLC undertook a consultation with the profession in respect of the fee and that the application contains more information on the Reserves Policy and your plans to amend this.

The LSB looks forward to maintaining dialogue going forward to ensure that we continue to improve the PCF process.

Please contact Paul Greening, Regulatory Associate [paul.greening@legalservicesboard.org.uk](mailto:paul.greening@legalservicesboard.org.uk) or 020 7271 0075 if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chris Kenny', with a horizontal line underneath.

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