



“A lifeline
for small
organisations!”

LawWorks applicant

FREE legal advice for not-for-profit organisations

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We arrange FREE legal advice for small charities and not-for-profit organisations that support people in need in England and Wales.

Our Honorary Counsel service matches eligible organisations with a team of lawyers, on a longer term basis.



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Who we are

LawWorks' Not-For-Profits Programme helps connect volunteer solicitors with small charities and not-for-profit organisations in need of legal advice.

100%

of organisations said they would seek support via LawWorks again.*

Casework service

Our volunteer solicitors from some of the country's top legal teams can provide **free advice on most areas of law** including: intellectual property, employment, property, tax, commercial/contract, insurance, insolvency, data protection, defamation, and company law.

Examples of how our volunteers can help include:

- drafting a contract
- reviewing a lease
- updating a constitution/articles
- clarifying rights in a commercial dispute

- Data based on service user feedback questionnaires in 2020

Honorary Counsel service

Our **Honorary Counsel service** provides long-term free legal support to small not-for-profit organisations.

We match small-not-for-profit organisations with a team of volunteer solicitors (the "Honorary Counsel"), who will work together on a long-term basis, spotting and preventing legal issues.

How to apply

For Casework and Honorary Counsel: visit our website to view the **eligibility criteria** and **application form**.

Charity registration service

We are also piloting a charity registration service. Our volunteer solicitors can provide expertise to organisations who want to **register as a charity with the Charity Commission**.

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LawWorks is a charity working in England and Wales to connect volunteer lawyers with people in need of legal advice, who are not eligible for legal aid and cannot afford to pay, and with the not-for-profit organisations that support them.
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