

## **SRA Handbook Glossary (Amendment) Rules 2012**

Rules dated 25 May 2012 made by the Solicitors Regulation Authority Board.

Made under Part I, Part II, section 79 and 80 of, and paragraph 6B of Schedule 1 to, the Solicitors Act 1974 and section 9 and 9A of, and paragraphs 14A, 14B and 32 to 34 of Schedule 2 to, the Administration of Justice Act 1985 and section 21(2), 83 and Schedule 11 to and paragraph 6 of Schedule 14 to, the Legal Services Act 2007 and paragraphs 2 and 3 of Schedule 14 to the Courts and Legal Services Act 1990.

Subject to the approval of the Legal Services Board under paragraph 19 of Schedule 4 to the Legal Services Act 2007 and coming into force on 2 July 2012.

### **Rule 1**

Rule 2 of the SRA Handbook Glossary Rules 2012 shall be amended as follows:

- (a) after the definition of “**CPE**” insert:

**“criminal advocacy**

means advocacy in all hearings arising out of a police or Serious Fraud Office investigation, prosecuted in the criminal courts by the Crown Prosecution Service or the Serious Fraud Office.”

- (b) after the definition of “**SRA Principles**” insert:

**“SRA Quality Assurance Scheme for Advocates (Crime) Notification Regulations**

means the SRA Quality Assurance Scheme for Advocates (Crime) Notification Regulations 2012.”

- (c) in the definition of “**you**”, delete “and” at the end of (vii) and insert after (viii):

“and

(ix) for the purposes of the *SRA Quality Assurance Scheme for Advocates (Crime) Notification Regulations* means a *solicitor* or an *REL*,”

### **Rule 2**

These amendment rules come into force on the 2 July 2012.