

Courts and Legal Services Act 1990

1990 CHAPTER 41

PART IV

SOLICITORS

85 Practising certificates for employed solicitors

After section 1 of the Solicitors Act 1974 (qualifications for practising as solicitor) there shall be inserted the following section—

"1A Practising certificates: employed solicitors

A person who has been admitted as a solicitor and whose name is on the roll shall, if he would not otherwise be taken to be acting as a solicitor, be taken for the purposes of this Act to be so acting if he is employed in connection with the provision of any legal services—

- (a) by any person who is qualified to act as a solicitor;
- (b) by any partnership at least one member of which is so qualified; or
- (c) by a body recognised by the Council of the Law Society under section 9 of the Administration of Justice Act 1985 (incorporated practices)."