



The Bar Tribunals & Adjudication Service

The Council of the Inns of Court

Disciplinary Tribunal

SAM BROWN

Called to the Bar by: Inner Temple, November 2004

Type of hearing: 5 Person Tribunal

Date of decision: 22 November 2019

In breach of:

Core Duties 3 and 5 of the Bar Standards Board Handbook.

Details of offence:

Sam Brown, a practising barrister, on 23 November 2016, failed to act with integrity.

Sam Brown, a practising barrister, behaved in a way that was likely to diminish the trust and confidence which the public places in a barrister or in the profession in that, having agreed to assist C in relation to her future career at the Bar, he intentionally touched C, the touching was sexual, C did not consent to the touching, and he did not reasonably believe that C consented to the touching.

Sanction: 6 Months Suspension.

Status: Open to Appeal.

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