

# **GOODMAN DERRICK LLP**

---

**Press release: 25 April 2012**

Goodman Derrick is delighted to announce the arrival of **Stephen Hornsby** as a partner in its litigation department. Stephen is a very experienced competition lawyer (both contentious and non contentious) with particular experience in the media entertainment and sports sectors. He recently led a major judicial review against Ofcom for a commercial broadcaster which was settled on a satisfactory basis and also in the High Court, successfully quashed a lifetime ban on the physiotherapist involved in the famous “Bloodgate” case.

**Stephen Hornsby** said:

“I am looking forward immensely to working at Goodman Derrick at their new offices in the City. The firm has clearly developed a successful business model in a challenging environment and in the coming years I hope to help it take the next steps forward in its existing markets or beyond”.

**Tim Langton**, head of Dispute Resolution at Goodman Derrick, commented:

*“We’re very pleased to welcome Stephen to the firm. His acknowledged expertise in competition law will complement our existing practice and, we hope, enable us to provide an even better service to our clients. Stephen’s arrival brings our total number of partners to twenty six, which is the largest the firm has ever been in its fifty year history. In the present market, we feel we are the right size to be responsive to the varying needs of our clients and yet still able to offer them a quality, partner led service and real value for their money”.*

---

## **Notes to editors:**

GOODMAN DERRICK LLP is a long-established London law firm with a broadly based commercial practice, representing both UK and international clients. The firm has twenty-five partners (including Stephen) and a total complement of 85 staff including over forty-five practising lawyers. The firm has an acknowledged expertise in the areas of media law, corporate & commercial law, property, dispute resolution, employment and private client matters.

## **Contact**

For more information, please contact Belinda Copland on 020 7404 0606

[bcopland@gdlaw.co.uk](mailto:bcopland@gdlaw.co.uk)