

# **PR update report**



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#### Summary:

A busy month with the release of the annual conference survey which was covered by all key media. New article deadlines were also scheduled with *New Law Journal* and *Thomson Reuters Dispute Resolution* blog.

#### Releases:

Fast-track and no further: Costs Lawyers issue verdict on Jackson fixed costs reforms, release drafted and sent on 11/12.

#### Coverage achieved:

Law Society Gazette: <u>https://www.lawgazette.co.uk/news/costs-lawyers-fear-fixed-fees-but-feel-they-can-weather-jackson-storm/5064027.article</u> (11/12)

Post Online: https://www.postonline.co.uk/insurer/3375306/cost-lawyers-call-on-government-to-curbrecoverable-costs-recommendations (11/12)

*Litigation Futures:* <u>https://www.litigationfutures.com/news/costs-lawyers-urge-government-limit-fixed-costs-fast-track</u> (12/12)

*The Times*: <u>https://www.thetimesbrief.co.uk/users/39175-the-brief-team/posts/28592-fixed-costs-regime-should-be-limited-to-fast-track-cases-experts-say</u> (12/12)

Claims: http://www.claimsmag.co.uk/2017/12/acl-costs-jackson-curbed/9889 (13/12)

Litigation Funding: PDF only (December)

New Law Journal: https://www.newlawjournal.co.uk/content/future-not-fixed-post-jackson (14/12)

*Litigation Futures:* <u>https://www.litigationfutures.com/news/provisional-assessment-cap-not-displaced-part-36-offer-court-appeal-rules</u> (21/12)

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## Additional activity:

- NR drafted article on behalf of FK for *Litigation Funding;* sent on 31/10, published in December.
- NR drafted comment on Lowin on 19/12; sent out to media on 20/12.
- Distributed annual article schedule on 22/12.

## Planned activity for January:

• Submit articles New Law Journal and Thomson Reuters Dispute Resolution blog.

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