

PEBA National Conference 2013

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Friday 17th May 2013

Overcoming Obstacles to Development

A central message of the National Planning Policy Framework is that those involved in planning should be looking for solutions and not problems. The economic picture remains uncertain and it is increasingly important that the . planning system plays a full role in the recovery. However, even with a presumption in favour of sustainable development and attempts to simplify planning, it remains essential to have both a current and complete understanding of the system's regulatory and procedural requirements.

PEBA's Sixth National Conference will focus on how best to overcome obstacles to development. We will be looking at the challenges presented by CIL and unduly restrictive planning obligations. We will be examining how to unlock difficult sites subject to public or private rights. We will be asking how to proof planning decisions against legal challenge. Our afternoon debate will look at what might lie around the next corner and our popular case law update will address the key legal decisions of the last 12 months.

The Conference will be valuable not simply to planning and environmental lawyers but to all those actively engaged in the development process, whether as promoter, regulator, or opponent of projects.

Last year, the Planning and Environment Bar Association's conference saw over 150 practitioners attend what has been credited as a 'must attend' event, attracting planners, lawyers, surveyors and barristers in high numbers.

The Conference provides delegates with the opportunity to meet, listen to and benefit from thought provoking, yet practical papers on important matters affecting practice. In addition, with the benefit of excellent networking opportunities in a first class venue, this Conference will contribute to meeting your CPD requirements at a very affordable price.

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Programme

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| <p>9.00am <i>Registration and Refreshments</i></p> <p>9.30am Chairman's Introduction
Morag Ellis QC, Chairman of PEBA</p> <p>9.45am Keynote Address
Sir Jeremy Sullivan, Senior President of Tribunals</p> <p>10.00am Renegotiating S.106 Planning Obligations
Matthew White, Partner, Herbert Smith Freehills</p> <p>10.45am Overcoming the CIL Constraint
Suzanne Ornsby QC, Francis Taylor Building</p> <p>11.30am <i>Refreshments</i></p> <p>12.00pm Over-riding Public and Private Rights
David Holgate QC, Landmark Chambers</p> <p>12.45pm <i>Lunch</i></p> | <p>1.45pm Proofing Decisions Against Challenge
James Pereira, Francis Taylor Building</p> <p>2.30pm The Debate: "Where Do We Go From Here?"
Chair: Jeremy Cahill QC, No 5 Chambers, and a panel of speakers including Robbie Owen, Partner, Bircham Dyson Bell</p> <p>3.15pm Case Law Update
Tom Hill QC, 39 Essex Street</p> <p>4.00pm Chairman's Closing Remarks</p> <p>4.15pm: Conference Close</p> |
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