## **Desmond Rosario**

CALL/INN: Called to the Bar Inner Temple, November 1990

TYPE OF HEARING: 5 Person Disciplinary Tribunal

DATE OF DECISION: 12th April 2016

In breach of

Contrary to Core Duty 5 of the Bar Standards Board Handbook (2<sup>nd</sup> Edition).

## **Details of Offence**

Desmond Rosario engaged in conduct which was likely to diminish the trust and confidence in which the public places in a barrister or in the profession in that on the 12<sup>th</sup> October 2013 he sexually assaulted a 15 year old girl by penetration contrary to section 2 of the Sexual Offences Act 2003 for which conduct he was, on the 15<sup>th</sup> May 2015, convicted after trial at Leicester Crown Court, sentenced to 4 years imprisonment and subjected to the requirements of the Sex Offenders Register for life [or until further order].

**SENTENCE**: Disbarred.

**STATUS**: Open to Appeal.