

Philip Pawson

CALL/INN: Called to the Bar Lincoln's Inn, July 1999

TYPE OF HEARING: 5 Person Disciplinary Tribunal

DATE OF DECISION: 7th December 2016

In breach of

Contrary to paragraph 301(a)(i) and pursuant to paragraph 901.7 of the Code of Conduct of the Bar of England and Wales (8th Edition) and Core Duty 5 of the Bar Standards Board Handbook (1st Edition).

Details of Offence

Philip Pawson engaged in conduct that was dishonest or otherwise discreditable to a barrister, in that, between the period 25th October 2007 and the 22nd December 2011, in that as a Director of nine companies he authorised six of those companies to pay him £5,000.00 for the same piece of legal work.

Philip Pawson, an unregistered barrister, engaged in conduct likely to diminish the trust and confidence in which the public places in a barrister or in the profession in that on the 5th December 2014 he exhibited to a sworn affidavit a document [contract of employment] intending to induce a court of law to believe it was genuine when he knew it was false.

SENTENCE: Disbarred.

STATUS: Final.