

# **AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIP OF DASLS** **NOMINATION FORM**

I wish to become an Affiliate Member of the Devon and Somerset Law Society and agree, if elected, to abide by the terms of the Memorandum and Articles of Association and the rules and bye-laws of the Society for the time being and the terms of the Resolution of the Committee dated 30 June 2009 attached to this application form.

Signed.....Date.....  
 Name (in full).....Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms  
 Business Name.....  
 Business Address.....  
 Post Code.....DX No.....Tel. No.....  
 e-mail.....May we contact you by e.mail? Yes / No  
 Date of Birth .....

Business Occupation .....

Every candidate for Affiliate Membership of the Society shall be proposed and nominated by two Members of the Society to both of whom the candidate shall be personally known.

**PROPOSED AND NOMINATED BY**

1. .... Signed.....  
 2. .... Signed.....

**Ethnicity:** please tick which origin applies to you (this information is voluntary)

White/European	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chinese	<input type="checkbox"/>	Asian	<input type="checkbox"/>
African - Caribbean	<input type="checkbox"/>	African	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (please state):	<input type="text"/>

**Practice Areas:** Please indicate areas of interest:

Advocacy	<input type="checkbox"/>	Education Law	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mediation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Agricultural	<input type="checkbox"/>	Employment Law	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mental Health	<input type="checkbox"/>
Banking/Corporate Finance	<input type="checkbox"/>	European Law	<input type="checkbox"/>	Personal Injury	<input type="checkbox"/>
Civil Liberties/Human Rights	<input type="checkbox"/>	Family / Matrimonial Children	<input type="checkbox"/>	Planning & Environment	<input type="checkbox"/>
Civil Litigation	<input type="checkbox"/>	Immigration	<input type="checkbox"/>	Police Law	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clinical Negligence	<input type="checkbox"/>	In - House Solicitor	<input type="checkbox"/>	Practice Management	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial Litigation	<input type="checkbox"/>	Insolvency & Bankruptcy	<input type="checkbox"/>	Prison Law	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial Property	<input type="checkbox"/>	Insurance	<input type="checkbox"/>	Probate / Trusts / Wills / Charity	<input type="checkbox"/>
Company / Commercial	<input type="checkbox"/>	Intellectual Property	<input type="checkbox"/>	Property Litigation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Computer / IT Law	<input type="checkbox"/>	International Law	<input type="checkbox"/>	Residential Conveyancing	<input type="checkbox"/>
Construction	<input type="checkbox"/>	Landlord & Tenant	<input type="checkbox"/>	Shipping	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consumer Law	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local Government Solicitor	<input type="checkbox"/>	Transport	<input type="checkbox"/>
Crime	<input type="checkbox"/>	Liquor Licensing & Gaming	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (please state below)	<input type="text"/>
Defamation & Libel	<input type="checkbox"/>	Media & Entertainment	<input type="checkbox"/>		

**When completed** this form should be returned to:  
 Devon & Somerset Law Society, Aston Court, Pynes Hill, Exeter, EX2 5AZ, DX 8361 EXETER

**TERMS OF THE RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE  
COMMITTEE AT ITS MEETING ON 30 JUNE 2009  
AS SUBSEQUENTLY AMENDED BY THE  
COMMITTEE AT ITS MEETING ON 15 SEPTEMBER 2009**

**RESOLUTION IN RESPECT OF NON SOLICITOR AFFILIATES OF DASLS**

"Practising barristers, senior academics [those with both a first and second degree] and those who become partners in or are employed at a senior level by firms of solicitors whose (other) solicitor partner(s) are members of DASLS may apply for Affiliate membership of DASLS.

Candidates for Affiliate membership must be proposed and nominated in writing on the form prescribed for the purpose by two DASLS members (to whom the candidate is personally known).

The proposal will be considered by the Committee of the Society and if more than two Committee members present shall vote against the application of the proposed Affiliate, the Affiliate shall not be accepted.

If accepted, the Affiliate shall be bound by the memorandum and articles and rules and bye-laws of the Society for the time being and by the terms of this Resolution but shall have no vote in the deliberations of the Society and shall not be eligible for office or full membership of the Committee.

An Affiliate will be permitted to attend as an observer and speak (both at the discretion of the Chairman of the meeting) at any meeting of the Society, its Committee and Sub-Committees and the AGM save if any confidential or sensitive matter is to be discussed.

Affiliates will pay such subscriptions to the Society as may from time to time be fixed by the Committee and will only be eligible to remain an Affiliate whilst an academic, barrister practising in DASLS area or a partner or senior employee of a firm practising within DASLS area."