

The Significance of and Future for Neighbourhood Plans

This seminar will cover the progress of the new neighbourhood planning regime brought in by the Localism Act 2011 and the changes introduced by the Housing and Planning Act 2016. There will be particular emphasis on neighbourhood plans and their examination. It will also address recent changes in policy guidance and case law, including the imminent Court of Appeal Judgment in the DLA Delivery case, the WMS on the application of para. 49 of the NPPF to neighbourhood plans and anything arising from the pending Housing White Paper. The likely further changes to the legislation and in particular the Neighbourhood Planning Bill will also be covered.

Speakers will include Christopher Lockhart-Mummery QC, Stephen Morgan and Heather Sargent.

Details

Date: Monday 13th March 2017

Time: 17:00 - 19:15

CPD: 2

Who is it for? Planning Solicitors and Consultants

Fee: Free

Venue: MacDonald Burlington Hotel
Burlington Arcade
126 New Street
Birmingham
B2 4JQ

Programme

16:45 Registration

17:00 Introduction by the chair

Speaker topics will include:

- Neighbourhood Plans: Progress so far
- Making a Neighbourhood Plan: The Examiner's Role and Perspective
- Neighbourhood Plans and their future: Friend or Foe?

19:00 Questions and Discussion

19:15 Drinks and Close

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