

Direction 37 issued under Part 3 of Schedule 4 to the Legal Services Act 2007 to the Bar Standards Board (BSB)

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 defined in the Act have the same meaning when used in this direction.
3. In accordance with paragraph 19(3) of Schedule 4 to the Act, the Board hereby directs that the following alterations to regulatory arrangements are exempt alterations for the purposes of paragraph 19(2)(c) of Schedule 4:
 - Alterations to the Code of Conduct to introduce Rule 206A in relation to authorisation for immigration advice and services
 - Alterations to the Practising Certificate Rules to amend Rule 20 by addition of 20.4 specifically authorise the carrying on of immigration advice and services.
4. This direction is to be deemed made on and to be effective from 22 February 2012.

For and on behalf of the Legal Services Board
22 February 2012