

## Direction 43 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. Under 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 and approved for the purposes of paragraph 19(2)(c) of Schedule 4:
  - The Quality Assurance Scheme for Advocates (Crime) Notification Regulations to require advocates to notify the SRA of their intention to enter the Quality Assurance Scheme for Advocates (Crime) Scheme.
- 4. The SRA submitted a copy of the proposed alteration to the Board on 16 May 2012.
- 5. This direction is to be deemed made on and to be effective from 25 May 2012.

For and on behalf of the Legal Services Board

25 May 2012