

CRIMINAL LAW UPDATE

NEW CONSOLIDATED CRIMINAL PROCEDURE RULES
AND CRIMINAL PRACTICE DIRECTIONS:
A PRACTICAL GUIDE.

YOU ARE INVITED TO A SEMINAR TO BE PRESENTED ON THE 23RD OCTOBER AT
THE MIDLAND HOTEL, FORSTER SQUARE, BRADFORD, BD1 4HU, YORKSHIRE.
REGISTRATION AT 5.00PM, PRESENTATION COMMENCING AT 5.30PM.
THE SPEAKER WILL BE MUKHTAR HUSSAIN Q.C.

On 7th October 2013 the Criminal Procedure Rules 2013 will come into force, replacing the Criminal Procedure Rules 2012. The CPR 2013 will include changes to the rules about preparation for Crown Court trial, bail and sentence review.

Perhaps of greater significance, the Lord Chief Justice has approved the new Criminal Practice Directions, which will replace the Consolidated Criminal Practice Direction (as amended). These new directions will also come into force on 7th October. The Criminal Procedure Rules 2012 and the Criminal Practice Directions should be read together.

The new Consolidated Criminal Practice Directions will reflect the up to date changes in relation to both law and best practice. As case management becomes an increasing priority for the administration of justice, the practice directions have been resurrected so that they integrate with and complement the Parts of the Criminal Procedure Rules. Significant new changes include amendments to Practice Directions in relation to the treatment of vulnerable witnesses and defendants, allocation (mode of trial), disclosure and appeals.

Mukhtar Hussain Q.C will provide a comprehensive overview of the new changes coming into force, focusing specifically on those aspects that will practically affect any solicitor or barrister working in the Crown Court.

MUKHTAR HUSSAIN Q.C.

CALL TO THE BAR: 1971, Q.C. 1992



Having established, by sheer hard work and dedication and at a time when equal opportunity was not popular, a very successful practice, Mukhtar became a Recorder of the Crown court at the age of 37 and went on to become Queens Counsel at the age of 42. He is the first Recorder and Queens Counsel from ethnic background outside London. As a junior counsel he had a highly successful practice in civil, crime, immigration and private international law. This provided him with a sound base to take silk and continue his success as leading counsel. As leading counsel he has been in many high profile cases both prosecuting and defending. In recent years he has concentrated on defence work and on high profile cases in Fraud, Murder, terrorism and drug trafficking. His Fraud practice encompasses asset forfeiture and restraint, VAT, duty diversion, revenue, banking, MTIC, and mortgage frauds. His experience in fraud goes back many years. He was in the first two VAT fraud cases to be tried in Manchester. He has just completed Op-Duma, a multi-handed MTIC fraud with alleged loss of £80 million. His background, IT skills and understanding of Data management give him the essential skills required for a successful fraud practice. Mukhtar has appeared in several highly publicised cases over recent years including R v Farzana Ahmed (murder of teenage daughter that gripped Briton in 2012), Operation Gully, R v Benjamin Geen (nurse who murdered 2 patients), Sharon Beshenivsky murder, Yorkshire General Election fraud and many many others.

The seminar carries 2 hours CPD and is presented free of charge. To register your interest please contact Sigourney Lomax: slomax@lincolnhousechambers.com

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Sat Nav users should be aware that following recent major roadworks in Bradford city centre their systems may require updating.

Those with updated mapping will need to use the following co-ordinates rather than our postcode
Latitude 53.79561941255666 and
Longitude -1.7519116401672363.

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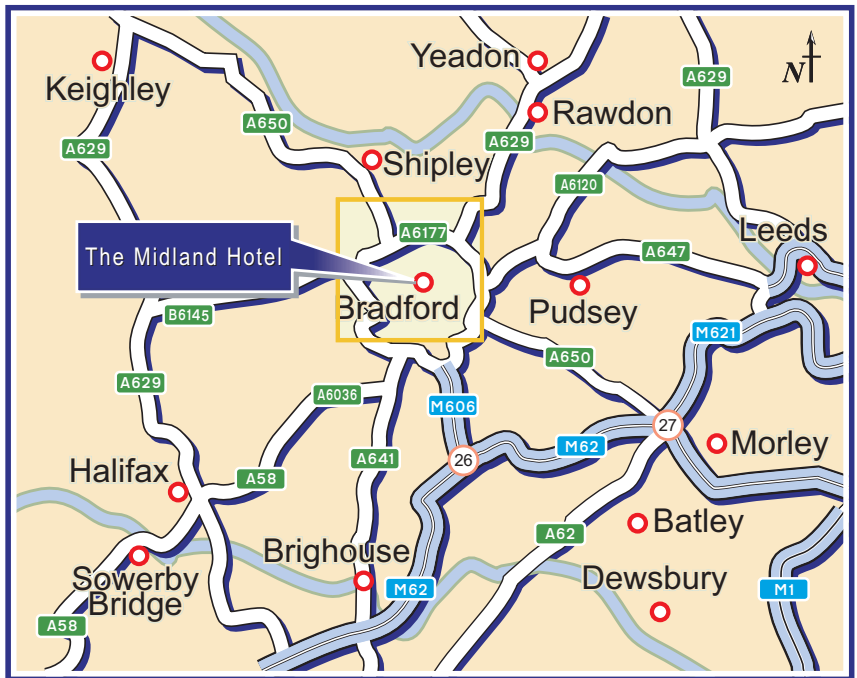
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DIRECTIONS & TRAVEL INFORMATION



Bradford Rail Station
(Forster Square)- 200 meters



Leeds & Bradford Airport
8 miles M606- 2 miles (leading to M1 and M62)



From Harrogate & Shipley.
Follow Bradford A6038/6037 and A650 signs, bear left signed A6037, A650 and Motorways. 2 Miles past car dealerships on left, get in right hand lane for Central Ring Road A6181. At major junction through lights, keep right lane, now A6181 for Haworth (this is Hamm Strasse) past Forster Square Retail Park on left, up hill, next left at top into Manor Row. Hotel 400m down hill, turn immediate left after hotel, at roundabout, hotel car park immediate left again.



From M1, M62, M606.
Junction 26 M62 onto M606 Bradford. At end of motorway, go under bridge and into dual carriageway at lights. Follow road round to the right up to roundabout. Turn left onto 3 lane, Rooley Lane. Follow for ¼ mile past Asda on left. At roundabout follow A650 left, down sliproad. Get into middle lane. Follow down hill through 2 roundabouts. Stay on A650 through 2 major lights and up hill. Through next lights at top of hill, get in left lane. Down hill turning left towards Forster Square Station and Retail Park. Immediately go over onto middle or right lane A6181 for Haworth (this is Hamm Strasse) past Forster Square Retail Park on left, up hill, next left at top into Manor Row. Hotel 400m down hill, turn immediate left after hotel, at roundabout, hotel car park immediate left again.



From York & Leeds.
Leave the Leeds Ring Road at Stanningley by New Pudsey Station towards Bradford A647. At junction with A650 turn right towards Keighley, Shipley this is Shipley Airedale Road. Through next lights at top of hill, get in left lane. Down hill turning left towards Forster Square Station and Retail Park. Immediately go over onto middle or right lane A6181 for Haworth (this is Hamm Strasse) past Forster Square Retail Park on left, up hill, next left at top into Manor Row. Hotel 400m down hill, turn immediate left after hotel, at roundabout, hotel car park immediate left again.



From Keighley & Bingley/Saltaire.
Follow A650 into Bradford past Valley Parade (Bradford City Football Club, on left) across Central Ring Road into Manor Row. Hotel 400m down hill, turn immediate left after hotel, at roundabout, hotel car park immediate left again.

