

# Alerts

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## What is the scam?

The SRA has been informed that a website at 'lawsonandcosolicitors.com' is operating and misusing the name of a genuine firm of solicitors (see below).

The website provides the address of '10 Cole Street, #3. London Se1 4ld'

The SRA does not authorise and regulate a genuine firm of solicitors with the address of '10 Cole Street, #3. London Se1 4ld'

Any business or transaction through the website at 'lawsonandcosolicitors.com' or the address of '10 Cole Street, #3. London Se1 4ld' is not undertaken by a firm or individual authorised and regulated by the SRA.

### Is there a genuine firm or person?

The SRA authorises and regulates a genuine firm of solicitors called Lawson and Co has closed.

Lawson and Co confirmed that they do not have any connection to the alert mentioned above.

The SRA authorise and regulate a number of genuine firms of solicitors with the name of Lawson or Lawsons in its name. The SRA believe that they do not have any connection to the alert mentioned above.

### What should I do?

When a firm's or individual's identity has been copied exactly (or cloned), due diligence is necessary. If you receive correspondence claiming to be from the above firm(s) or individual(s), or information of a similar nature to that described, you should conduct your own due diligence by checking the authenticity of the correspondence by contacting the law firm directly by reliable and established means. You can contact the SRA



to find out if individuals or firms are regulated and authorised by the SRA and verify an individual's or firm's practising details. Other verification methods, such as checking public records (e.g. telephone directories and company records) may be required in other circumstances.