

Family finance

Resolving financial issues on relationship breakdown raises challenging and complex issues.

Hill Dickinson's family and wealth management team recognises the need for early pragmatic, commercially driven advice tailored to individual needs as priorities and strategies depend on personal circumstances.

Expert advice on:

- Divorce and judicial separation procedure
- Separation agreements
- Interim financial arrangements
- Financial injunctions to prevent disposal of assets
- Pension sharing and pension offsetting
- Relevance of company shareholdings
- Relevance of Inherited assets and pre-marital agreements
- Impact of on-shore and off-shore trusts
- Child support – the interplay between the court and the Child Support Agency
- The importance of financial 'clean break' orders for entrepreneurial clients

Hill Dickinson's family team is ranked in the Legal 500 and Chambers & Partners independent guide to the UK legal profession. The family team are members of Resolution, a national organisation of family lawyers.



Hill Dickinson's family law team protects and safeguards clients through pragmatic, commercially driven advice on the full range of family law, tailoring legal expertise and practical knowledge to individuals' circumstances.

Matters to consider

- There are a number of ways in which divorce, childcare arrangements and financial issues can be resolved. Hill Dickinson advises in the traditional court or collaborative law process. It is essential that early advice is sought to consider the options available and the timing of separation.
- In court proceedings the judge will take a range of factors into account when dividing family assets.
- Some couples choose to separate rather than divorce. There are advantages and disadvantages of entering into separation agreements dependent upon individual financial circumstances.
- When resolving family finances specialist advice is often required on trusts, tax, estate planning, employment and company law issues.

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