



# BRANCH AUSTIN LLP

BOUQUETTE LAW FIRM | MAYFAIR, LONDON

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IMMIGRATION EXPERTS



# OUR HERITAGE MEANS YOUR FUTURE IS PROTECTED

The origins of our firm go back to Pickering Kenyon (which was listed in the Guinness Book of Records as the oldest law firm in the world dating back to 1561). and was formed in 1990 by three of that firm's partners, Messrs Lass Salt and Garvin, later becoming LSG and (on merger with Gardner Austin in 2016) LSGA. In January 2021, the LSGA partnership converted to a limited liability partnership and rebranded with the new name of Branch Austin LLP.

'By far the best legal experience in our thirty-year corporate history - 2020'



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*Branch Austin LLP is a boutique law firm based in Mayfair, London. Our immigration department is highly regarded for providing both corporate and personal immigration solutions to their clients.*

**WE SPECIALISE IN IMMIGRATION AND NATIONALITY LAW IN THE UK. WE ALSO ADVISE ON EU LAW, HUMAN RIGHTS, INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION, EXTRADITION & DEPORTATION AND CROSS- JURISDICTIONAL CASES.**

## LEADING IMMIGRATION LAWYERS IN LONDON

Over the last thirty years, our boutique law firm has been built upon returning clients and recommendations. We treat your case with the utmost importance and care.

We represent private individuals and corporate entities on the broad spectrum of immigration matters, particularly in complex and contentious matters. We are frequently instructed by clients from all over the world.

At Branch Austin LLP, we pride ourselves on being approachable, proactive and transparent throughout your entire case.

We are trusted lawyers, with a long-standing tenure in the field. We believe we are preferred advisers to many of our clients as we provide our services with care and commitment, often punching above our level (given the boutique nature of our firm), encompassed into moderate fee rates.

We offer a partner-led service and act for individuals (based in the UK and overseas) as well as a wide range of corporate clients, including start-ups, SMEs, family-owned businesses and multinationals and family offices.

### We Provide:

Expert and effective legal advice  
In-depth knowledge of the law  
A partner-led service  
Moderate fixed fee rates  
Services tailored to the entities' individual needs



## CORPORATE IMMIGRATION

Branch Austin is recognised as leading-lawyers within the field of Immigration. Owing to the global nature of the employment market for companies across the industry spectrum, it is imperative for organisations to be able to hire employees from all over the world, even more so where the skillset of an individual is intrinsically linked to the success and growth of a company. The Home Office in the United Kingdom and the UK Government frequently amend the legislation & policy for employers who employ staff from abroad.

As a result, the corporate immigration field in the UK is complex and in many cases unclear. The UK Home Office devolve power to companies to self-regulate their licence and to employ individuals from outside of the UK. However this has led to entities being unaware of the relevant process or key changes in the law and has meant many entities have failed to comply with the legislation imposed.

The Corporate & Personal Immigration Team at Branch Austin LLP focus on providing a partner-led service in respect of:

- Advising entities and individuals on contentious and non-contentious immigration matters in the United Kingdom.
- Providing bespoke legal advice to clients who require personal immigration solutions. We have over 20 years of experience in personal Immigration; and many of our clients have been retained from their entry and until their permanent settlement or acquisition of nationality.
- We are also highly skilled on the Business Visa Categories acting for a variety of clients ranging from Entrepreneurs, Start-Ups, FinTech Houses, Wealth Funds, and large corporate bodies.
- We provide streamlined management of the workforce of entities in compliance with the ever-evolving UK Immigration legislation.



## PRIVATE CLIENT IMMIGRATION

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We specialise in providing professional legal strategy in matters concerning immigration in the United Kingdom. Whether you wish to apply for a visa or challenge a decision, our solicitors provide expert legal advice combined with a personable and collaborative approach.

We focus on preparing high quality applications as well as preparing successful appeals and judicial reviews before the immigration tribunal and the courts. We understand that every client's circumstances and objectives are unique. We prepare a bespoke legal strategy tailored to your specific needs.

Our expertise in UK immigration law ranges from straight forward applications to complex and contentious cases. We are well regarded in providing immigration advice in respect of matters concerning entry, extension, settlement, and the acquisition of nationality in the UK.

We provide end-to-end legal support encompassed within a reasonable fixed fee.

Our cases are partner-led meaning a highly experienced solicitor with experience within the field of immigration will play an active role in preparing your case strategy and overseeing your case from start to finish.

We focus on providing a superior client experience and are driven to secure your desired outcome with precision.

We have a high retention rate of returning clients which is a testament to the experience we provide our clients with.

Our expertise in immigration matters includes :

- Advising high net worth individuals on solutions to complex immigration matters  
Advising on the applications to enter, extend, settle in the UK.
- Advising on visiting the UK; studying in the UK; working in the UK and investing in the UK.
- Securing successful results for clients who have had repeat refusals in the past. Positive determinations in appeal matters before the immigration courts.
- Adding value by pleading technical legal points where the Immigration Rules do not cover a particular case.

We act for UHNWI's and provide international concierge services for clients with UK Immigration matters.





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