

PR update report



Monthly report: October 2019

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Summary:

This month we held the electronic bill roundtable. It was a successful event, with 13 contributors. We are now about to start working on copy for the ensuing whitepaper and running a survey of solicitors with *New Law Journal* to provide additional content. Elsewhere, regular articles appeared in *Solicitors Journal*, *Litigation Funding*, *Thomson Reuters* and the *Association of District Judges newsletter*.

Coverage achieved:

Solicitors Journal: <http://www.solicitorsjournal.com/feature/201910/cost-solicitors'-bills> (2/10)

Association of District Judges Newsletter – survey (Oct)

Litigation Funding: PDF only (Oct)

Solicitors Journal: PDF only (Oct)

Thomson Reuters Dispute Resolution Blog: <http://disputeresolutionblog.practicallaw.com/flight-delay-costs-assessments-senior-v-blue-air/> (18/10)

Additional activity:

- 1/10: Repurposed DC's previous article on Monex and sent to *NLJ*; await coverage.
- 2/10: Proofed and sent AG's article for *Thomson Reuters Dispute Resolution Blog*; see coverage above.
- 17/10: Hosted roundtable with the following attendees:
 - Claire Green, ACL
 - Alex Hutton QC
 - Master Leonard
 - Master James
 - Circuit Judge Chris Lethem
 - Steven Green, Irwin Mitchell
 - Jon Lord, Normanton Chambers
 - Gary Barker, Chair of APIL's Costs Special Interest Group

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- Mark Friston, Hailsham Chambers
- Senior Costs Judge Andrew Gordon-Saker
- Alison Paget, Kennedys
- District Judge Ian Besford
- Francis Kendall, ACL

Transcripts and photographs from event have been received. Currently drafting a solicitors' survey with *New Law Journal* to include in the whitepaper.

- Article commissioned by *Solicitors Journal*; 700 words by 10/12. NR drafting.
- Article commissioned by *Litigation Funding*; 900 words by 11/11. NR drafting.

Planned activity for November:

- Deliver articles for *New Law Journal*, *Thomson Reuters*, *Solicitors Journal* and *Litigation Funding*.
- Draft survey for Manchester conference.
- Attend Manchester conference.
- Draft survey for *New Law Journal*.

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