

Registers of licensed bodies: Section 87(4) rules

A. PREAMBLE

1. These Rules are made by the Board (as defined below) under section 87(4) of the Act (as defined below).

B. DEFINITIONS

2. Words defined in these Rules have the following meanings:

Act	the Legal Services Act 2007
Board	the Legal Services Board
Licensing Authority	within the definition of 73(1) of the Act
Licensed Body	a body granted a licence by a licensing authority

C. WHAT DO THESE RULES APPLY TO?

3. These Rules are the rules that the Board has made in compliance with section 87(4) of the Act in order to specify the information to be held on the registers of licensed bodies.

4. The Board reserves the right to amend these Rules from time to time. If the amendments made to the Rules are, in the opinion of the Board, material the Board will publish a draft of the amended Rules and will invite consultations in accordance with section 205 of the Act.

D. REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PURPOSES OF SECTION 87(4)

5. The register of licensed bodies that each licensing authority holds under section 87(1) shall contain at least the following information:

- a) Name of licensed body
- b) Whether the licence is suspended or revoked and the date on which suspension or revocation took place
- c) Enforcement action or sanction on the licensed body, its owner or any employee not including administrative fines
- d) Trading name of licensed body
- e) Previous names of the licensed body
- f) All company registration numbers, charity numbers or equivalent
- g) The date the licence was issued
- h) Registered address of licensed body
- i) Practising address(es) of licensed body
- j) The names of the head of legal practice and the head of finance and administration
- k) The authorising body of the head of legal practice
- l) The reserved legal activities that the body is authorised to undertake

6. In addition to the requirements on the licensing authority under 87(3) the register should be available electronically via the licensing authority's website, or similar.

E. FURTHER INFORMATION

7. If you have any questions about these Rules you should contact the Board at:

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