

MOVERS & SHAKERS

[THIS WEEK'S] STAR MOVE New direction



Lewisham Council has announced that it has appointed **Suki Binjal** as director of law, governance and HR. Suki had been working with the London Borough of Hackney, where she redesigned and led a modern and sustainable approach to the delivery of legal and governance services.

Suki said: 'Lewisham Council is in an exciting phase of its transformation journey and I am delighted to have been given the opportunity to join the senior leadership team, to drive forward the delivery of member's ambitious priorities and make a real and lasting difference to the communities within the borough.'

Chair takes her seat

Resolution has announced that it has appointed a new national chair in **Juliet Harvey** who took up the position on 24 June.

Juliet becomes the first legal executive to lead the 6,500+ member body after serving as vice-chair for the past two years. She commented: 'I am delighted to take up the role and excited to see what we can achieve together. However, it is a responsibility that I do not bear lightly. I will work tirelessly to

ensure Resolution continues to serve all members throughout these unprecedented times.'

Five stars

London law firm **Osbornes Law** has announced that one of their senior catastrophic injury solicitors will become a partner in the latest round of promotions.

Rob Aylott, who has 26 years' experience dealing with catastrophic personal injuries and specialises in complex

amputation and fatal accident cases, is to be made partner, while a further four solicitors will become associates.

Managing partner **Stuart Kightley** said: 'I am delighted to announce promotions for these five talented lawyers, congratulations to them all.'

Double swoop

Specialist commercial and corporate law firm **Berkeley Rowe** has announced two new appointments. **Leonard**

Scudder joins the company as a partner in litigation, while **Lydia Cheng** will be a paralegal at the international law firm.

Leonard commented: 'I am thrilled to have joined a team that effortlessly puts client's objectives ahead of its own agenda and manages to do so with finesse and technical excellence.'

Lydia commented: 'I am delighted to have joined such a dynamic team at Berkeley Rowe. They consistently demonstrate impressive expertise and a unique commitment to their clients across so many business sectors and areas of law.'

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