

### **Fraudulent communications and cyber crime warning**

We are aware that solicitors and clients have been targeted by fraudsters who attempt to intercept and alter emails, particularly with regards to bank details. We are also aware of fraudsters sending spoofed emails which look like an email from a solicitor. Please be extra-vigilant when you receive any email from us regarding making payments. If you receive a communication which purports to come from us changing bank details, or any communication about which you are unsure, please disregard the email and contact us immediately.

If you do not receive an 'account match' when making payment online please contact me or our accounts department to verify our bank details.

Under no circumstances should you send funds to an account other than that stated in our standard documentation or on invoices printed on our business letterhead. The firm takes no responsibility for funds transferred to any account that is not its own.