

# **In-house Complaints Procedure**

We are committed to providing a professional service to all our clients and customers. If things go wrong we need you to tell us about them. This will help us to improve our service going forward and resolve issues as soon as possible.

If you have a complaint, please put this in writing (letter or email) to us. We will then acknowledge and respond in line with the timescales and stages set out below.

### Stage 1 - Your Complaint

Please put your complaint in writing either by letter or email and address it to Andrew Binstock (Managing Director).

Please put your compliant in writing either by letter or email. Please include as much details as possible, **including** dates, names of any members of staff you dealt with and, where able to, enclose/attach any supporting evidence.



info@auctionhouselondon.co.uk

#### Stage 2 - Our Acknowledgement

Timescale: Within 3 working days of receiving your complaint

Your complaint will be acknowledged and we will start our in-house complaints process.

#### Stage 3 - Our Investigation

Timescale: Within 15 working days of receiving your complaint

Your complaint will be investigated and one of the Directors/Managers will provide a formal written response addressing your specific complaints and proposing resolutions where appropriate.

## Stage 4 - Final Viewpoint

Timescale: With in 15 working days of receiving your request for a further review

If you remain dissatisfied, you should contact us again and we will conduct a separate review to take place by all of our Directors. This will outline our final viewpoint on the matter.

#### Stage 5 - The Property Ombudsman

**Timescale:** You must refer your complaint to the Ombudsman within 12 months of receiving our final viewpoint letter

If our final viewpoint does not resolve matters (or more than 8 weeks has elapsed since the complaint was first made) you can request an independent review from The Property Ombudsman without charge.

If we have not addressed your complaints within eight weeks, you can refer your complaint to the Ombudsman. No charge will be made for any complaint we handle.





The Property Ombudsman, Milford House, 43-55 Milford Street, Salisbury, SP1 2B





