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The Children and Family Relationships Act 2015 – an overview of the key provisions

Law Society Professional Training in partnership with the Family & Child Law Committee

Date:	24 June 2015
Time	10.00 am to 3.30pm
Venue:	Law Society of Ireland
Fee:	€176
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CPD Hours:	4.5 General (by Group Study)
Seminar Code	15005

Aim and Objectives

The Children and Family Relationships Act 2015 introduces radical and controversial reforms to many of the fundamental principles of Irish family law. This seminar aims to provide practitioners with a comprehensive overview and analysis of the key provisions of the Act. The distinguished panel of speakers are the leading experts in family law.

Topics and Issues Covered

- Overview of the Act and Key Changes
- Assisted Human Reproduction
- New Rights for Civil Partners, Step-Parents, Co-habiting Couples, Grand-Parents and those in Loco Parentis
- New Enforcement Provisions
- Adoption and The New Rights for Unmarried Fathers

Chairperson/Speaker

Dr Geoffrey Shannon, Solicitor, State Special Rapporteur on Child Protection

Speakers (in order of appearance)

Inge Clissman SC, Four Courts, Dublin

Muriel Walls, Walls and Toomey Solicitors

Justin Spain, Justin Spain Solicitors

Keith Walsh, Keith Walsh Solicitors, Dublin

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