

MOVERS & SHAKERS

[THIS WEEK'S] STAR MOVE



Protect & serve

Court of Protection boutique firm Hugh Jones Solicitors has welcomed **Georgina Rowley** to the firm as a consultant.

Georgina brings with her extensive experience in Court of Protection welfare matters, including end of life treatment cases, withholding and withdrawing life sustaining treatment, disputes on decisions to grant and withhold continuing healthcare funding, and inquests. She is an accredited mediator and is a panel member of The Medical Mediation Foundation.

Rachel Dobson, managing director of Hugh Jones, said: 'Georgina will play a vital role in ensuring that the Court of Protection services we offer continue to lead the industry, extending our expertise into treatment and welfare disputes. She's a valuable addition to our biggest team and perfectly placed to provide clients with the support required to help them navigate what can often be a testing time or ongoing process.'

The real deal

Transatlantic firm Womble Bond Dickinson has bolstered its real estate team with the appointment of **Nicola Giddens** as a partner in the London office.

Nicola joins after almost five years with DWF, and previously spent 13 years with Stephenson Harwood. Focusing her practice

on real estate finance, Nicola advises UK financial services institutions on the financing of commercial, residential and mixed-use properties, both on an investment and development basis. She also offers experience advising the retail, student accommodation, hospitality, and housebuilding sectors.

Ed hunting

International firm Winston & Strawn LLP has announced the arrival of **Ed Denny** as a partner in its London office.

Ed comes on board from his former position of head of the tax department at Orrick. He focuses on the tax aspects of corporate finance transactions, including M&A deals involving

public and private companies. His additional areas of expertise include international tax issues and the technology sector.

Hot property

Shropshire firm mfg Solicitors has welcomed **David Raymont** as a partner in its Telford office.

David joins the firm after 24 years with FBC Manby Bowdler LLP in Shrewsbury. He is a highly experienced commercial property specialist who advises clients across a wide range of issues, including sales and purchases of industrial, office and retail premises, property finance, and land issues.

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Suzanne Jones, partner in the corporate restructuring & recovery department at Seddons, talks to *NLJ* at [www.newLawjournal.com](http://www.newlawjournal.com).

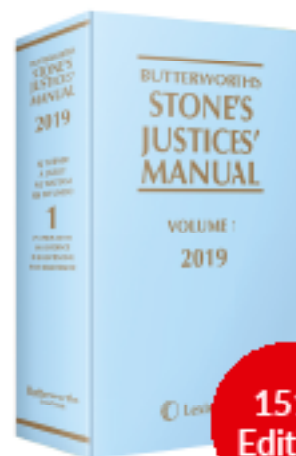


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