

Person Specification

Solicitor / Barrister – Legal Services

Part A

The following criteria (experience, skills and qualifications) will be used to short-list at the application stage:

Essential

- Admitted solicitor/barrister
- Recent experience in litigation
- Recent advocacy experience.
- Experience in the use of ICT (familiar with Word, Outlook and legal research websites)
- Ability to communicate effectively (in writing and orally) with a diverse range of people
- Ability to advise officers and councillors
- Ability to draft relevant legal documents -notices, statements, draft orders etc.
- Experience of either Anti-Social Behaviour, or general housing law matters

Desirable

- Recent experience in a local authority legal department.
- Recent litigation experience to include regulatory, licensing & housing, anti-social behaviour matters
- Recent experience in regulatory work and/or prosecutions

Part B

The following criteria will be explored at the interview stage:

- Knowledge of anti-social behaviour, housing and litigation work
- Ability to communicate and reason verbally
- Approach to equalities