

Non-Contentious Business Agreement (Historic Abuse cases)

This Agreement is a legally binding contract between you and your solicitor. The Conditions are part of the Agreement. Before you sign the Authority Form or give any instructions, please read everything carefully.

Agreement Date: 15/10/25

Between:

Us, We: Aiker Legal Ltd

And

You, Your, the Client: STEPHEN GOUGH

Scope of work included in this Agreement

All the work we do on your claim for compensation arising from personal historic abuse.

Scope of work excluded from this Agreement

The issue of court proceedings and any work consequent to the issue of court proceedings.

Paying us if you Win

If you win your claim you pay us 20% of the compensation that we recover on your behalf in respect of our fees, plus applicable VAT at the standard rate (currently 20% of our fees). You also pay us any agreed disbursements we make on your behalf plus any applicable VAT. Our fees reflect the following factors;

- (i) if you lose we will not earn anything
- (ii) your case is complex and involves specialised knowledge on our part
- (iii) the time we spend on your case
- (iv) the volume of documents
- (v) the amount of money involved
- (vi) the importance of this matter to you
- (vii) what we consider to be a fair and reasonable charge for the work we will do on your case.

Paying us if you Lose

If you lose your claim, you do not pay us anything, except agreed disbursements and any applicable VAT.

By signing the Authority form and or by providing continuing instructions, You, the Client, agree that You will be bound by and will fulfil Your part of this agreement and comply with the Terms & Conditions below.

Client Name: STEPHEN GOUGH

Signed: S GOUGH

Dated: 15/10/25

Reference: case.key

Signed for Aiker Legal Ltd:

Date: