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Support for BRAKE continues

P R Hanna Solicitors have joined with DFC (N.I.) Ltd, Northern Ireland's leading vehicle management company to sponsor BRAKE Accident Camera Kits which will be placed in all of DFC's Contract Cars to help raise the drivers' awareness about road safety. DFC have been actively campaigning to make roads safer in Northern Ireland through a series of programmes targeted at business drivers. After losing a family member in a road traffic collision last year, Uel Butler Managing director of DFC (N.I.) Ltd has headed the campaign from DFC to educate business drivers and the companies they work for in how to be more responsible and to become better drivers.



Pictured at the launch of the scheme are:
Peter Shaw (DFC), Matthew Henderson (BRAKE), Gerry Lee (P R Hanna),
Uel Butler (DFC), Gerry Armstrong (NI Football Legend)

Involved in a Motor Cycling Accident?

P R Hanna Solicitors are delighted to be appointed as the Northern Ireland Panel Solicitors for **bikeanimal.com** the leading online resource for motorcyclists. With some of the best motorcycling roads and events such as the NorthWest 200 and the Ulster Grand Prix Road Races, the hobby of motorcycling is becoming ever more popular in N.I. and road users need to be educated regarding the vulnerability of motorcycle riders.

Mark Hatt (pictured) is a Partner and Head of Litigation at P R Hanna and has at least 25 years experience of riding motorcycles. Mark has a team of specialist lawyers who have experience and understanding of motor cycle owners and can offer a valuable service to anyone being unfortunate enough to be injured in a motor cycle collision.



Corporate Manslaughter – 6 April 2008

As well as the start of a new tax year, 6 April 2008 sees the implementation of the new Corporate Manslaughter Act. The new Act states that all companies must implement a continual risk assessment and maintain an audit trail on all their employees driving on business, in either company vehicles or their own vehicles. An organisation will be guilty of an offence under this Act if the way in which its activities are managed or organised causes a death and amounts to a gross breach of a duty of care to the deceased. The threats are far more widespread than most business owners understand and are clearly not just scaremongering.

Following on from the successful seminar held in November last year, P R Hanna Solicitors are joining forces with DFC (NI) Ltd, the leading vehicle management company and Matrix Global, experts in road risk management to offer companies, large and small the opportunity to seek expert advice on the Corporate Manslaughter Act and how it will effect them.



Gerry Lee, P R Hanna, Aaron Wright,
Matrix Global and Uel Butler, DFC
(NI) Ltd.

To this end a further Seminar has been organised at the Ramada Hotel, Belfast on Thursday 6 March 2008. This will give employers an opportunity to discuss not only the legal implications of this Act but also receive information on how they can ensure that they are fully compliant. For more details please call 028 9023 5554.

P R Hanna Solicitors provide a professional service in a wide range of legal requirements including construction law, conveyancing, both commercial and residential along with licensing matters for the hospitality sector, together with debt recovery for the business community. The firm also offers advice regarding privacy matters and defamation and provides a full Private Client service including Conveyancing, Wills and Probate and Family Law.

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