

Guilty or Not Guilty - what's your verdict?



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**11th & 25th February 2009
2nd March 2009**

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HSE-v-Wendy Houses Ltd and HSE-v-Alex Wendy, director in the Central Anglia Magistrates' Court sitting at:

Ipswich 9.40 am on **Wednesday 11th February 2009** or
Huntingdon 9.40 am on **Wednesday 25th February 2009** or
Dereham 9.40 am on **Monday 2nd March 2009**

followed by **McBucket -v- Wendy Houses Ltd**, a claim for damages.

As director or senior manager, your task is to make sure things go right for your business. With the best will, things can go wrong. This mock trial aims to explain what can happen when things go wrong and a worker is injured.

HSE has decided to prosecute not only the employer but also the managing director. Alongside this, the injured worker has claimed compensation from his employer for the losses he has suffered.

You are invited to the criminal trial in the Magistrates' Court when the company and its director are prosecuted. You will also see, in the afternoon session, how the lawyers settle the injured worker's claim for compensation.

As in reality, the Magistrates will judge the case on the facts and arguments presented to them by prosecution and defence lawyers. Guilty or not will be decided on the day. This will influence, to some extent, the outcome of the compensation claim, also decided on the day.

Both morning and afternoon sessions have discussion time, when you can debate with the lawyers, the defendants and the Magistrates and offer your own opinion. I look forward to seeing you in Court!

Tricia Dair Chairman of the Bench, Central Anglia Court.

Event Programme

09.15 - 09.40 *COFFEE and REGISTRATION*

09.40 - 10.00 Welcome and introduction to the court

10.00 - 12.15 HSE-v-Wendy Houses Ltd *and* } The trial
HSE-v-Alex Wendy, Director }

12.15 - 13.00 **Guilty or Not Guilty - what is your verdict?**
(Discussion)

13.00 - 14.00 *BUFFET LUNCH*

14.00 - 15.30 **McBucket-v-Wendy Houses Ltd** - the process of mediation
in a claim for damages following an injury at work

15.30 - 16.00 Discussion and close

The cost of £25 per person includes tea/coffee and buffet lunch
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For location maps, enter the postcode into www.multimap.com

The **Huntingdon Court** is in Wood Green Animal Shelters, London Road, Godmachester, Cambs, PE29 2NH.

Map: <http://www.woodgreen.org.uk/contact-us-maps-godmanchester.asp>

The **Dereham Court** is in Breckland Council Office's Elizabeth House, Walpole Loke, Dereham, NR19 1EE.

Map: <http://www.breckland.gov.uk/brecklandcouncil/contact-us/officelocations/elizabethhousemap.htm>

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