

So how can we support your sporting clients?



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### Escrow & Paying Agency

We assist parties to **mitigate their risk** by holding cash or documents pending the conclusion of certain commercial matters. Our escrow agreements are well established and developed over many years. Client's value our **seamless onboarding** and **speed of execution**. We act as escrow agent through our global offices in London, Hong Kong and Jersey.

Escrows are used in relation to sporting ticket sales; partnerships; sponsorship and prize funds, in addition to M&A activity. Our escrow services were most recently used for the Tyson Fury vs Derek Chisora bout.

In addition to supporting clients in our capacity as **Escrow Agent** we can also provide truly independent **Paying Agent Services**.

### Corporate Trust

As a market leading independent corporate trustee we pride ourselves on fast decision-making and a **robust and efficient KYC process**, delivering rapid response times when you need them most.

In the sports industry we have worked with **football clubs** on multiple high yield bond issues, and securitisation transactions.

We anticipate our **bespoke trust solutions** being of interest in context of multi club ownership.



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### Service of Process

We provide process agent services under the following jurisdictions; England & Wales, New York, Hong Kong, Ireland and Jersey.

We provide:

- 24/5 availability
- A combined experience of over 100 years
- In depth knowledge of handling post appointment matters including writs

The Service of Process team have supported **football governing bodies** as well as 10 different **Champions League** clubs from across the U.K., France, Italy, Spain, Portugal, and Greece.



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### Safecall – Whistleblowing

We are a whistleblowing service with a global footprint.

- We operate a **24/7 365 reporting service** to over 850 clients
- Our Operations team and call handlers are retired police officers with **significant investigative experience**
- We **provide training** to ensure your investigations are thorough and concluded in a timely and effective manner



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“Across LawDeb we serve many clients in the sporting industry, having largely built these relationships through our law firm connections. We have provided our services to multiple Champions League football clubs, boxing promoters and various sporting governing bodies for example.

Clients span the breadth of our independent professional services business from whistleblowing, escrow and the provision of trustee services to bond and securitisation transactions. Our expertise, fast decision making and robust KYC process suit these transactions and this sector perfectly.”

Eliot Solarz - Head of Corporate Trust, LawDeb

### Further LawDeb services that support your clients

#### Corporate Secretarial Services

In addition to global entity management and board governance services, the LawDeb Corporate Secretarial Services team provide governance support to listed operating companies, investment trusts and companies preparing for IPO.

Most recently the team have supported a FTSE 100 listed company coordinating their AGM, provided subsidiary governance support to a FTSE 250 company and fully outsourced company secretarial support to multiple leading investment trusts.



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#### Verifier for Register of Overseas Entities

LawDeb are delighted to have been approved by Companies House to act as verifier for the new Register of Overseas Entities.

With the Register going live on 1st August don't hesitate to reach out to LawDeb to find out how we can assist with your registration and verification requirements. Our knowledgeable and experienced Corporate Secretarial Services team is on hand to help.



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