

28 March 2018 - Civil Legal Advice – update on provision of CLA services in the Education and Discrimination categories

On 5th February 2018 the LAA announced that it was cancelling the 2018 CLA procurement process for the Education and Discrimination categories.

This notice provides an update on the LAA's approach to provision of CLA services in those categories from 1st September 2018.

The LAA is intending to extend contracts with some of the current CLA providers. The extension periods will begin on the 1st September 2018 and would allow for a maximum contract end date of 31st August 2020.

The CLA contracts that the LAA is intending to extend are with the following providers:

Education category

- Simpson Millar LLP
- Coram Children's Legal Centre

Discrimination category

- Merseyside Employment Law

The LAA will also run a new procurement exercise for further contracts in the Discrimination category for services beginning on 1st September 2018. The LAA is intending to hold pre-procurement market engagement sessions to discuss this procurement with potential Applicants in April. If you would be interested in taking part in this market engagement please contact the LAA at the following e-mail address: civil.contracts@justice.gov.uk