

LAW FIRM OF THE YEAR

(SOLE PRACTITIONERS AND FIRMS UP TO 5 PARTNERS)



Averta Employment Lawyers LLP

The company specialises in employment law for directors, professionals and senior executives. Its calibre of service and high professional standards mean it can match and exceed results won by major commercial law firms with some clients travelling from London. Last year Averta was included in the Times Top 200 Law Firms. There was also an office move from Meriden to Solihull town centre.



KJ Conroy & Co Solicitors

In January 2019 after seven years of tireless and diligent research and hard work by KJ Conroy, 33 Cypriots who claimed they were tortured by British forces during an armed uprising in the late 1950s were awarded £1m damages to be shared between them.

They had been arrested on suspicion of being part of paramilitary organisation EOKA, which fought a guerrilla campaign to overthrow British control in Cyprus. The Government consistently denied liability, saying too much time had passed for a court to decide who was responsible.

Alongside this unique and remarkable success KJ Conroy was also running a practice. It has what it considers a unique pricing structure. A diverse client base also includes King's Heath Business Improvement Development.



Residential Property | Leasehold Reform
Commercial Property | Private Client

Adcocks Solicitors

This historic Lichfield family firm has found great success in 2019 thanks partly to its pioneering Leaseholders' Roadshows which have now been welcomed across the UK.

The team also includes a chartered surveyor which helps them provide a property-related 'one stop shop'

Niche enfranchisement work has also been at the heart of great things for Adcocks in 2019.

This was also the year it launched its own Charitable Trust which aims to help projects connected with animal welfare and the environment.



TRP Solicitors

A hugely respected specialist immigration law firm, TRP is a leader in this field. They take a holistic approach that places the client at its heart. More than half the company's work is undertaken through Legal Aid and a commitment to human rights work remains strong. 2019 saw TRP welcome what it sees as a time of its best team ever. Migrant workers, historic trafficking victims and asylum seekers have all been supported with expert legal advice. TRP continues to offer significant amounts of pro bono training and workshops.