

James Trumble

Year of Call: 2006

Solicitor: 1999

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Public and Regulatory

Police Law

James undertakes a wide range of civil work on behalf of the police and various Local Authorities, including Judicial Review, applications arising from anti-social behaviour, Closure Orders, Proceeds of Crime, and, under the old legislation, Sexual Offences Prevention Orders, Risk of Sexual Harm Orders and Foreign Travel Orders (having undertaken a significant number of these rare applications). He also defends the police against allegations of misconduct and undertakes disciplinary work.

Since the commencement of the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 James has secured the first injunction under the Act granted in Surrey and (separately) the first injunction to be applied for by Surrey Police. He has also been instructed in a number of closure orders and applications for protection from sexual harm and violence.

James has provided extensive training in the new legislation to local authorities, housing providers and police forces.

James can be instructed on a Direct Access basis.

Recommendations

James Trumble – 3PB ‘James is efficient and quick to form a robust opinion in writing or in meetings.’

Legal 500 2025/Personal Injury/ South Eastern Circuit/Leading Juniors

James Trumble is ranked in the **Legal 500 2025** - /Police Law/ London Bar/Leading Juniors

James Trumble is ranked in **Legal 500 2024**/Police Law/ London Bar/Leading Juniors

‘James is very good on his feet and has client empathy. He is also good on paper and in a quick turnaround.’

Legal 500 2024/Personal Injury/ South Eastern Circuit/Leading Juniors

‘James is extremely pleasant and courteous to the client, which is much appreciated.’

Legal 500 2023/Personal Injury/South Eastern Circuit

James Trumble is ranked in the **Legal 500 2023**/Police law (defendant)/Leading Juniors/London Bar edition.

‘A pragmatic barrister who is robust in cross-examination, and can be relied upon to get your case across.’

Legal 500 2022/Personal Injury/South Eastern Circuit

‘A measured and effective advocate. A quick thinking knowledgeable barrister who is never fazed by anything thrown his way

at court.'

Legal 500 2022/Police law (defendant)/Leading Juniors/London Bar

'A measured and effective advocate. A quick thinking knowledgeable barrister who is never fazed by anything thrown his way at court.'

Legal 500 2021/Police law (defendant)/Leading Juniors/London

'He defends the police against misconduct allegations.'

Legal 500 2020/Police law (defendant)

'Very knowledgeable in anti-social behaviour, and no matter what is thrown at him he has the right answer.'

Legal 500 2018/19/Police law (defendant)

'He knows his subject extremely well and sees where a case is going before it even goes to court.'

Legal 500 2017/Police law (defendant)

Academic qualifications

- BA (Hons) History
- Common Professional Law Exam
- Legal Practice Course

Professional qualifications & appointments

- Accredited mediator (SPC)

Professional bodies

- Personal Injuries Bar Association