

Anthony Cutler

General Information

Anthony Cutler has a broad civil practice in commercial and contractual disputes, complex personal injury claims and costs litigation. He is based in London, but his practice takes him throughout the country.

Before his call to the bar, Anthony practised as a Chartered Engineer in the offshore, railway and automotive industries. He regularly advised on health and safety, contractual and product liability matters. He went on to work as a management consultant in the engineering and service sectors, helping clients including Shell, BNFL, Rolls-Royce plc, AstraZeneca, GKN plc and Federal-Mogul to make the best use of their statistical data to improve their businesses. Because of his professional background, Anthony is able to bring special insights to cases where there is scientific, engineering or statistical evidence.

Where appropriate, Anthony accepts instructions from the public under the Bar Council Public Access scheme, under a Conditional Fee Agreement and pro bono.

Areas of law

- Commercial, Chancery and Property Law
- Costs
- Personal Injury/Clinical Negligence

Commercial, Chancery and Property Law

Anthony acts both for claimants and defendants in a broad spectrum of commercial law. He brings particular skills where there is complex accounting or engineering evidence.

- Contractual disputes
- Commercial debt recovery
- Sale of goods
- Supply of goods and services
- Consumer credit
- Company law
- Property damage and conversion
- Construction disputes
- Personal insolvency
- Corporate insolvency
- Product liability
- Commercial and residential property
- Professional negligence, especially against engineers and software developers
- Aviation law
- Civil fraud
- Passing off, malicious falsehood, and breaches of confidence and copyright

Costs

Anthony acts for paying and receiving parties in applications and detailed assessments to which he brings a highly developed sense of commercial risk.

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Inter partes assessments

- Solicitor-client costs disputes
- Wasted costs applications
- Costs in tribunals
- Costs in insolvency proceedings

Personal Injury/Clinical Negligence

Anthony is particularly interested in product liability cases to which he brings his substantial scientific and engineering experience. He has acted both for claimants and defendants in all aspects of personal injury law, including:

- Employers' and occupiers' liability
- Highways claims
- Holiday and leisure claims
- MIB claims
- Claims involving suspicions and allegations of fraud and fatal accidents

Anthony acts in clinical negligence claims, including those against alternative medicine practitioners.

He is instructed in CICA appeals, including judicial reviews in the Upper Tribunal. He represents interested persons at inquests, including those with a jury.

Personal injury litigation sometimes involves substantial credit hire claims, and Anthony brings an experienced, commercial approach to the matter.

Memberships

- Personal Injuries Bar Association
- Institute of Physics
- Royal Statistical Society

Education

- BVC (Manchester Metropolitan University)
- GDipL (Manchester Metropolitan University)
- BSc Hons Mathematics and Physics (University of Manchester)

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