

Register of outstanding action points: January 2014

Action Point	Description	Status	Owner
(12)03	Encourage Ministers to maintain the will storage facility provided by the Probate Services, through a formal response to the consultation on the future of the service	The Probate Service ran a consultation on reforming the non-contentious probate rules from June to August 2013. The LSB ran a will writing round table on 22 January, as a result of which there will be further engagement with the Probate Service.	AR/CH
(12) 78	Delegate authority to the Chief Executive to sign off publication of the consultation document for the draft s69 Order (sole practitioners) (until 31 March 2013)	SRA have provided a proposed timetable towards publication in November 2014 which the LSB is considering.	FG
(13) 66	List of potential thematic reviews to be provided to the Board in the New Year	Early suggestions have been included in the draft business plan. Respondents have been asked to comment specifically on thematic reviews and suggestions will be put to the Board at the March meeting alongside the draft business plan.	FG
(13) 67	Delegate authority to the Chief Executive the final sign off of the consultation papers in relation to orders under section 69 or section 80 of the Act in respect of IPS, IPReg and ICAEW	Drafting of consultation papers is continuing.	DR
(13) 69	Liaise with the SRA on its review of compensation arrangements	The SRA review is behind schedule, in part due to the inadequacy of data about grants that have been made from the fund. We will update the Board once we have further information.	FG
(13) 78	Delegate the agreement of any final drafting changes in the levy rules consultation paper to the Chairman and Chief Executive	The document was agreed and published on 18 December 2013. The consultation closes on 18 February 2014.	EJ
(13) 79	Delegate final approval of the draft LSB Business Plan to	The document was approved and published on	JM

	the Chairman and Chief Executive	5 December 2013. The consultation closes on 30 January 2014.	
(13) 80	Delegate approval for the drafting of the recommendation and final decision notice in relation to the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales' (ICAEW) designation applications	Recommendation and Decision Notice have been finalised and published	DR
(13) 81	Delegate approval for the drafting of the recommendation and final decision notice in relation to the designation application from the Chartered Institute of Legal Executives and ILEX Professional Services to the Chairman and Chief Executive	Drafting of the recommendation and Decision Notice concluded and published on 9 December 2013	DR
(13) 82	Delegate approval for the drafting of the recommendation and final decision notice in relation to the designation application from the Intellectual Property Regulation Board on behalf of the Chartered Institute of Patent Attorneys and the Institute of Trade Mark Attorneys	Drafting of the recommendation and Decision Notice concluded and published on 6 December 2013	DR
(13) 84	Approved regulators' responses to LSB's July 2012 letters on first-tier complaint handling will be published	Letters uploaded onto the LSB website on 23 January 2014	FG

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