



## Press Release

### **GSC SOLICITORS CONTINUES SUBSTANTIAL RECOGNITION IN 2016 LEGAL 500 UK RANKINGS**

**London 16th September 2016:** City law firm **GSC Solicitors LLP** has achieved substantial success in the Legal 500 2016 Guide to the UK legal market, published this week. The firm has been ranked in tier 3 for its specialist Hotel & Leisure team, and is ranked in five other categories including commercial property, property finance, London real estate, personal tax, trusts & probate and commercial litigation. In addition, five partners have been ranked as leaders within these specialist areas.

GSC's highly regarded personal tax, trusts and probate team specialises in advising ultra-high net worth individuals from Asia, Africa, Russia and the Middle East. Led by senior partner Saleem Sheikh, who is quoted as being both 'very knowledgeable and accessible', and partner James Cohen 'presents matters in an understandable way'.

The firm's commercial property practice was described by the Legal 500 as "active on transactional and development work in the hotels and leisure sector, and handled mandates for media clients such as Universal Music and Channel 4." Ranked partner Harvey Posener is described as being an 'Innovative thinker'.

The highly ranked Property Finance team has been described as "small and potent" and "particularly strong on the borrower side and in the hotels, leisure and healthcare sectors." The team is led by ranked partner Peter Belcher and is tier 3 ranked by the Legal 500.



Commenting on the 2016 rankings, senior partner Saleem Sheikh said: “The Legal 500 is a leading independent guide into the best law firms in the UK. We are delighted that GSC is consistently recognised for our key specialisms including commercial litigation, commercial property, personal tax, trusts and probate and commercial litigation as well as the strong importance we place on providing innovative legal services to all our clients.”

The Legal 500 is a leading third-party reference guide to the legal sector in the UK. It provides an up-to-date vision of the global legal market. It is highly trusted by corporate buyers of legal services in leading companies, private individuals, researchers and the wider business community.

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**Note to editors**

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GSC Solicitors LLP is a specialist City law firm with 12 partners and over 40 staff. The firm is well regarded for its media and intellectual property, commercial property, corporate and tax work. The firm represents a wide range of corporate and individual clients including entrepreneurs, small and medium-sized businesses, publicly quoted companies, major institutions in the UK and internationally. For more information please visit [www.gscsolicitors.com](http://www.gscsolicitors.com)