

# BLOCK HEADS

FIND OUT WHAT THE EXPERTS HAVE TO SAY ON MANAGING WHERE YOU LIVE



A series of 3 Saturday morning training seminars for residents in apartment blocks in the Waterfront and city centre who want to improve the management of their building.

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## SESSION ONE Saturday 22nd February 2014. 9.45 – 1.00

Led by Sian Evans, Weightmans LLP, Venue: Weightmans LLP, 100 Old Hall Street, Liverpool L3 9QJ.

#### YOUR BLOCK – challenges to effective management

Skills for good management; decision-making and consultation procedures; the AGM; conflicts of interest; anti-social neighbours; sub-letting and serviced apartments; conflict resolution and mediation; poorly performing Managing Agents and Management Companies; issues from the night-time economy; First Tier Tribunal Property Chambers.

## SESSION TWO Saturday 15th March 2014. 9.45 – 1.00

Led by Jane Janvier, Hill Dickinson. Venue: Hill Dickinson, No.1 St. Paul's Square, Liverpool L3 9SJ.

#### YOUR BLOCK - structures for good management

Block management options and legal requirements; residents' rights; mixed-used developments limitations and possibilities; RTM and RMC companies their rights and responsibilities; RICS Code of Practice; forming a Residents Association; developing a communications strategy; democratic, transparent and accountable organisations.

## SESSION THREE Saturday 5th April 2014. 9.45 – 1.00

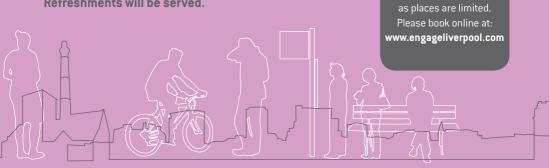
Led by Alistair Fletcher, Brabners LLP. Venue: Brabners LLP, Horton House, Exchange Flags, Liverpool L2 3YL.

### YOUR BLOCK - value for money in contracting services

Choosing the right Managing Agent; getting Value for Money; improving the quality of service provision; the importance of the contract; enforcing the contract; using the RICS Code of Practice; budget setting; service charge arrears; sinking funds; cyclical funds; building insurance; financial accountability.

Successful completion of the seminar series will lead to an award in RESIDENTIAL BLOCK MANAGEMENT Refreshments will be served.

Registration is essential as places are limited. Please book online at:



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