

## PR update report



Monthly report: February 2017

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### **Summary:**

A further ten pieces of coverage this month from regular articles and comment on fixed costs and legal aid billing.

### **Coverage achieved:**

New Law Journal: <a href="https://www.newlawjournal.co.uk/content/warnings-over-jackson-s-fixed-costs-proposals">https://www.newlawjournal.co.uk/content/warnings-over-jackson-s-fixed-costs-proposals</a> (1/2)

Legal Action: PDF only (1/2)

Claims: <a href="http://www.claimsmag.co.uk/2017/02/fixed-recoverable-costs-extension-grave-risk-following-brexit-says-association-costs-lawyer/8055">http://www.claimsmag.co.uk/2017/02/fixed-recoverable-costs-extension-grave-risk-following-brexit-says-association-costs-lawyer/8055</a> (4/2)

Legal Voice: http://www.legalvoice.org.uk/legal-aid-agency-denial-flawed-digital-billing-scheme/ (6/2)

Solicitors Journal: https://www.solicitorsjournal.com/feature/201702/back-basics (14/2)

*Lexology:* <a href="http://www.lexology.com/library/detail.aspx?g=11d35e21-a66c-4307-8c01-7d8e6d83e885">http://www.lexology.com/library/detail.aspx?g=11d35e21-a66c-4307-8c01-7d8e6d83e885</a> (14/2)

Litigation Futures: <a href="http://www.litigationfutures.com/news/lawyers-unite-opposition-massive-extension-fixed-costs">http://www.litigationfutures.com/news/lawyers-unite-opposition-massive-extension-fixed-costs</a> (15/2)

Thomson Reuters Dispute Resolution Blog: <a href="http://disputeresolutionblog.practicallaw.com/sarpd-oil-international-v-addax-energy-sa-and-another-managing-the-costs-of-a-changing-lanscape">http://disputeresolutionblog.practicallaw.com/sarpd-oil-international-v-addax-energy-sa-and-another-managing-the-costs-of-a-changing-lanscape</a>/ (16/2)

New Law Journal: https://www.newlawjournal.co.uk/content/brexit-currency-flip-flops-court (16/2)

Solicitors Journal: <a href="https://www.solicitorsjournal.com/comment/201702/dangers-fixed-costs-litigation">https://www.solicitorsjournal.com/comment/201702/dangers-fixed-costs-litigation</a> (21/2)



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### **Additional activity:**

- Updated article schedule distributed following JS's departure from Council (6/2).
- PR pipeline drafted and sent to FK for discussion at PRAM (7/2).
- NR drafted latest article for New Law Journal, sent to publication on 7/2; await publication.
- Edited SD's article for *Thomson Reuters Dispute Resolution Blog* and sent to publication on 8/2; awaiting publication.
- Comment sent on behalf of Robert Cook to CDR; not used.
- NR drafted article on behalf of SD for Solicitors Journal sent on 24/2; awaiting publication.

### Planned activity for March:

- Submit articles for *Thomson Reuters Dispute Resolution Blog, Solicitors Journal* and *New Law Journal*.
- Draft appointment release for new Chair of ACLT.

#### **ENDS**