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# WE HAVE SET OURSELVES THE HIGHEST STANDARD IN THE DELIVERY OF SERVICES TO OUR CLIENTS: THAT OF EXCELLENCE

Having Launched on 1st October 2008, Civitas Law is the first chambers in Wales dedicated to the provision of Civil and Public Law services for a national client base. Members of the Public Law, Planning and Regulatory Group have the highest degree of experience of the specialist areas of public bodies and are regularly instructed by those bodies and by individuals and groups affected by their decisions. The expansion of regulatory functions has been readily embraced by practitioners who have developed special expertise in discrete areas of law and act for and against national bodies and departments, and local authorities, throughout Wales and in England.

Tribunal and public inquiry work is a growth area and a number of members were extensively involved in the E Coli Inquiry set up by the National Assembly. As well as representation at all levels there is significant advisory work, often on an ongoing basis.

## WE OFFER SPECIALIST SERVICES IN:

- Animal Welfare
- Care Standards
- Consumer Protection and Trading Standards
- Data Protection and Freedom of Information
- Disciplinary Hearings
- Education
- Environmental Law (including carbon trading)
- Food Safety and Environmental Health
- Health and Safety
- Housing and Anti-Social Behaviour Orders
- Human Rights
- Immigration
- Judicial Review
- Lands Tribunal
- Licensing
- Procurement
- Public Inquiries
- Social Security
- Town and Country Planning
- Trade Descriptions
- Vehicle Recovery

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