## **Ivan Bowley**

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## **AREAS OF EXPERTISE**

Industrial Disease, Group Claim Litigation, Group Litigation



Ivan Bowley specialises in industrial disease and serious personal injury, acting on behalf of claimants. For many years he has been one of the leading juniors at the Bar for industrial disease litigation.

Ivan also practices at Lincoln House Chambers in Manchester and has regularly been listed in Chambers and Partners Band 1 for personal injury on the Northern Circuit and as a leading practitioner in the Legal 500. He is listed in Band 1 of the Chambers and Partners' list "Personal Injury: Industrial Disease – All Circuits".

## **Group Claim Litigation**

A substantial part of Ivan's practice involves acting for Claimants in group actions. In addition to the cases mentioned above, Ivan has been instructed as sole counsel or with a leader in numerous other group or multi party actions as follows:

- Fire fighters exposed to toxic chemicals/fumes arising out of a fire/explosion at a chemical works in Armley, Leeds. Injuries ranging from skin lesions to brain injury.
- New Tredegar gas explosion claims by residents injured in a gas explosion and consequent destruction of a large part of a street in a town in South Wales.

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- Steel workers suffering from HAVS due to vibration exposure.
- Motor vehicle manufacturing plant workers suffering from NIHL.
- Military personnel suffering from hearing loss due to noise exposure and acoustic trauma.
- · BT engineers suffering from NIHL.
- Military personnel suffering from non-freezing cold injuries.
- Disaster litigation involving passengers on aircraft and ships.