

## **Legal & Recovery Sub Group AGM Update**

### **Introduction**

- The Legal & Recovery sub group was set up at last year's AGM and has been running for a year
- The group now has 17 members

### **1st Meeting**

- 2 Temple Gardens (barristers' chambers) have agreed to provide training at each meeting
- Focused on recovery actions in Tort
- Discussed our aims and objective and what the group could achieve. It was agreed that the group would be used as a discussion forum with all members taking learning points back to their work place

### **2nd Meeting**

- There was an increase in the number of members by the second meeting
- 2 Temple Gardens in attendance to give training on the law behind tree preservation orders and section 203 claims for compensation
- Discussed new case law

### **Information Sharing**

- Handouts and notes from the meetings are on the sub group's page on the website
- Issues of note are followed up after the meeting and emailed between members
- Issues that crop up between the meetings can be raised as agenda issues for discussion at the next meeting
- Sarah Dodd has contributed to the Legal Update in the Subsidence Forum Newsletter

### **The coming year**

- A split of the group between Recovery group and the commercial contract/other issues group
- Any new members to contact Sarah Dodd (sarahdodd@eversheds.com)