

Update on the consultation on a section 69 order to modify the function of the Council for Licensed Conveyancers

This consultation sought views on a proposal to modify the functions of the Council for Licensed Conveyancers (CLC) through an order under Section 69 of the Legal Services Act 2007.

Since the consultation period ended on 18 August 2014, the CLC has identified the Deregulation Bill as an alternative primary legislation route which could secure the same outcome of modification to the CLC's powers. LSB is supportive of this alternative approach.

Consequently, the Board has concluded that it would be premature to make a recommendation on an order that may not be necessary and has therefore decided to defer any decision on the outcome of this consultation until such time as it is clear whether the alternative route will deliver the necessary changes.

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