



Judicial Conduct  
Investigations Office

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# STATEMENT

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## STATEMENT FROM THE JUDICIAL CONDUCT INVESTIGATIONS OFFICE

**His Honour Judge Andrew Shaw**

A spokesperson for the Judicial Conduct Investigations Office said:

“The Lord Chancellor and Lord Chief Justice have issued His Honour Judge Andrew Shaw with formal advice after he was found to have shouted at counsel in court. In reaching their decision, the Lord Chancellor and Lord Chief Justice took into consideration that this was a brief, isolated incident, that the judge had some cause to be frustrated, and that the hearing in question took place during a difficult time in the judge’s personal life. They also took into account that other allegations against the judge were not substantiated, and that he had apologised to counsel.”

**ENDS**

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