



Rita Sethi

Called 2000

Admitted as Solicitor 1990

Immigration Judge (2006)
Judge of the First-tier Tribunal

Areas of Practice

Rita practises primarily in public law, specialising in asylum, immigration, EEA (free movement) law and related areas.

Publications

Regular contributor to the Legal Action Group Immigration Update

Speaking Events and Training, Seminars

Contributor to Tooks Legal Snapshot training seminars.

Has routinely provided advice and training seminars to community groups and specialist organisations on new developments in immigration and asylum law.

Membership and Societies

Immigration Law Practitioners Association (ILPA).

Other Relevant Information

Background

Prior to joining Tooks Chambers (where she also completed a successful transfer to the Bar in 2000) she had obtained over 10 years experience specialising in Immigration and Nationality Law as a former Solicitor/Partner.

Having completed her solicitors training with Seifert Sedley Williams, a renowned civil liberties firm, in 1990 she went on to successfully found an Immigration Dept. within a large established private legal aid firm in Newham, (E. Edwards Son & Noice, now, Edwards Duthie) taking quality specialist advice and assistance to a deprived London Borough with a growing immigrant and refugee population. Her role in the implementation of Department structures and reputation for high quality case work resulted in the firm becoming one of the first to achieve a Legal Aid Immigration franchise in 1994.

Rita's extensive knowledge and skills derived as a specialist solicitor together with her previous experience in recruitment; supervision and training in Immigration and Asylum law continue to be expertly utilised

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in her work as a Barrister and through her appointment, since 2006, as a part time, Immigration Judge.

Languages

Punjabi, Urdu & Hindi