



# FREE legal advice helpline

We are pleased to launch the free Womble Bond Dickinson legal advice helpline which will be live from Monday 17 October 2016 and will be available to all FIS members.

## Womble Bond Dickinson LLP

- Womble Bond Dickinson is a Top 40 UK Law Firm and delivers a wide range of legal expertise across seven cities from London to Abereen.
- Womble Bond Dickinson has one of the largest full service Construction and Engineering teams in the UK and has expertise in both dispute resolution and transactional construction matters.

#### Legal Advice Helpline

- The helpline is available to all FIS members.
- Calls will be taken from 9AM -5PM, Monday to Friday.
- Examples of the queries Womble Bond Dickinson envisage will be dealt with include:
  - Problems with payment;
  - Difficult contract terms;
  - Disputes with Contractors or Employers; and
  - Issues with bonds, warranties and guarantees.

- Womble Bond Dickinson guarantee to provide 60 minutes of free advice per query. Where it is necessary to review documentation, we will do so and provide initial advice within the allotted 60 minutes by email.
- Where it is clear that the query/document review will exceed the allotted 60 minutes, Womble Bond Dickinson will advise the FIS member of the appropriate steps to take, i.e. we will provide you with a fee quote for a full instruction or you will be free to instruct your own solicitors.

### Key Contacts

- Kara Price, a Solicitor in the Contruction and Engineering Team at Womble Bond Dickinson will take initial calls from FIS Members. Kara is based in Womble Bond Dickinson's Newcastle upon Tyne office and can be contacted either by telephone on 0191 230 8860 or email at <u>kara.price@wbd-uk.com</u>. If advice is being sought by email, please ensure "FIS Helpline" is included in the email subject line.
- Simon Lewis is a Partner and head of Womble Bond Dickinson's Construction and Engineering Team. Simon is also based in Newcastle upon Tyne and can be contacted by telephone on 0191 2799552 or email at <u>simon.lewis@wbd-uk.com</u>
- Simon Rowland is also a Partner in the Construction and Engineering Team at Womble Bond Dickinson and is the head of their transactional team. Simon is also based in Newcastle upon Tyne and can be contacted either by telephone on 0191 2799051 or email at <u>simon.rowland@wbd-uk.com</u>

#### Terms of Use

Please note that all FIS members are entitled to raise 4 queires via the helpline each month. Should a member require further advice, we would offer the member the opportunity to formally instruct Womble Bond Dickinson LLP or take the information we have provided elsewhere. Any advice given through the helpline does not constitute an agreement to act on a members behalf by Womble Bond Dickinson LLP.