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Summary of Qualifications

Fellow of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales. Admitted 1968, fellow 1979

Fellow of the Academy of Experts, Practising. Admitted 1990, fellow 1994

Qualified commercial mediator (Member of Faculty, Academy of Experts) 1998

Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Management 1984

Member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators 2006

Professional Experience

Partner or Principal in the international firm of Mazars Neville Russell or predecessor firms continuously from April 1971 to October 1998

Partner in the national firm of Bentley Jennison 1998 to 2003, latterly National Head of Litigation

Consultant to Bentley Jennison, litigation support & mediation, October 2003 to March 2006

General Practice Experience

Accountancy, audit, taxation and general business advice, wide variety of clients

Support member, or confidential counsellor, for chartered accountants with ethical problems

Spokesman on forensic accounting for the West Yorkshire Society of Chartered Accountants

Mediation Experience

Acted as mediator in partnership, director, share valuation, company sale & purchase, Section 459, construction, rights of way & boundaries, defamation, intellectual property, professional negligence, business interruption, housing disrepair, employment & many kinds of contract disputes

Frequent lecturer on mediation matters; trained in time limited and advanced mediation techniques

Participated in mock mediations to demonstrate power of mediation to judges, barristers & solicitors

Litigation Support Experience

Involvement in both civil and criminal matters for 20 years, covering the following areas:

- Loss of profit and consequential loss
- Business & share valuations
- Matrimonial valuations
- Partnership disputes
- Professional negligence
- Criminal & commercial fraud investigations
- Personal injury & fatal accident
- Drug trafficking etc asset tracing & confiscation

Attendance at court & meetings of experts. Many appointments as SJE. Given expert evidence about 70 times

Expert determinations appointed by the Court, by the parties, & by President of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England & Wales

Past contributor to Kemp & Kemp "*The Quantum of Damages*", and author of a chapter in that work on quantification of loss of profits for the self-employed and family businesses

Frequent lecturer to professionals and writer for professional journals

Committee member, Forensic Special Interest Group, Institute of Chartered Accountants

Member, Investigations Committee, Academy of Experts

"Lifetime Achiever" finalist 2006, West Yorkshire Society of Chartered Accountants