

Benny John Poothavelil
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[Control of practice Date: 31 January 2024](#)

Decision - Control of practice

Outcome: Condition

Outcome date: 31 January 2024

Published date: 10 April 2025

Firm details

Firm or organisation at time of matters giving rise to outcome

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Name: Johns Law Partners Limited

Address(es): 130 Old Street, London, EC1V 9BD

Firm ID: 807651

Outcome details

This outcome was reached by SRA decision.

Decision details

I consider imposing the recommended condition complies with regulation 7 because:

Mr Poothavelil is unsuitable to undertake the following activities or business or practising arrangements (regulation 7.2(a)):

- To be a sole practitioner or sole manager or sole owner of any authorised body.

Reasons/basis

Imposing the condition will, in the public interest, restrict him from holding such roles (regulation 7.3(b)).

[Control of practice Date: 29 January 2024](#)

Decision - Control of practice

Outcome: Condition

Outcome date: 29 January 2024

Published date: 11 March 2024

Firm details

Firm or organisation at date of publication

Name: John Law Partners Limited

Address(es): 130 Old Street London EC1V 9BD England

Firm ID: 807651

Outcome details

This outcome was reached by SRA decision.

Decision details

Mr Poothavelil's practising certificate for 2023/2024 is subject to the following condition:

1. Mr Poothavelil may not act as a sole practitioner, sole manager or sole owner of any authorised body.

In this condition the terms are as defined in the SRA Glossary.

Reasons/basis

The above condition is necessary in the public interest. They are reasonable and proportionate having regard to the purposes set out in regulation 7 of the SRA Authorisation of Individuals Regulations, and the regulatory objectives and principles governing regulatory activities as contained in section 28 of the Legal Services Act 2007.

[Control of practice Date: 15 March 2023](#)

Decision - Control of practice

Outcome: Condition

Outcome date: 15 March 2023

Published date: 11 May 2023

Firm details

Firm or organisation at date of publication

Name: Johns Law Partners Limited

Address(es): 130 Old Street, London, EC1V 9BD

Firm ID: 807651

Outcome details

This outcome was reached by SRA decision.

Decision details

Benny Poothavelil's practising certificate for 2022/2023 has been granted subject to the following condition:

1. Mr Poothavelil may not act as a sole practitioner, sole manager or sole owner of any authorised body.

In these conditions the terms are as defined in the SRA Glossary.

Reasons/basis

The above conditions are necessary in the public interest and reasonable and proportionate having regard to the purposes set out in regulation 7 of the SRA Authorisation of Individuals Regulations, and the regulatory objectives and principles governing regulatory activities as contained in section 28 of the Legal Services Act 2007.

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