

Joseph Giret KC

Year of Call: 1985

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Public and Regulatory

Joseph's experience includes all types of regulatory disputes: advising on regulatory aspects of sports law, the Royal Pharmaceutical Society and The GMC. He has had the conduct of disputes with HMRC offences (VAT, Company Act and Tax issues), insider share dealings, as well as fraud, bribery and corruption allegations. He is a highly experienced yachtsman with experience in marine law issues.

Recent disputes include:

Acting for the Defendants £1.5m claim brought before the Queens Bench Division by the HMRC in a claim for under-declared profits and siphoning off cash into property purchases. The matter was successfully resolved before commencement of a 15 day trial by negotiating a satisfactory compromise and settlement.

He leads legal teams in lengthy and complex trials, acting at every tribunal level. Joseph also acts for parties involved in mediation and arbitration.

Recommendations

Joseph Giret KC is ranked in Legal 500 2024/Commercial Litigation/Leading Silks/South Eastern Circuit - Ranked Tier 1

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'A silk who gets straight to the crux of a matter.'

Legal 500 2022/Commercial Litigation/Leading Silks/South Eastern Circuit

Joseph Giret QC of 3PB is recognised for his expertise in a wide range of high-value commercial disputes, many of which with international and offshore elements. Solicitors continue to instruct the set because of its ability to 'provide specialist advice, the range of experience its barristers are able to offer and its geographical reach'.

'His advocacy before judges is impeccable.'

Legal 500 2021/Commercial Litigation/Leading Silks/South East

The Legal 500 Bar Directory 2014 recommends Joseph as a leading commercial silk.

Legal 500 recommended commercial silk, described as an "Iron fist in a velvet glove" and "Assertive, succinct and shrewd". "He puts people at ease exceptionally easily".

Client recommendations:

"Exemplary technical and analytical skills"

"Excellent choice of barrister for sensitive complex commercial litigation"

"His skills in presenting the case were sublime... assertive, succinct and shrewd"

Professional bodies

- Bar Council
- Association of Regulatory & Disciplinary Lawyers
- British Association of Sports Lawyers
- London Common Law and Commercial Bar Association
- Civil Mediation Council
- Society of Mediators