1GC Family Law

Becky Littlewood

Year of Call: 1988



Practice Overview

Becky covers all areas of Family Law, in particular financial remedy and care proceedings. She is friendly and approachable but a fierce advocate on her clients' behalf.

In financial remedy proceedings she deals with cases ranging from those dominated by need to those where the assets are substantial or difficult to trace.

In care proceedings she predominantly represents Children's Guardians and parents, she has particular expertise in working with clients with severe learning difficulties or mental health problems. She has undertaken vulnerable witness training. In recent months she has represented the children in an FII case where the mother was accused of suffocating them, a 15 year old competent child who accused her father of rape, and a child accused of sexually abusing his siblings.

In private law proceedings she represents mothers and fathers and children in intractable child arrangement disputes often where there are allegations and counter allegations of abuse.

Becky is trained in direct access and is a fully accredited mediator for both children and finances. Many of her direct access clients are personal recommendations.

Family Finance & Property

Children (Public Law)

Mediation

ENE / Private FDR

Notable Cases

London Borough of Newham v A Mother & Ors [2024] EWFC 51

R (*Fact Finding*) *Re* [2015] EWFC B97 - A fact finding hearing to determine the causation of serious injuries to a 6 month old baby girl and, if deliberately inflicted the perpetrator of those injuries.

Emin v Yeldag (Attorney-General and Secretary of State For Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs Intervening) [2002]1 FLR 956 - The wife sought financial relief from her former husband of

property and assets owned in the United Kingdom.

What the Directories Say

"An excellent advocate." Legal 500, 2024

Education

LLB Southampton University

Memberships & Associations

Family Law Bar Association Association of Lawyers for Children