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New Probate and Executorship Service



Ask for our help in administering the estate of a loved one and you could save thousands of pounds.

Creaseys is pleased to announce the launch of its new Probate and Executorship service.

The death of a loved one is a traumatic experience. The winding up of their estate can take many months - even longer if the case is complicated - and is not a task that many people want to tackle alone.

By instructing Creaseys to help during this difficult time, you can relieve some of the pressure and ensure the process is as smooth and stress-free as possible.

WHAT DOES PROBATE ACTUALLY INVOLVE?

Although probate is often perceived as a relatively straightforward process, in point of fact it can often be complex.

These are just a few of the responsibilities involved:

- Researching and assessing the value of the deceased's estate
- Preparing Inheritance Tax accounts
- Dealing with Income and Capital Gains Tax liabilities

WHAT TO DO NOW...

Consider appointing Creaseys to be executors of your will.

Ask us for help with dealing with the affairs of a loved one.

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- Gathering assets and paying creditors
- Advising beneficiaries and executors of the various tax implications connected with selling any assets
- Preparing tax returns for personal representatives
- Providing final estate accounts.

THE ADVANTAGES OF USING CREASEYS

Probate is for the most part a numerical exercise and who better to deal with that than Creaseys? Not only can you count on us to get it right, but our knowledge of taxation means we can advise you on ways to minimise the estate's liability, which could save thousands of pounds.

And because we know you, we can offer sound, practical advice and a service personal to you.

HOW MUCH WILL THIS SERVICE COST?

To calculate the death duties and obtain probate, we offer a fixed fee service. Unlike many other providers, our fee does not change in line with the final value of the estate.

Executorship is charged according to the complexity of the estate and the estimated amount of time we think it will take. We will be happy to sit down with you to discuss the details of your case and give you a price estimate. This means you will have a good idea of what it will cost before you commit yourself.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION...

Please contact [Mark Howard](#) or [Clare Cave Smith](#) on 01892 546546

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