

# Legal package for Small & Medium Businesses in Cambridgeshire



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## Specialist Legal Package for Small & Medium Businesses

Running a business in an ever-changing regulatory environment constantly raises time-consuming queries and challenges.

That is why we have introduced a new **Business Law Service** which allows Owners and Managers at your Business more time to concentrate on taking care of clients leading to increased efficiency. Let our experienced team advise you on how best to meet those worrying legal and employment challenges.

### Accessibility

The **Business Law Service** provides fast and efficient access to an expert to deal with issues faced by the Business Managers and Owners – so you are freed up to focus on ensuring your Business runs smoothly.

A **fully qualified legal expert** is to hand to deal quickly and effectively in a range of key business areas including:

- employment issues
- partnership matters
- commercial property needs
- commercial contracts
- internet & commerce
- potential disputes or litigation
- landlord & tenancy queries
- acquisitions / mergers
- conveyancing
- and more.

### Certainty

In an ever-changing landscape, business managers cannot always deal safely with the personnel, management and employment issues that arise. Expert back-up is invaluable.

We provide a **single** initial point of contact with an **experienced** Barr Ellison partner.

We are an established **local** Cambridgeshire firm - on hand to provide face-to-face advice wherever necessary.

An **annual fee** for the general retainer is **agreed** up front.

More detailed work and major transactions are done on an individual basis at highly competitive rates in accordance with the needs of the Business.

In brief, our Business Law Service provides a **personal and high quality service** tailored to the individual needs of your Business.

### How it works

- The Owners and Managers at your Business have ongoing access to a legal expert who will deal with the initial query quickly and efficiently and advise on the available options.
- No delay, no fuss and a single initial point of contact with a partner at Barr Ellison Solicitors to ensure you receive an efficient, personal and high quality service.
- Our Business Law Service has the benefit of providing an agreed amount of legal work fixed by an annual fee (priced according to your business' needs). If more detailed work is required you will benefit from further competitive rates.

**Barr Ellison - serving clients in Cambridgeshire for over 150 years**



**Law matters. Trust the experts.**

### Acquisitions & Mergers

Our team is experienced in advising charities when they are acquiring or merging with another charity. The whole process can be involved and project management skills will help ensure that it all goes smoothly.

### Commercial contracts

We work closely with our clients to help them achieve the needs and goals of their business. We advise SMEs, partnerships and businesses with support by specialists in Tax, Intellectual Property, Employment and Property.

### Disputes & litigation

We act for clients in the conduct of cases in the Court of Appeal, High Court & County Court as well as dealing with arbitrations and mediations

### Employment

Contracts of employment, health and safety, employment tribunals, redundancies, sex and race discrimination - employment law can be a complex business, but our specialist advice can help you avoid potential problems.

### Debt Collection

We offer a prompt, efficient and cost effective debt collection service.

**A personal, high quality service tailored to Businesses of 5 - 50 employees**

### Partnership matters

Partner relationships often change throughout the life of a business so we can offer expert advice on issues such as new appointments, retirement etc.

### Internet & e-commerce

The internet has revolutionised the way business is conducted nationally and internationally – but with it comes new legislation applying to e-commerce businesses and websites.

### Commercial property

Investing in property is a significant step. When it's part of the growth of your business, it's even more imperative that it goes without a hitch.

### Landlord & tenant

Dealing with landlords or tenants can at times be frustrating and costly, but Barr Ellison's experience means that we will almost certainly have helped others through situations similar to the ones you face.

### Property Development

Barr Ellison has a solid base of local developer clients, whom we advise on all contentious and non-contentious aspects of property development - from initial purchase of the land through to onward plot sales. In addition to their legal experience, our lawyers have a detailed understanding of the sector and the needs of our clients' businesses.

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## Other Specialist Practice Areas

Barr Ellison is a Cambridge-based law firm offering professional legal services to private and commercial clients. When it comes to legal advice or support, we know exactly what our clients are looking for. Whether the issue is personal or business-related, you need someone who understands your situation, is responsive to your needs and has the experience to get the job done. Someone you can trust.

### Services for the Elderly

Barr Ellison's expert practitioners don't just administer estates. We work with our valued clients throughout their lifetime to ensure that all issues such as inheritance tax, succession planning and trusts to care for your loved ones are implemented sensitively and wisely in accordance with your wishes and your family's needs.

**Contact Judith Greensitt on 01223 417243**

### Head Injuries

Sarah Hefferon is amongst the region's foremost lawyers with her specialist knowledge of head injuries. When the worst happens, you need someone with a successful track record in achieving good financial compensation. Sarah and the Barr Ellison team will support you in obtaining the practical means for you to rebuild your life.

**Contact Sarah Hefferon on 01223 411315**

### Family & Matrimonial

Divorce and separation is a stressful and upsetting process, even under the most amicable conditions. This is when the sensitive, practical support we offer our clients matters the most - whether you opt for a mediated settlement or the court process.

**Contact Helen Sagers on 01223 417244**

### Financial Services

Our independent financial advisor, 35 Finance, provides financial planning, investment portfolio management, pensions advice and a Trust Review service to our clients. We also offer cross-border services to expatriates living in Spain.

**Contact Jeremy Davis on 01223 351856**

### Charities

Charities are an important part of our community. Barr Ellison's team assists with all stages of a charity's development, from start-up, through to dealing with the Charity Commission and joint venture arrangements.

**Contact Alison Barr on 01223 417251**

### Farming & Agriculture

Farming has always been tough, but with EU regulations, environmental laws and the need to diversify it's tougher than ever. To prosper takes innovative thinking, business acumen and a sound grasp of the law – and this is where our experience counts.

**Contact Michael Blakey on 01223 417250**

### Public Authorities

Barr Ellison has over 30 years' experience successfully advising the public sector, and in that time has established a reputation for working in close partnership with clients whilst remaining mindful of public perception. Our approach is to treat each client as an individual, tailoring our service to your needs.

**Contact Sarah Payne on 01223 417225**

### Property Developers

Barr Ellison has a solid base of local developer clients. We advise on all contentious and non-contentious aspects of property development - from initial purchase of the land through to onward plot sales.

**Contact Michael Denmead on 01223 417261**

### Restaurants, Pubs & Hotels

The hospitality and leisure sector has seen a radical overhaul in recent years. Licensing changes and franchising arrangements are just some of the areas that we have helped our clients master to ensure they stay competitive.

**Contact Alison Barr on 01223 417251**

### Landlords

Dealing with tenants can be frustrating and costly, but Barr Ellison's experience means that we will have helped others through situations similar to the ones you face.

**Contact Michael Denmead or Charlotte Mallett on 01223 417261**

### Retail

Over the years we have guided many retail businesses through their different stages of development - from start-up through to expansion into new premises and trading activities.

**Contact Charlotte Mallett on 01223 417267**

### Medical, Dental & Veterinary

Barr Ellison has become the preferred choice for many Medical, Dental and Veterinary practices – not just because of the quality of our legal service, but also because we are a valued source of business expertise.

**Contact Michael Denmead on 01223 417261**

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