

**NEW APPEAL CODE FOR ESA TIME LIMITED APPEALS**

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**INTRODUCTION**

- 1 This bulletin should be brought to the attention of all staff involved in writing appeal responses for ESA(Cont) cases where the appeal is made following a notification that entitlement, for those claimants not in the support group, is now limited to 365 days ([see Memo DMG 13/12](#)).

**ACTION TO TAKE**

- 2 In such cases, the appeal code that should always be used on the AT37 is “51TL”. This code should be used regardless of whether the case is referred to the FtT as having no reasonable prospect of success, out of time, out of jurisdiction etc. It is the time limiting aspect of the appeal which needs to be highlighted. This applies even if the appeal does not directly refer to the issue of time limiting.

**ANNOTATIONS**

Annotate the number of this bulletin (CAP Bulletin 1/12) against CAP paragraph 4370, Appendix 3 and Appendix 4.

## **CONTACTS**

If you have any queries about this bulletin, please write to Decision Making and Appeals (DMA) Leeds, GS36, Quarry House, Leeds. Existing arrangements for such referrals should be followed, as set out in [Memo DMG 14/11](#) - Obtaining legal advice and guidance on the Law.

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