



Commercial litigation and dispute resolution

No one wants to be involved in costly and time-consuming disputes, however more and more businesses are facing commercial disputes, complex regulations and increasing third party or contractual claims.

You need to ensure minimal disruption to your business, customers, suppliers and staff, allowing you to continue to focus on core business issues.

Whatever the challenge you are facing, we can help you keep control of the situation.

Our exceptionally strong dispute resolution team offers rapid, clear, cost-effective and practical advice regarding all commercial contract disputes, partnership and shareholder disputes, product liability, technology and IP disputes, property disputes, factoring and trade finance, fraud and corruption, defamation and media disputes, construction and insolvency.

We take pride in being accessible: our approach is friendly and consultative with clients, polite but challenging with opponents. Where appropriate, we will always seek a negotiated outcome that achieves your commercial objectives and, with two qualified mediators in the team, we are well placed to achieve strong settlements.

Where a negotiated outcome is not possible, we will litigate robustly on your behalf and have an enviable reputation for winning cases for our clients in court and recovering a high percentage of your legal costs from opponents.

Clients applaud the team's commitment, sound judgement and reasonable fees.

'Very impressive outfit'... clients expressed satisfaction with the team as a whole, praising the 'commitment and valuable personal attention' on offer.

Chambers UK, A Client's Guide to the Legal Profession

The litigation team at B P Collins 'display excellent commercial and tactical acumen'.

'Practical in its approach to problem solving'. The group advises a number of plcs on heavyweight matters, but equally is 'friendly and of a size to provide the range of expertise that an individual or medium-sized business will need.'

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Your team

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The knowledge to succeed

We have the ability and commitment
to secure the right results for your
organisation.

Our broad experience includes:

- Contract disputes
- Factoring and trade insurance
- Fraud
- Health and Safety Act prosecutions
- Injunctions
- Insolvency
- Intellectual property and technology
disputes
- Magistrates Court
- Mediation and advocacy
- Partnership disputes
- Professional negligence claims
- Property disputes
- Regulatory

The range of clients and
counter parties with whom
the team works or litigates
against, and the diversity
of sectors in which we operate,
clearly demonstrates the
established reputation of the
team in the region.

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