

## A Winter Message from our Head of Administration

It has been over 6 and a half years since I managed the Bargate Murray move from one street in London EC2A, to another street around the corner in EC2A. And how times have changed!

After nearly 7 years based at 44 Worship Street, we have been preparing for our upcoming move to 16 Berkeley Street in Mayfair from 04 January 2022 (more on which will be detailed elsewhere within this newsletter).

We have been based in the EC2 area since 2004, so it's definitely the end of an era, opening new doors to new opportunities in Mayfair!

When I managed our move to Worship Street back in 2014, there seemed to be so much more to consider, all the different connections, ports, plugs, cables – the lot. These days, things are thankfully, far simpler.

Our CEO, Quentin Bargate, is very forward thinking, and we adapted pretty quickly to a new way of working even before the pandemic hit in March 2020. We set up our remote home-working stations before the start of the pandemic, and it's worked well for us ever since.

Our systems allow us work plug and go and work securely wherever we are without any disruption or interruption to our clients, and we'll take that to the next level with our Mayfair move.

Sustainability and our focus on being more environmentally friendly means that this move will not entail boxes of legal papers or legal books – (we do this all electronically wherever possible now). Good for the environment and good for keeping the “to do” list shorter!

We are always making sure that we are up to date with the latest technology, which enables us to keep in touch with colleagues and clients alike, wherever they or we are. Our staff are definitely enjoying the better work/life balance that comes with working in a hybrid way. The facilities in our new home at 16 Berkeley Street will enable our colleagues to enjoy better access to our clients and professional counterparts who base themselves on that side of town.

We are all really looking forward to the change and we are all looking forward to welcoming you there. If you find yourself in Mayfair from January, drop us a message and come and say hello!

In the meantime, and from me and my colleague Jemma Robinson, (the friendly voice who greets you when calling or visiting Bargate Murray), we wish you all a Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year! We look forward to welcoming you to our new home in 2021.



#### **LAUREN STEPHENS - HEAD OF ADMINISTRATION**

Lauren enjoys a high profile role as one of the firm's compliance officers and manages the firm's finances.

#### **JEMMA ROBINSON - ADMINSTRATOR**

Jemma is front of house and meets and greets clients and visitors as well as assisting the Head of Administration and the fee-earners.

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