

Disputed wills, trusts and estates



Unfortunately, many people fail to put their affairs in order before they pass away. The result can be that their families disagree over who should inherit what, or there are questions over the validity of wills.

Even when careful planning has taken place, things can go wrong. Executors of estates and trustees of trusts may not carry out their duties correctly or may disagree amongst themselves about how to proceed. Sometimes court action may be required to resolve disputes.

Our specialist team has vast experience of all these kinds of disputes and, more importantly, we know how to avoid them in the first place. Drawing on expertise from across the firm, we aim to resolve issues as smoothly as possible, supporting you through what can be a very trying time.

What services do we offer?

Estate and trust disputes

Inheritance Act claims

Pre-death agreements

Challenging lifetime gifts

Contesting the validity of a will

Removal and replacement
of executors

Why Weightmans?

- Ranked in the UK's leading legal directories Chambers & Partners UK and Legal 500.
- Members of the Association of Contentious Trust and Probate Specialists.
- Members of The Association of Lifetime Lawyers.
- Members of The Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners (STEP).
- Members of Resolution.

Where we are

A national top 40 law firm, our experts are located in both England & Wales and Scotland.

We can provide specialised advice in relation to any specific English, Welsh or Scottish matters and also can assist in any cross-border cases which span these jurisdictions.

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“A full-service law firm which can, for example, draw on the expertise of partners specialising in divorce and trusts.”

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