



# The Bar Tribunals & Adjudication Service

The Council of the Inns of Court

## Disciplinary Tribunal

### CARLY SARAH WALTERS

Called to the Bar by: Lincoln's Inn, March 2005

Type of hearing: 3 Person Tribunal

Date of decision: 4 July 2023

#### In breach of:

Core Duty 5 and Rule rC8 of the Bar Standards Board's Handbook

#### Details of Offence:

Ms Carly Walters, a barrister and BSB regulated individual, behaved in a way which was likely to diminish the trust and confidence which the public places in her or in the profession, in that, on 19 November 2016 she drove a motor vehicle in a public place after consuming so much alcohol that the proportion of it in her breath, namely 93 microgrammes of alcohol in 100 millilitres of breath, exceeded the prescribed limit. On 7 December 2016, she was convicted of an offence contrary to section 5(1)(a) of the Road Traffic Act 1988 and Schedule 2 to the Road Traffic Offenders Act 1988 at Wigan and Leigh Magistrates Court.

Ms Carly Walters, a barrister and BSB regulated individual, behaved in a way which was likely to diminish the trust and confidence which the public places in her or in the profession, in that, on 15 August 2020 she drove a motor vehicle in a public place after consuming so much alcohol that the proportion of it in her breath, namely 46 microgrammes of alcohol in 100 millilitres of breath, exceeded the prescribed limit. On 17 September 2020, she was convicted of an offence under section 5(1)(a) of the Road Traffic Act 1988 and Schedule 2 to the Road Traffic Offenders Act 1988 at Chester Magistrates Court

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**Sanction:** BSB not to provide Ms Walters with a Practising Certificate should she make an application for six months and not until she has proved a letter from her GP to the Bar Standards Board which confirms that she is medically fit to return to work.

**Status:** Open to Appeal.