

## Overview

'An excellent junior barrister for a whole range of serious crimes. He is always impressive.' - Chambers & Partners, 2016

'Regularly sought after to handle inquests.' - Legal 500, 2015

The Legal 500 described Mr Nuttall as "a truly outstanding barrister" in 2010. He specialises in crime, serious fraud, regulatory crime, disciplinary tribunals and inquests, an area of law he has also lectured upon.

Andrew Nuttall is an extremely popular barrister who is regularly instructed in high profile regulatory and criminal cases by the leading solicitors in this area.

Andrew is often instructed to represent both organisations and individuals in inquests and represented interested parties in the Hillsborough Inquest, the Cumbrian Shootings Inquest (Derrick Bird) and several other lengthy high profile matters.

Andrew's Crown Court practice generally consists of representing private clients and insurance backed clients in a range of offences including death by dangerous and careless driving, sexual offences, drug offences, serious violence and murder and fraud.

Andrew has been a Recorder of the Crown Court since 2002, is a Category 4 Prosecutor and lectures regularly on criminal law and Coroner's Court topics.

## Notable Cases

*R v Davies – Representing the father of the deceased child in allegation of baby shaking murder. Not guilty verdicts after trial. Instructed by Clarkson Hirst Solicitors*

*R v Cilgram (1994) CLR 861- inconsistent verdicts*

*R v Doheny [1997] 1 Cr App Rpts 369 -DNA leading case.*

*R v H [2002]- sexual behaviour and the right to cross examine.*

*The Suzanne Capper case – The torture and murder of a young woman by a gang. A notorious case – instructed by Kristina Harrison.*

*R v Hardy and others - a multi-million pound drugs conspiracy.*

*R v Mutch -Represented a senior police officer in charge of the Manchester Bombing Inquiry. (Garstangs).*

*R v Jackson - conspiracy to cause explosions in Burnley area. (Southerners).*

*R v Cooke -Represented defendant who sent out poison in post on behalf of the Scottish National Liberation Army. (Farleys).*

*R v Z -prosecuted a Shia Muslim for child cruelty in a self flagellation case. First case of its kind in the UK.*

*R v Diprose and 14 other defendants. Prosecuted a drugs gang for drugs and money laundering offences 2012.*

## Serious Fraud

*R v Cairns- an SFO case - large company fraud, six month trial in London. (DLA).*

*R v Awan – London City Bond case, one of the few cases that led to the amalgamation of the Revenue with the Customs and Excise.*

*R v Moulton - senior executive for the Yorkshire Ambulance Union charged with a large scale fraud. (Leslie Burrows).*

*R V Mehtajee and others. Defended in an absent trader fraud instructed by RJW.*

*R v Kershaw - large scale fraud in Cumbria concerned with waste disposal. (Farleys)*

*R v Long - successfully argued an abuse in a large scale transport fraud case concerning the Customs and Excise. Instructed by David Hanman R V Abramson , Jepson and Edwards. Prosecuted three business men in large complex frauds to conviction in 2012.*



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## PRACTICE AREAS

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## Road Traffic Offences

For many years, Andrew has been involved in defending death by careless and death by dangerous driving cases, nationwide, and has regularly worked for solicitors whose clients are Insurance companies.

Andrew has represented a wide range of clients, including farmers who have been charged whilst using machinery to bus drivers, taxi drivers, elderly people who have fallen asleep at the wheel, and young men who have been alleged to cause serious injury whilst driving dangerously.

The most recent examples of such work including the prevention of an immediate prison sentence to a man who drove on the wrong side of the road, which killed one son, and seriously injured his wife, his two other children, and a lorry driver; the prevention of an immediate imprisonment of a man who pleaded guilty to dangerous driving and causing serious injury after he caused life-impending injuries; and obtaining a community order for a man who sought to cross a level crossing with his tractor and was hit by a train.

He has represented nurses and teachers and is currently working on five other cases; one involving a high profile death of a ballet dancer in London.

Andrew has successfully had cases dropped by reason of drafted submissions before any trial and has also stopped trials at the conclusion of the prosecution case on the basis of legal submissions.

Andrew likes to be involved with the case before any magistrate hearing and often attends the magistrates court even if it is for a sending as, in doing so, he can meet and advice the client immediately. Client care is of particular importance to him.

Andrew is well known for his efficiency and the speed in which he works. He always replies to emails and no one ever has to ask him to do something twice.



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