

**Direction 85 issued under Part 3 of Schedule 4 to the Legal Services Act 2007 to the Solicitors Regulation Authority**

1. This is a direction issued pursuant to paragraph 19(3) of Schedule 4 to the Legal Services Act 2007 (the Act).
2. Unless stated otherwise, words in this direction are used as they are defined in the Act.
3. In accordance with paragraph 19(3) of Schedule 4 to the Act, the Board has directed that the following alterations to regulatory arrangements be treated as exempt alterations for the purposes of paragraph 19(2)(c) of Schedule 4:

**SRA Amendments to Regulatory Arrangements (Sole Practitioner) Rules 2015**

4. A copy of the alteration was submitted to the Board on 11 March 2015
5. This direction is to be deemed made on and to be effective from 18 March 2015.

**For and on behalf of the Legal Services Board**

**18 March 2015**