## DERE STREET BARRISTERS

# Victoria Kilpatrick

Barrister

#### PERSONAL SUMMARY

Victoria is a junior member of the Regulatory team whom, with the support of the senior members of the team, is building on her experience within this area of Law.

#### PROFFESIONAL EXPERIENCE

Prior to joining Chambers, Victoria worked as a paralegal in the specialist criminal, fraud and regulatory firm of solicitors. Victoria had extensive involvement in a vast range of defence cases including a multi-million pound mortgage fraud, a money laundering prosecution by Trading Standards and several large scale tax frauds. Victoria also had involvement with Proceeds of Crime proceedings pre and post-conviction including restraint matters and confiscation proceedings. Victoria assisted in drafting sever complex s.18 POCA statements.

Victoria currently prosecutes on behalf of HMCR including cash seizure and condemnation proceedings. She has also advised a Defendant in a private prosecution by Harrogate Borough Council from contravention of a Tree Preservation Order under the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

Victoria has represented families and other interested parties at a number of inquests. Of note, she represented the family of a deceased individual at a 2 day inquest where a narrative verdict was given recording missed opportunities by the NHS to help the deceased with mental health support. She has also received instructions as a watching brief at inquests on behalf of an insurer who insured two unrelated drivers in a fatal road traffic collision in the North East.

Victoria has on several occasions represented patient's appealing their Section at Mental Health Tribunals.

Victoria has also represented Thomson Airway in proceedings relation to EC Regulation 261/2004 claims for compensation for flight delays.



Year Of Call:

2011

Grade of Prosecutor:

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### **Practice Areas**

Company and Commercial

Credit Hire

Divorce and Domestic Violence

Family Finance

Personal Injury and Clinical Negligence

Public and Private Law Children

**Regulatory** 

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## Professional Qualifications

University of Newcastle Upon Tyne (2007-2010) - LLB (Hons) - 2:1

BPP Law School Leeds (2010-2011) – BPTC – Outstanding (achieved highest grade in the year)

Inner Temple Exhibition

Duke of Edinburgh entrance award

Inner Temple prize for outstanding achievement on the BPTC

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