

## LIVE VIRTUAL EVENT STREAMED VIA ZOOM ON 13 JULY 2021 9:30am - 5:00pm

Join Brett Dixon and John McQuater for an interactive and informative one day event providing an introduction to the brand new government online portal for dealing with whiplash injury claims and low value road traffic claims.

The system went live on **31st May 2021** and this virtual event will deliver a detailed and comprehensive look at the system and tactics for lawyers.

By registering for this event, delegates will benefit from up to the minute updates from speakers at the coalface of its development, in-depth workshops and a Q&A session at the close of the day with the speakers.

## Portal

- What is caught by the new system
- What claims are excluded
- What about EL and PL claims?
- User guidance
- Exit routes
- Where does the claim go on exit
- When can you exit
- What risks are there to exiting
- Obtaining medical evidence
- Who pays
- When and how is it disclosed
- Valuation
- What losses are in the system
- What about losses that are not?
- Tariff and uplifts
- Mixed tariff and non-tariff injuries
- Admissions
- Settlement in the portal

## Court Process

- Leaving the portal
- Leaving the portal
- Returning to the portal
- Liability disputes
- Quantum disputes
- Partial admissions
- Claims for an uplift on tariff damages
- Interim payments
- Limitation issues
- Fees and other disbursement disputes
- Non-payment by the insurer



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