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Small claims limit for non-road traffic accident claims reduced
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Motor



Vnuk – the final chapter?

It would seem that the Government is working towards removing the effects of Vnuk by legislative means. [Read more](#)



The future is electric ... or is it?

What does the future look like for electric motorcycles? Basiru Terry provides his 'motorcyclist' view. [Read more](#)

PODCAST | Overview of the Whiplash Reforms

This is the first in a series of 10 podcasts with which we will delve into the forthcoming whiplash reforms.

In this series you will hear from experts who will consider different aspects of the reforms and share their insight with you.



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New Guidance from NICE on the Assessment and Management of Chronic Pain

Although the issue is not specifically addressed by NICE, litigation is likely to have a negative impact on chronic pain.

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Long COVID – The latest research and the implications for compensators

This report seeks to explain what “Long COVID” means in terms of definition, its prevalence and the impact it has on patients.

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COVID-19 and Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit.

Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit is a non-contributory and no-fault benefit paid consequent to an accident or prescribed disease which arose through work. Is prescription on the way for certain occupation types? Read our latest report.

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Specialty



Weightmans successful in significant duty of care case for the professional



Asbestos Risks: A 2021 Perspective
It is currently estimated



Private Prosecutions – the future?
Whilst open to the

indemnity market.

This judgment will be welcomed by construction professionals and their professional indemnity insurers.

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that there are over 5,000 asbestos-related deaths in the UK each year.

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majority of current offences, private prosecutions lend themselves more to certain types of offending than others, with the prosecution of fraud being the best example.

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Commercial services for insurers



Weightmans Response to the GHR Consultation

We at Weightmans are committed to reform. However, the proposed increase to the GHR potentially rewards and sustains an outdated model of the inefficient law firm operating on a traditional basis. Read more on our submission to the Consultation. [Read more](#)



Wednesday 5 May | 10.00am–11.30am | [Register](#)

Key legal and practical considerations when staff return to the workplace following the COVID lockdown roadmap

What do employers need to take into account ready for their staff returning to the workplace?

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Building Safety – Claims handling and underwriting implications.
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It's not always the horse's fault! Defending strict liability claims under the Animals Act 1971.
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