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Typographical conventions



Tip A tip is a type of note that helps users apply the techniques and procedures described in the text to their specific needs. A tip suggests alternative methods that may not be obvious and helps users understand the benefits and capabilities of the product. A tip is not essential to the basic understanding of the text.



Note A *note* with the heading “Note” indicates neutral or positive information that emphasises or supplements important points of the main text. A note supplies information that may apply only in special cases. Examples are memory limitations, equipment configurations, or details that apply to specific versions of a program.



Caution A caution is a type of note that advises users that failure to take or avoid a specific action could result in loss of data.



Important An important note provides information that is *essential* to the completion of a task. Users can disregard information in a note and still complete a task, but they should not disregard an important note.

Chapter 1: Getting Started

Opening Case Management

1. Start Keyhouse by **double-clicking** the Keyhouse shortcut on your Desktop.

2. The first time you log in, you will have to use your **Handler Code and Password**. If you have previously enabled the use of your **Windows ID**, you may log in without having to enter your password.




3. Enter your **Handler Code** (typically your initials) and password. If you wish to log in in future using your **Windows ID**, check the box labelled **Link this login to your Windows Login**



4. Once you have logged in, you will be presented with a choice of where to start: **Recent Matters, Task Manager or My Overview**



 If you will always want to start in the same place, tick the box marked **Don't show this screen again**.

5. **Recent Matters** will allow you to view all your cases, with those most recently accessed at the top.

| Code | Last Accessed | File Colour | Name | Description | Fee Earner | Fee Co... | File Ref |
|-------------|----------------------|-------------|------------------|---|----------------|-----------|------------|
| SIM001/0001 | 20 Jul 2015 17:08:19 | | Bart Simpson | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarn... | Carol Nolan | CN | FLY001 |
| FLY001/0001 | 20 Jul 2015 16:33:04 | | Jack Flynn | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarn... | Carol Nolan | CN | FLY001 |
| BRE001/0001 | 16 Jul 2015 16:23:29 | | Mike Breeze | Mike slipped and broke his leg. | Martina Win... | MW | BRE001/001 |
| TJF001/0000 | 16 Jul 2015 16:23:06 | | TJ Fox | Document matter | Stephen Ke... | SK | |
| TJF001/0001 | 16 Jul 2015 15:54:20 | | TJ Fox | Outstanding debt to PTSB Bank. | Mark Kelly | MK | TJF001 |
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| BR0001/0001 | 03 Jul 2015 15:09:49 | | Kevin Browne | 78 Somerset Road, Ealing, London W5 5Y | Brian Sween... | BS | 123 |
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| NOL001/0001 | 03 Jul 2015 12:02:55 | | Paula Nolan | Paula Nolan V Joe Smith | Anne Mellon | AM | 6666666 |
| DUN001/0002 | 03 Jul 2015 12:02:44 | | Dunnes Store... | Fall at Meat & Poultry Aisle | Brian Sween... | BS | |
| DUN002/0002 | 03 Jul 2015 11:40:18 | | Dunnes Store... | Supplier Accident in Stock Room | Brian Sween... | BS | |
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6. Task Manager will show you your task list.

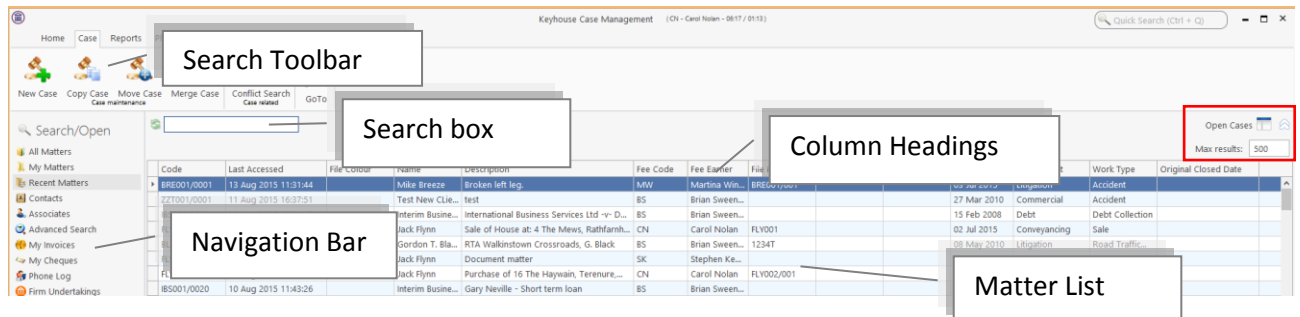
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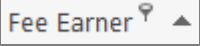


7. My Overview gives you an overview of the current state of your cases, including a list of **Recent Matters**; **Case Alert**, containing links to lists of cases where, for example, the expected invoice date has passed; **Task Alert**, again containing links to list of tasks which may give rise to concern, such as tasks where the Statute Date is approaching; and various **Performance** indicators.

| Carol Nolan | | 29 October 2014 | |
|--|--------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Recent Matters | | Task/Alert | |
| Code | Name | Description | |
| BLA001/0001 | Gordon T. Black | RTA Walkinstown Crossroads, G. Black | No Over Due Tasks 30 |
| BLA001/0000 | Gordon T. Black | 0000 Matter | No Outstanding Tasks 32 |
| AAA001/0003 | AAA Securities Ltd | Sale of 1 Main Street, Laragh, Co. Wick... | Critical Tasks 1 |
| CUL001/0001 | Ann Marie Cullen | Credit Card Debit | Court Dates 2 |
| FS001/0001 | Melinda Fisher | Sale of Lands in Wicklow | High Priority Tasks 5 |
| DEA001/0000 | James Deane | 0000 Matter | Phone Message 1 |
| CLID01/0001 | Bill Clinton | Unfair dismissal by State Department | Undertakings 0 |
| FIT002/0001 | Melinda FitzGerald | Sale of lands in wicklow | Statute Date Approaching 1 |
| KEL002/0002 | Sarah Kelly | Debt Collection | Outstanding Invoice 43,320 |
| AB8001/0001 | George J Abbott | Sale 45 Somerset Road, Dublin 6 | Outstanding Fees 35,038 |
| ABA001/0001 | David Abrahams | Family Law | Debtors Days 1,718 |
| DEA001/0001 | James Deane | RTA Whites Cross, Stillorgan | Current Work in Progress 2,359 |
| ZZZZZ/ZZZZ | Non Assigned | Phone Message | Draft Invoice 0 |
| AB8001/0005 | George J Abbott | RTA The Rise, Stillorgan | Current Lockup Value 45,679 |
| ZAC001/0000 | Irina Zacawski | 0000 Matter | |
| ABA001/0002 | David Abrahams | RTA - Listowel | |
| Case Alert | | | |
| Open Matters | 30 | | |
| My Dormant Matters | 22 | | |
| No Case where expected invoice date has passed | 0 | | |
| No. case with no estimate given | 29 | | |
| No. case approaching estimate date | 1 | | |
| No. case approaching lockup date | 0 | | |

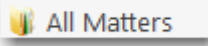
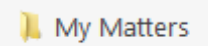
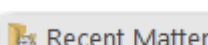
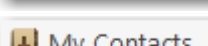

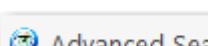
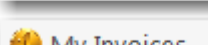


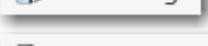
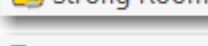
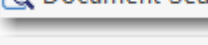
Chapter 2: Search & Open

The Search Screen



-  **Tip:** Click on a column headings to sort alphabetically by that heading eg. Matter Description or click on the pin to apply a filter . The filter is available on Fee Code, Fee Earner, Dept, WorkType, File Colour and closed only.
-  **Tip:** To remove filters right-click and then click on remove filters
-  **Tip:** The number of results returned can be set. The minimum number is 100 and the maximum number is 500.

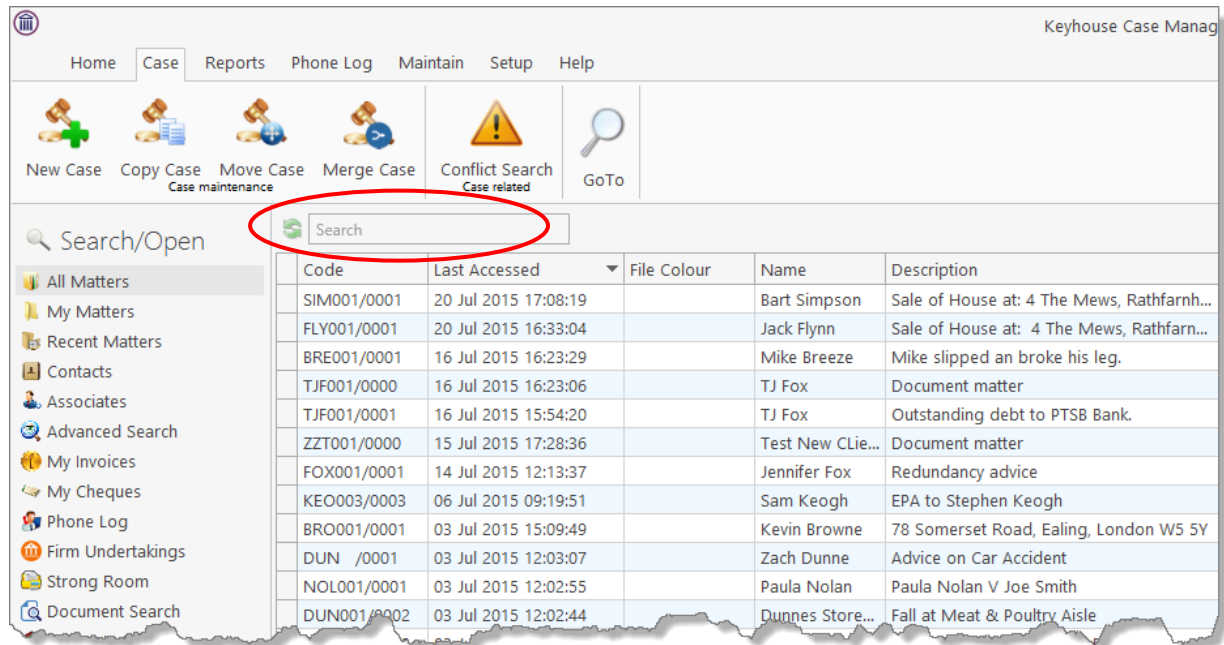
Navigating the Search Screen

-  **All Matters** Click on **All Matters** to list all matters.
-  **My Matters** Click on **My Matters** to list all your matters
-  **Recent Matters** Click on **Recent Matters** to list matters recently accessed.
-  **My Contacts** Click on **My Contacts** to list all your clients and matters
 Note this is for Fee Earners only.
-  **Advanced Search** Click on **Advanced Search** to perform a more specific search on all matters.
-  **My Invoices** Click on **My Invoices** to add, view or edit any draft invoices you have.
-  **My Cheques** Click on **My Cheques** to add, view or edit any draft invoices you have.
-  **Phone Log** Click on the **Phone Log** to add or view items in the phone log
-  **Strong Room** Click on **Strong Room** to view or add items in your strong room.
-  **Document Search** Click on **Document Search** to search all documents.
-  **Template Library** Click on **Template Library** to Search and preview your precedent bank of documents.

Search Lists

Search All Matters List

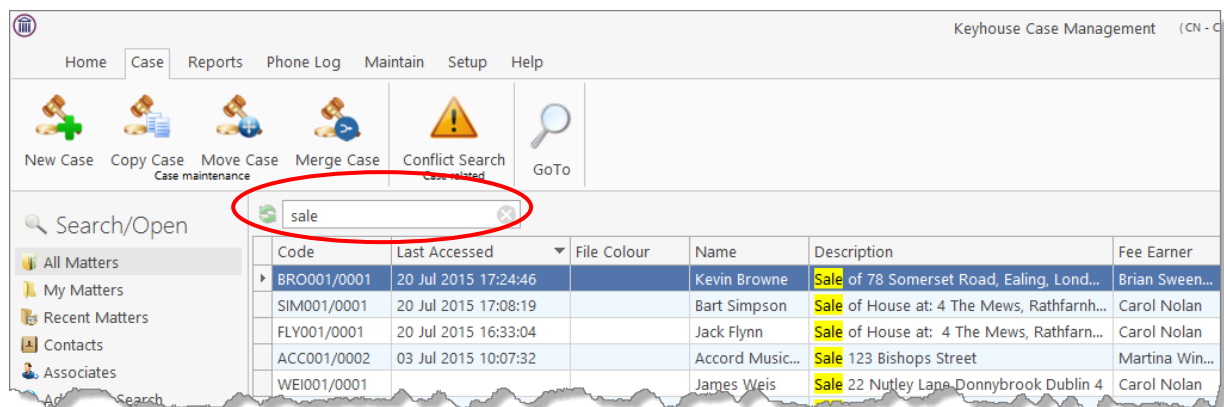
1. Click on **Search/Open** on the Navigation bar.
2. Click on **All Matters** input a key search word in the **Search Box** for e.g. part of the client name or matter description.



The screenshot shows the Keyhouse Case Management interface. The navigation bar includes Home, Case, Reports, Phone Log, Maintain, Setup, and Help. Below the navigation bar are icons for New Case, Copy Case, Move Case, Merge Case, Conflict Search, and GoTo. The Search/Open section is highlighted with a red circle, showing a search box with the word "Search" entered. Below the search box is a table of search results.

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3. The search criteria will be applied as you type. See the following example of a search for "Sale".



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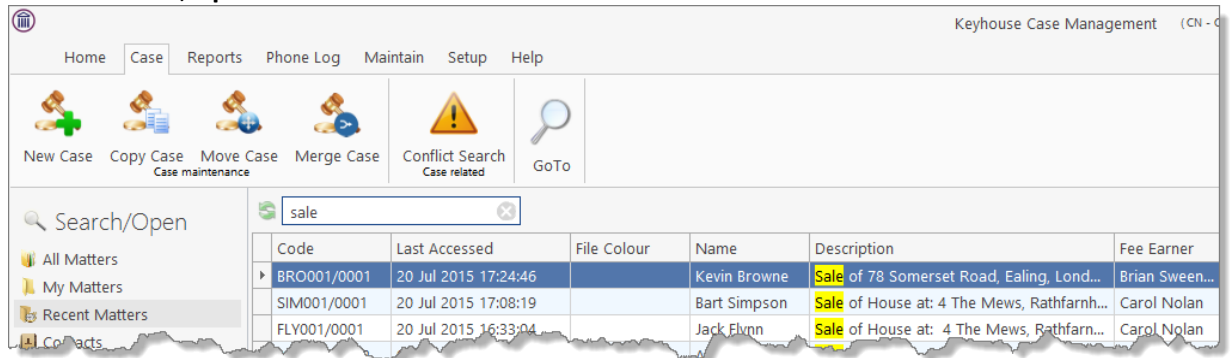
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| FLY001/0001 | 20 Jul 2015 16:33:04 | | Jack Flynn | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarn... | Carol Nolan |
| ACC001/0002 | 03 Jul 2015 10:07:32 | | Accord Music... | Sale 123 Bishops Street | Martina Win... |
| WEI001/0001 | | | James Weis | Sale 22 Nutley Lane Donnybrook Dublin 4 | Carol Nolan |

4. **Double click** the required matter to access the case diary for this matter.

Search Recent Matters

This is an easy way to find a matter you have recently worked on.

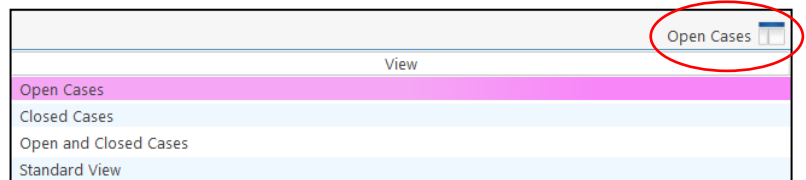
1. Click on **Search/Open**.




2. Click on Recent Matters in the Navigation panel.
3. **Input** a key search word in the **Search Box**; the search will be applied as you type eg. "Sale".
4. **Double click** the required matter to open the case diary for this matter.

How to Search Open and Closed Cases

1. Click on **Search/Open** on the Navigation bar.
2. Click on All Matters.
3. Click on **Standard view tool** located on the following list of views will appear.



- Click on Closed Cases to search only closed cases
 - Click on Open Cases to search only open cases.
 - Click on Open and Closed to search both lists.
 - Click on Standard View to return to the default view.
4. **Input** a key search word in the **Search Box**: the search criteria will be applied as you type.
 5. **Double click** the required matter to open the closed case diary for this matter.

 **Note** no amendments can be made in the case diary until the case is re-opened. See the Chapter 16 for further details.

Search Contacts

1. Click on **Search/Open**.
2. Click on **Contacts** to see a list of your clients; as you select each client the cases for that client are listed in the case list in the lower part of the window. Double click the required case to open the case diary.

The screenshot shows the Keyhouse Case Management interface. At the top, there are navigation tabs: Home, Case, Reports, Phone Log, Maintain, Setup, Help. Below these are icons for New Case, Copy Case, Move Case, Merge Case, Conflict Search, and GoTo. The main area is divided into two sections: 'My Contact' and 'Matters (AAA001)'. The 'My Contact' section has a search box and a table of clients. The 'Matters (AAA001)' section has a search box and a table of cases.

| Client Code | Name | Address | Telephone | Email | Fe |
|-------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------------|----|
| AAA001 | AAA Securities Ltd | 44 Main Street Dun Laoghaire | 012112112 | | MW |
| AAA002 | AAA Worldwide Remo... | South Mall Cork | 021 1241241 | mareynolds@AAAworldwideremovals.ie | SK |
| ABA001 | David Abrahams | 123 Mayfair Street Dublin 2 | 01-2902222 | d.abrahams@gmail.com | AM |
| ABB001 | George J Abbott | 60 Somerset Road, Ranelagh, | 01-5656712 | gabbott@iol.ie | BS |
| ABB002 | Abbie Lynch | 14 The Mews Dublin 12 | 01 456789 | a.lynch@hotmail.com | SK |
| ACC001 | Accord Music World Ltd | 56 Second Street Bray | 01 200000 | | MW |
| AIG001 | Allied Investment Group | 1 High Street, Dublin | 1234567890 | info@aiglegal.ie | BS |
| AIN001 | Allied Investment Netw... | 44 Main Street Domybrook | 6677889 | andrew@ain.ie | BS |

| Case Code | File Color | Description | Fee Earner | Deptment | Worktype | Started | Case Code | Name | User1 | User2 | User3 | Privileges |
|-------------|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|------------|----------|-------------|-----------|------------------|-------|-------|-------|------------|
| AAA001/0001 | | Landlord Dispute | Martina Wint... | Litigation | Action | 06 Jun 2010 | AAA001 | AAA Securitie... | | | | -1 |
| AAA001/0002 | | New Lease 44 Main Street Dun... | Martina Wint... | Commercial | Lease | 31 Jan 2010 | AAA001 | AAA Securitie... | | | | -1 |

3. To search the list **input** a key search word in the **Search Box**: as you type the search criteria will be applied. See the following example for a search for “Accord”.

The screenshot shows the Keyhouse Case Management interface with a search for 'accord' applied. The 'My Contact' table now only shows the 'Accord Music World Ltd' entry. The 'Matters (ACC001)' table shows the corresponding case 'Sale 123 Bishops Street'.

| Client Code | Name | Address | Telephone | Email | Fe |
|-------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------|-------|----|
| ACC001 | Accord Music World Ltd | 56 Second Street Bray | 01 200000 | | MW |

| Case Code | File Color | Description | Fee Earner | Deptment | Worktype | Started | Case Code | Name | User1 | User2 | User3 | Privileges |
|-------------|------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------|----------|-------------|-----------|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|------------|
| ACC001/0002 | | Sale 123 Bishops Street | Martina Wint... | Commercial | Sale | 14 Jul 2010 | ACC001 | Accord Music... | | | | -1 |

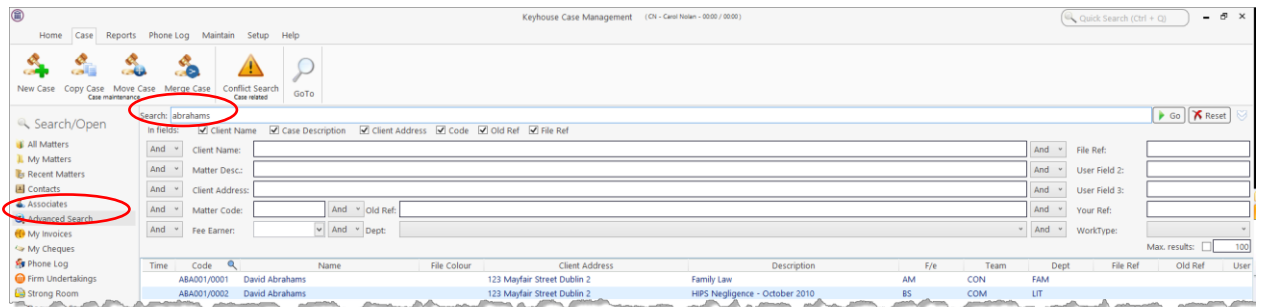


Tip: To view further details about a client double click the required client record.



4. To open the case diary double click the case required.

The Advanced Search

1. Click on Search/Open Cases.
2. Click on **Advanced Search** to see the advanced search options screen.



Simple Search

1. **Input** the key search words in the search box (circled above).
2. Press Enter on your keyboard or click **Go**. 
3. The **results** will be returned in the matter list in the lower part of the window.
4. **Double click** the required case to open it in the case diary.
5. Click **Reset** to clear the search box. 

"OR" Search

This will refine the search to search for keywords in the specified columns only. E.g. A search for the client name or Matter Description.

1. **Remove** the **ticks** from the columns you do not want to include in the search.

Search:

In fields: Client Name Case Description Client Address Code Old Ref File Ref

2. **Input** the **key search words** in the search box.
3. Click on **Go**. The results will be returned in the matter list in the lower part of the window.

Sample Search:

Search For: **Ireland**

In fields: Client Name

4. **Double click** to open the case diary.

“And” Search

This will refine the search to search a combination of keywords in the specified columns. E.g. A search in the client name and matter description.

1. **Input** the key search words in any of the search boxes.

Search:

In fields: Client Name Case Description Client Address Code Old Ref File Ref

And Client Name:

And Matter Desc.:

And Client Address:

And Matter Code: And Old Ref:

And Fee EARNER: And Dept:

2. Click **Go**.
3. The results will be returned in the matter list in the lower part of the window. See the example above

Sample Search “And”

Search for: “Abbot” in the client name
and Search for “Sale” in the matter description
and Search for “Dublin” in client address

4. **Double click** to open the case diary of the required matter.

My Matters

1. This will only allow you to see your matters. It will display them with the most recent at the top.

Search: Ellis%Rathmines

In fields: Client Name Case Description Client Address Code Old Ref File Ref

And Client Name:

And Matter Desc.:

And Client Address:

And Matter Code: And Old Ref:

And Fee EARNER: And Dept:

| Time | Code | Name | File Colour | Client Address | Description | F/e | Team |
|------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|----------------------------------|---|-----|------|
| | BLA001/0001 | Gordon T. Black | | 23 Ellis Park Rathmines Dublin 6 | RTA Walkinstown Crossroads, G. Black | BS | COM |
| | BLA001/0002 | Gordon T. Black | | 23 Ellis Park Rathmines Dublin 6 | 2 Trinity Close, Rathgar, Dublin 6 | BS | COM |
| | BLA001/0004 | Gordon T. Black | | 23 Ellis Park Rathmines Dublin 6 | Purchase of 8 Clonattin Hills, Wicklow. | SK | COM |
| | BLA001/0007 | Gordon T. Black | | 23 Ellis Park Rathmines Dublin 6 | Rates Collection proceedings action | BS | COM |

2. By using the drop down arrow beside the Handler’s name, it is possible to view the matters of other individuals.

Searching using a Wildcard

A wildcard is useful when you are unsure of how exactly a word may have been entered. The % sign is used as a wildcard in Keyhouse systems and will match any number of characters. Note also the system will use the % for an apostrophe e.g. O’Connor will change to O%Connor.

1. **Input** the first part of the **client's address**, then a % then the remaining part in the search box, e.g. Ellis%Rathmines and press enter.
2. The system will return any client addresses beginning with **Ellis** ending with **Rathmines**. E.g. Ellis Park or Ellis Drive etc.

Manipulating the Search Screen

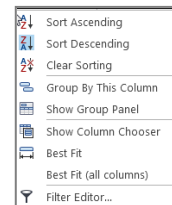
The new version of the Keyhouse Desktop has several user friendly options to allow you the user to alter the arrangement of your search screen. You can sort by column heading, filter or group and save for further use if required.

How to Sort Column Headings


1. Click on the column heading to sort by that heading. See the example below the column the sort has been applied to column heading "Last Accessed".

| Code | Last Accessed | File Colour | Name | Description | Fee Co... | Fee Earner |
|---------------|----------------------|-------------|---------------|--|-----------|-------------|
| ▶ SIM001/0001 | 21 Jul 2015 09:53:45 | | Bart Simpson | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarnh... | CN | Carol Nolan |
| FLY001/0001 | 21 Jul 2015 08:45:22 | | Jack Flynn | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarnh... | CN | Carol Nolan |
| KEO003/0003 | 06 Jul 2015 09:19:51 | | Sam Keogh | EPA to Stephen Keogh | CN | Carol Nolan |
| FLY001/0002 | 03 Jul 2015 11:35:31 | | Jack Flynn | Purchase of 16 The Haywain, Terenure,... | CN | Carol Nolan |
| BLO001/0005 | 03 Jul 2015 10:58:17 | | Joe Bloggs | Advice File | CN | Carol Nolan |
| BOU001/0001 | 03 Jul 2015 10:28:10 | | Claire Bourke | Personal Injury at work | CN | Carol Nolan |

2. To remove the sort right-click on the column and select **Clear Sorting** from the resulting menu.

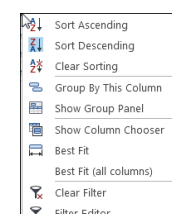


How to Filter Columns

1. Move your cursor to the column heading required, until you see the filter pin. 
2. Clicking on the filter pin will open a drop-down menu; select the required filter term.

| Code | Last Accessed | File Colour | Name | Description | Fee Co... | Fee Earner | File Ref |
|---------------|----------------------|-------------|------------------|--|-----------|------------|----------|
| ▶ SIM001/0001 | 21 Jul 2015 09:53:45 | | Bart Simpson | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarnh... | CN | Carol No | |
| FLY001/0001 | 21 Jul 2015 08:45:22 | | Jack Flynn | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarnh... | CN | Carol No | |
| KEO003/0003 | 06 Jul 2015 09:19:51 | | Sam Keogh | EPA to Stephen Keogh | CN | Carol No | |
| FLY001/0002 | 03 Jul 2015 11:35:31 | | Jack Flynn | Purchase of 16 The Haywain, Terenure,... | CN | Carol No | |
| BLO001/0005 | 03 Jul 2015 10:58:17 | | Joe Bloggs | Advice File | CN | Carol No | |
| BOU001/0001 | 03 Jul 2015 10:28:10 | | Claire Bourke | Personal Injury at work | CN | Carol No | |
| AAA001/0003 | | | AAA Securitie... | Slip and fall incident | CN | Carol No | |
| BEC001/0002 | | | Angela Beck | 23 Hill Street, Bray, Co Wicklow | CN | Carol No | |
| BEC001/0003 | | | Angela Beck | Sale of 3 Main Street, Bray. | CN | Carol No | |
| BLO002/0003 | | | David Bloggs | Sale 45 Hills Road, Tipperary | CN | Carol No | |
| CUL001/0001 | | | Ann Marie Cul... | Credit Card Debit | CN | Carol No | |

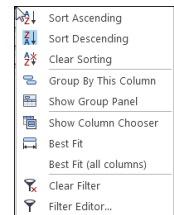
3. To remove the filter, select **(All)** from the filter drop-down menu (alternatively, right-click the column heading and select **Clear Filter** from the pop-up menu).



How to Group by Column

1. **Right-click** on the column you want to group by, to open the drop-down menu.
2. Select **Group By This column** from the menu. In the following example, grouping is by fee earner.

| Code | Last Accessed | File Colour | Name |
|-----------------------------|---------------|-------------|------|
| ▶ Fee Earner: Admin | | | |
| ▶ Fee Earner: Anne Mellon | | | |
| ▶ Fee Earner: Brian Sweeney | | | |
| ▶ Fee Earner: Carol Nolan | | | |



3. Expand or collapse a group by clicking on the **arrow** to its left, as in the following example.

| Code | Last Accessed | File Colour | Name | Description |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|-------------|------------------|--|
| ▶ Fee Earner: Admin | | | | |
| ▶ ▲ Fee Earner: Anne Mellon | | | | |
| DUN001/0001 | 29 Oct 2014 21:03:07 | | John Dunne | Sale of Village Hall |
| AAA001/0003 | 24 Oct 2014 12:06:55 | | AAA Securitie... | Sale of 1 Main Street, Laragh, Co. Wicklow |
| ABA001/0001 | 12 Dec 2013 15:07:08 | | David Abraha... | Family Law |
| ▶ Fee Earner: Brian Sweeney | | | | |
| ▶ Fee Earner: Carol Nolan | | | | |
| ▶ Fee Earner: Justin Phelan | | | | |

4. To add multiple group levels right-click on the column heading required and click on Group By This column. This example is first grouped by “fee earner and then by client”.

| |
|----------------------------|
| Fee Earner: Anne Mellon |
| ▶ Name: AAA Securities Ltd |
| ▶ Name: David Abrahams |
| ▶ Name: John Dunne |



To return to the standard view click on the view tool located on the search bar to show a list of available views. Select **Standard View**.

| View |
|-----------------------|
| Open Cases |
| Closed Cases |
| Open and Closed Cases |
| Standard View |

Document Search

The document search utility makes it possible to search the full text of all documents on the system. A list of documents containing the search text is returned and each document can be previewed in the preview pane.

How to open the Document Search

1. Click on **Search/Open**, then on **Document Search**

2. Input the search keywords on the Document Search screen and

- Select a client, or leave blank to search against all clients.
- Select a matter or leave blank to search against all matters.



The screenshot shows the Keyhouse logo at the top left, consisting of a purple circle with a white building icon and the word "Keyhouse" in blue. Below the logo is a search form with three input fields: "Search:" with a text box containing "Search"; "Client:" with a dropdown menu containing "Enter (part of) Client Name or Search for Client" and a "..."; and "Case / Matter:" with a dropdown menu containing "Enter (part of) Case Description or Search for Case" and a "...". At the bottom of the form are two buttons: "Search" with a magnifying glass icon and "Clear" with a red 'X' icon. To the right of these buttons is the text "Advanced" with a blue heart icon.

3. Click **Search**. A list of documents that match the criteria will be displayed

Chapter 3: Creating New Clients and Cases

The New Case Wizard

Create a New Case for an Existing Client

1. Select **New Case** which can be found on the **Case** tab of the Ribbon.
2. The **New Matter/Case Wizard** will open. The first screen contains a welcome message. Click **Next**.
3. The default option is to set up a new case for an existing client or contact.
4. Input all or part of the client's name or code in the search box. The search results will update as you type.



You can sort the columns by clicking on the column headings.

5. **Select the client** required and click **Next**. In this case, the wizard will skip Step 3 and you will move immediately to Step 4.
6. If the client is not an existing client or contact, select **Client is not listed above** and click **Next**.
7. The screen for Step 3 asks for details of the new client. Type the first three letters of the Client's surname into the box for **Client code**. The system will complete the code by adding three digits.
8. As well as **Client code**, **Client name** and **Fee Earners** are required fields.

The screenshot shows the 'New Matter/Case Wizard' interface. The top ribbon includes 'Home', 'Case', 'Reports', 'Phone Log', 'Maintain', 'Setup', and 'Help'. The 'Case' tab is active, showing icons for 'New Case', 'Copy Case', 'Move Case', 'Merge Case', 'Conflict Search', and 'GoTo'.

Step 1/7: New or Existing Client
 Select the option that describes the action you wish to take.
 Select an existing client for an matter

| Code | Name | Address |
|--------|------------------------|--------------------|
| AAA001 | AAA Securities Ltd | 44 Main Street |
| AAA002 | AAA Worldwide Removals | South Mall |
| ABA001 | David Abrahams | 123 Mayfair Street |
| ABB001 | George J Abbott | 60 Somerset Road, |
| ARR00? | Abhie Lynch | 14 The Mews |

Client is not listed above. Create new client for this new matter

Step 2/7: New or Existing Client
 Select the option that describes the action you wish to take.
 Select an existing client for an matter

Search box: keogh

| Code | Name | Address |
|--------|---------------|---------------|
| KEO003 | Sam Keogh | Main Street |
| ZZKE01 | Stephen Keogh | 1 Main Street |

Client is not listed above. Create new client for this new matter

Step 3/7: Enter Client Details
 Please enter the new clients details below.

Client code * BAR

Client name * Enter client name

Salutation Enter salutation

Address Enter client address

Telephone Enter telephone Fax Enter fax number

Mobile Enter mobile number Email Enter email ID

Fee Earners * Select fee earner Anti money laundering checked

9. Click **Next** to move to Step 4 where the main details of the matter or case will be entered.

Input the matter description, then select the following from the relevant drop-down lists:

- **Fee Earner** handling the matter
- **Department** (e.g. Conveyancing, Litigation)
- **Case Plan** (i.e. workflow)
- **Secretary** the person working on the case
- The **Partner** with responsibility for the matter
- **Work Type** the workflow to be used
- **Branch** will indicate if branch of the firm.

10. Click **Next** to continue to the next step. Most of the information sought by this screen is optional but that shown in bold italics below may be required, depending on your system settings:

- Old Reference
- Your Reference (i.e. the client's reference, if any)
- Three additional reference fields, the prompts for which may vary from one system to another
- The **Estimate of Fees** – check the box if the fees are fixed
- The **Expected Bill Date**
- The **Budget Outlay**

11. Click **Next** to continue to the next screen. Here you will be given a number of questions which, when answered, will allow you to add in Other Case Details. The questions asked will vary depending on the Case Plan selected.

12. Click **Next** to continue to the final screen.

13. There are three final options on this screen, including printing a client and/or matter label.



If you choose to copy details from another matter, a new wizard will start. See the next section, **Copy Matter Details** for more information.

14. Click **Finish**. The matter has now been created and is available in the Case Diary.

New Matter/Case Wizard

Enter Matter Description

Step 2/7 Step 3/7 Step 4/7

You must enter a description for the matter

Description * Sale of 1 Main Street, Howth, Co. Dublin

Fee Earner * Brian Sweeney Partner * Stephen Keogh

Department * Conveyancing Work Type * Sale

Case Plan * Sale Branch Select branch

Secretary Anne Mellon

Previous Next

New Matter/Case Wizard

Ref. and Estimate Fee

Step 2/7 Step 3/7 Step 4/7 Step 5/7

Enter optional other case reference below.

Old Reference KE097 Your Reference K00009

File Ref KeoSte Enter

Estimate Fee 4,000.00 Fixed Fee

Expected Bill Date 30 Oct 2015

Outlay Budget 2,000.00

Previous Next

New Matter/Case Wizard

Other Case Details

Step 3/7 Step 4/7 Step 5/7 Step 6/7

| Detail | Value | Category |
|---|-------|----------|
| List the Contents passing with the house (if any). | | |
| Contents NOT passing with property? (if any) | | |
| Sale Price of property (e.g. 100,000.00) | | |
| Deposit Amount in full (e.g. 10,000.00)? | | |
| Description of the property for the Contract. | | |
| Title Deeds to be listed in Documents Schedule in the Contract. | | |
| Is the property serviced with drainage? "Yes" or "No" | | |
| Is the Property serviced with Water? "Yes" or "No" | | |
| Is there an electricity service (Yes or No)? | | |

Previous Next

New Matter/Case Wizard

Ref. and Estimate Fee

Step 4/7 Step 5/7 Step 6/7 Step 7/7

Click finish to create new matter.


Copy matter details from another matter


Print client label


Print matter label


Previous Finish

Copy Case Details


1. Click on the **Copy Case tool**  located on the **Case** tab of the Ribbon to open the **Copy Case/Matter Wizard**, which starts with a welcome screen.

 **Note:** As seen in the previous section, the **Copy Case Wizard** may also be started by checking the relevant box on the final screen of the **New Case Wizard**.

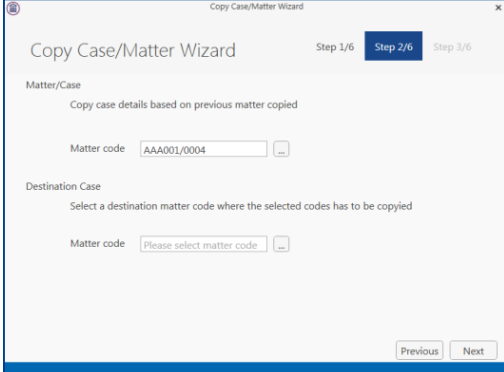

2. Click **Next** to continue to Step 2.
3. **Select** a source matter by clicking the  **browse button**.

 This will bring up a matter list which may be searched as described in Chapter 2.

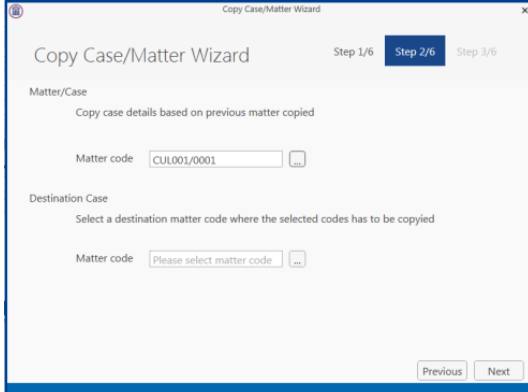
4. **Double-click** the matter from which the details are to be copied. The matter list will close and the code of the selected case will be entered in the first box on the Step 2 screen.
5. Select the destination matter in the same way.

 **Note** if you started the **Copy Case wizard** from the final screen of the **New Case wizard**, the destination matter will already be filled in.

6. Click **Next** to continue to Step 3, which lists the **User Defined Fields (UDFs)** which are in use in the source matter.
7. The **UDFs** can be sorted, grouped and filtered as required, to make it easier to find and select those which are to be copied to the destination matter.
8. Check the corresponding boxes to select the fields which, together with their values, should be copied to the destination matter.
9. Click **Next** to continue to Step 4.





| Code | Name | File Colour | Client Address | Description |
|-------------|--------------------|-------------|---|---|
| AAA001/0004 | AAA Securities Ltd | | 44 Main Street Dun Laoghaire Co Dublin | Sale of 2 High Street, London |
| AAB001/0007 | George J Abbott | | 60 Somerset Road, Ranelagh, Dublin 6 | Sale of 1 Main Street, Howth, Co. Dubl |
| CUL001/0001 | Ano Marie Cullen | | 101 Dun Emer Drive Dundrum Dublin 14 | Credit Card Debt |
| DUN001/0001 | John Dunne | | 44 Ellis Drive Rathmines Dublin 8 | Sale of Village Hall |
| A88002/0001 | Abbey & Procter | | 14 The Mews Dublin 12 | Commercial |
| FIT002/0001 | Melinda FitzGerald | | 12 Eaton Brae Orwell Road Rathgar Dublin 14 | Sale of lands in wicklow |
| BLA001/0001 | Gordon T. Black | | 23 Ellis Park, Rathmines, Dublin 6. | R13, Walkinstown Crossroads, G. Black |
| BLA001/0000 | Gordon T. Black | | 23 Ellis Park, Rathmines, Dublin 6. | 0000 Matter |
| AAA001/0003 | AAA Securities Ltd | | 44 Main Street Dun Laoghaire Co Dublin | Sale of 1 Main Street, Laragh, Co. Wick |
| FR001/0001 | Melinda Fisher | | 12 Eaton Brae Orwell Road Rathgar Dublin 6 | Sale of Lands in Wicklow |
| DEA001/0000 | James Deane | | 9 Northbrook Park, Ranelagh, Dublin 6. | 0000 Matter |
| CUL001/0001 | Bill Clinton | | Main Street Bray Co Wicklow | Unfair dismissal by State Department |
| RES002/0002 | Sarah Kelly | | 84 Sandford Dundrum Dublin 14 | Debt Collection |
| A88001/0001 | George J Abbott | | 60 Somerset Road, Ranelagh, Dublin 6. | Sale 45 Somerset Road, Dublin 6 |
| A8A001/0001 | David Abrahams | | 123 Mayfar Street Dublin 2 | Family Law |

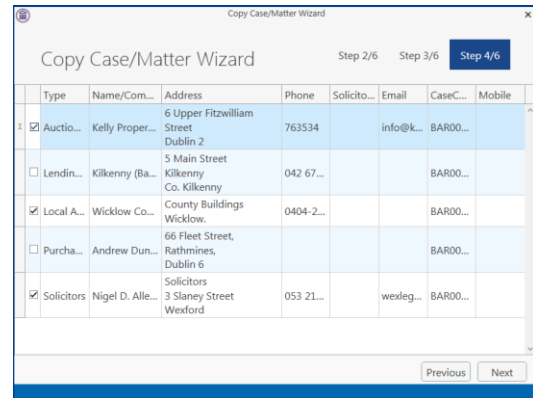



| Group | Detail | Value |
|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | "I" if single or "we" if joint ? | I |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | "my" if the client is single else "... my | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Estimated Date of Closing. | 15th March 2009 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Folio Number ? | 98659 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Townland | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Which County ? | County Dublin |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Date of Contract | N/A |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Loan Account Number ? | 1258745 AE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Balance of Sale Price ? | 587,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Agreed Valuation of Househol... | 12,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Is the property the Vendor's Fa... | Yes |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Has there been any unauthoris... | No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Duration of Lease term. | N/A |

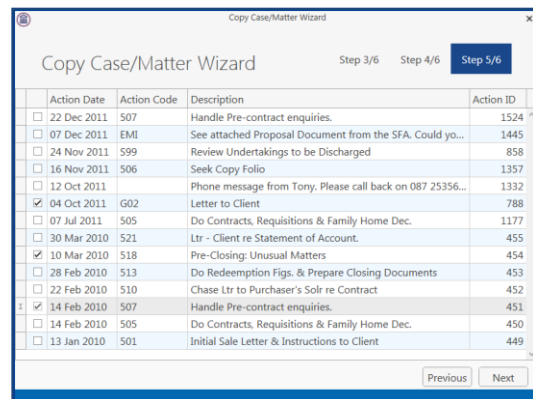
10. In Step 4, the **Case Associates** in the source matter are listed.
11. Again, you may filter or sort the Case Associates to make it easier to select those to be copied.
12. Check the corresponding boxes to select the Case Associates you wish to copy to the destination case.
13. Click **Next** to continue to Step 5, which lists the actions in the source matter.
14. The procedure for selecting and copying the actions to the destination matter is similar to those for copying UDFs and Case Associates.

 If you copy any action to the destination matter you will also copy any documents attached to that action.

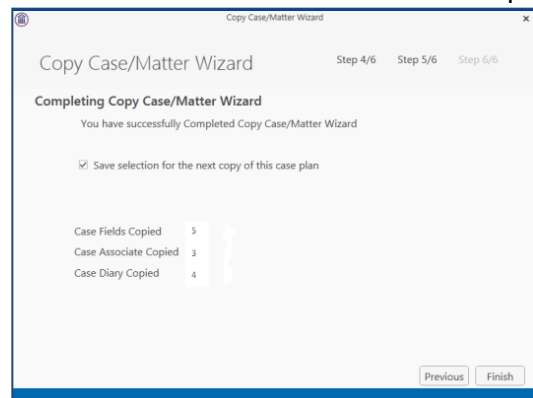
15. Click **Next** to continue to the final screen.
16. If you check the checkbox, details will be saved of the fields, Case Associates and actions which were copied, so that they will be selected by default the next time this source matter is copied. The final screen also provides a summary of the numbers of items copied.
17. Click **Finish** to close the wizard. The copied details are now included in the destination case.



| | Type | Name/Com... | Address | Phone | Solicito... | Email | CaseC... | Mobile |
|-------------------------------------|------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|----------|--------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Auctio... | Kelly Proper... | 6 Upper Fitzwilliam Street Dublin 2 | 763534 | | info@k... | BAR00... | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Lendin... | Kilkenny (Ba... | 5 Main Street Kilkenny Co. Kilkenny | 042 67... | | | BAR00... | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Local A... | Wicklow Co... | County Buildings Wicklow. | 0404-2... | | | BAR00... | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Purcha... | Andrew Dun... | 66 Fleet Street, Rathmines, Dublin 6 | | | | BAR00... | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Solicitors | Nigel D. Alle... | Solicitors 3 Slaney Street Wexford | 053 21... | | wexleg... | BAR00... | |



| | Action Date | Action Code | Description | Action ID |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|---|-----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 22 Dec 2011 | 507 | Handle Pre-contract enquiries. | 1524 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 07 Dec 2011 | EMI | See attached Proposal Document from the SFA. Could yo... | 1445 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 24 Nov 2011 | S99 | Review Undertakings to be Discharged | 858 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 16 Nov 2011 | S06 | Seek Copy Folio | 1357 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 12 Oct 2011 | | Phone message from Tony, Please call back on 087 25356... | 1332 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 04 Oct 2011 | G02 | Letter to Client | 788 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 07 Jul 2011 | S05 | Do Contracts, Requisitions & Family Home Dec. | 1177 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 30 Mar 2010 | S21 | Ltr - Client re Statement of Account. | 455 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 10 Mar 2010 | S18 | Pre-Closing: Unusual Matters | 454 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 28 Feb 2010 | S13 | Do Redemption Figs. & Prepare Closing Documents | 453 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 22 Feb 2010 | S10 | Chase Ltr to Purchaser's Solr re Contract | 452 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 14 Feb 2010 | S07 | Handle Pre-contract enquiries. | 451 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 14 Feb 2010 | S05 | Do Contracts, Requisitions & Family Home Dec. | 450 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 13 Jan 2010 | S01 | Initial Sale Letter & Instructions to Client | 449 |



Completing Copy Case/Matter Wizard

You have successfully Completed Copy Case/Matter Wizard

Save selection for the next copy of this case plan

Case Fields Copied 5

Case Associate Copied 3

Case Diary Copied 4

Chapter 4: The Case Diary

What is a Case Diary

The case diary is the electronic equivalent of the paper file of a case. It displays a case plan to help guide you through a case. A Case Plan is made up of a series of Tasks/Actions; these actions in turn are made up of documents which are processed when a task is taken. The Case Diary records completed tasks, generated tasks and outstanding tasks. It shows the date of the task, the person assigned to the task, i.e. the handler, and a description of the task. In addition, information on the client and matter details can also be viewed and amended from this screen.

See the following example of the case diary for Case BEC001/003. It is based on the Sale Workflow. It has a number of tasks in the case diary, several are complete tasks and the others are scheduled for a date in the future.

Standard View

The screenshot displays the 'Standard View' of the Case Diary for Case ABA001/0001. The main table lists tasks with columns for Date, Time, Handler, Synopsis, and Action Co. The tasks include various actions like 'Undertaking changed by BRIANS', 'Email To: training TT. training - KH Ref: [ABA001/0001] David Ab', 'Invoice No:230', and 'Letter from Accountant'. The tasks are color-coded: green for completed, yellow for future, and blue for pending. A callout box points to the table with the text: 'Case Diary showing 1) Task completed 2) Future Tasks'. To the right, a 'Preview' pane shows an email document with details like 'Sender: Brenda Harley', 'Subject: KH Ref: [BLO001/0006] Joe BloggsTest matter Test', and 'Sent Date: 21 Jul 2015 11:51:15'. A callout box points to this pane with the text: 'Document Preview'. At the bottom, an 'Attachments' table lists documents with columns for Type, Document, Version, Date, and Document Class. A callout box points to this table with the text: 'Documents Generated'. The status bar at the bottom indicates 'CN: Carol Nelson | Tuesday, 21 July 2015 | 11:54'.

Configuring the Case Diary Screen

The new version of the Case Diary can be configured in different several ways.

How to Configure your Case Diary Screen

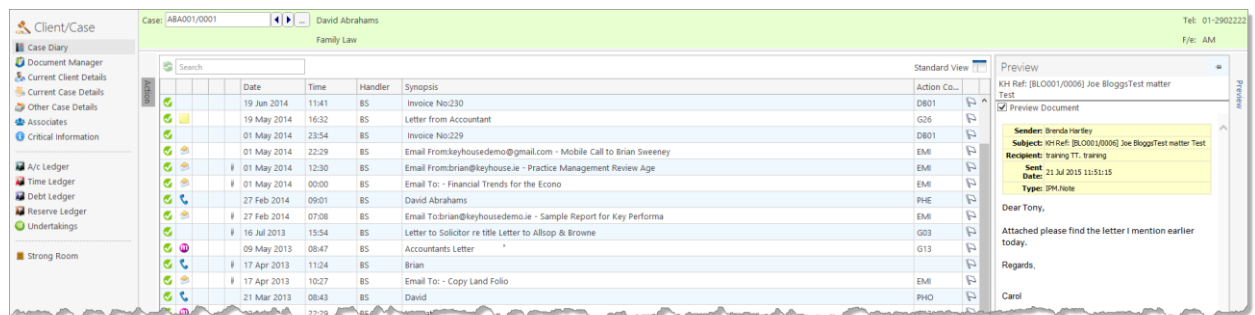
Now with the new version of the Case Diary each user can configure their diary screen according to their requirements. For example secretarial staff may generally prefer to view the case plan in their screen while solicitors might only need to see it occasionally.

With the new version, you decide if certain elements such as the case plan should be visible permanently, i.e. fixed, or occasionally, i.e. floating. Likewise others may prefer to have their Document preview pane visible permanently or others to prefer use it occasionally. Below are some examples with instructions on how to create them.

Sample 1: Standard Screen with fixed Floating Document Preview Pane


How to create this view:

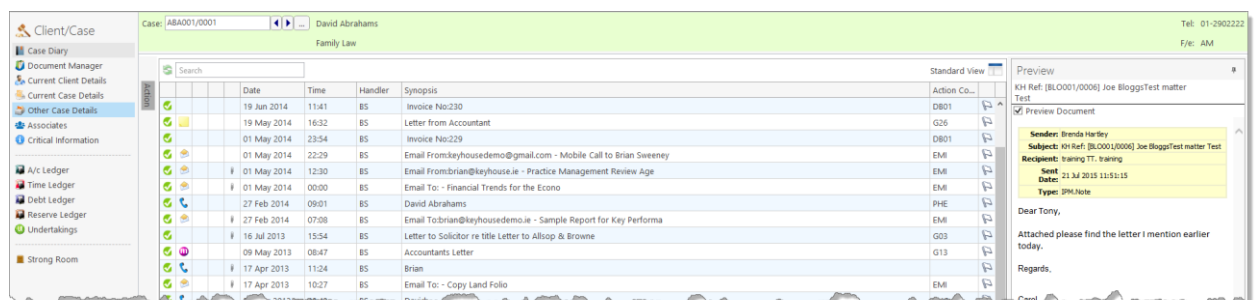
1. Move your mouse over **Preview** to the located to right of the Case Diary Screen the document preview pane will appear.



Sample 2: Standard view with fixed document preview pane

How to create this view:

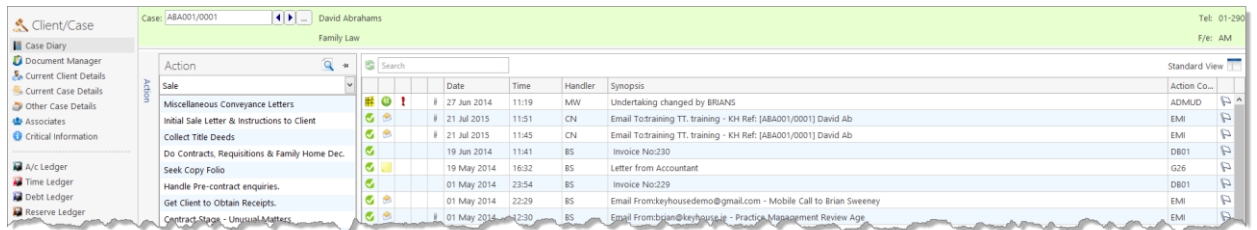
1. Move your mouse over **Preview** located to the right of the Case Diary Screen the document preview pane will appear.
2. Click on the Pin  to make it permanently visible.



Sample 3: Case Diary with Floating Case Plan



How to create this view:

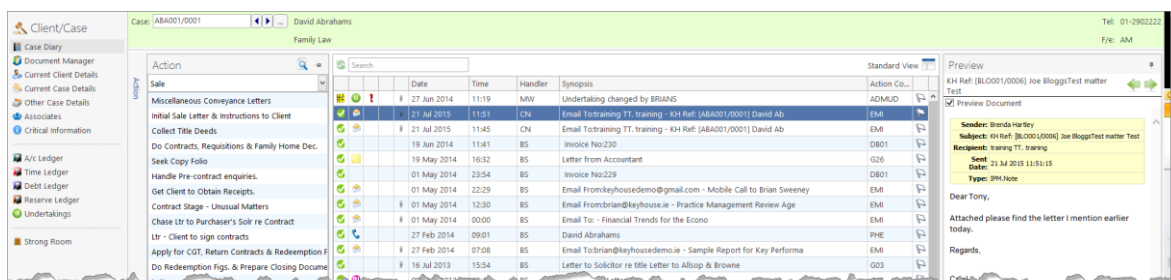
1. Move your mouse over **Action** located to the left of the Case Diary Screen the Case Plan will appear.




Sample 4: Case Diary with Case Plan fixed and Preview Pane fixed

How to create this view:


1. Move your mouse over **Action** located to the left of the Case Diary Screen the Case Plan will appear.
2. Click on the **Pin**  to make it permanently visible.
3. Then move your mouse over **Preview** located to the right of the Case Diary Screen the document preview pane will appear.
4. Click on the **Pin**  to make it permanently visible.



 **Note:** You can also sort the columns by clicking on the column headings in the Case Diary Screen.

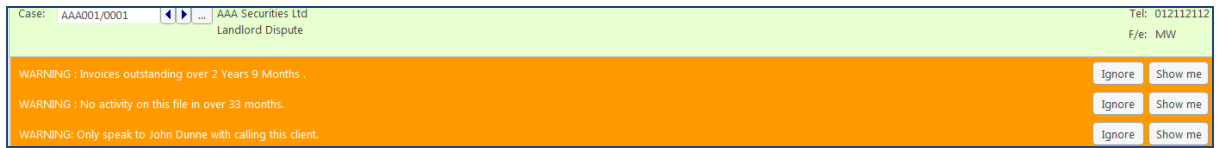
Warning Messages

The new version of Keyhouse displays warning messages on the file which the user can choose to ignore or to show. These messages may contain information on accounts or important information pertaining to this case: please read them.

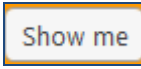
 **Caution:** Please read any warnings specific to the file as they could be vital information specific to this case.

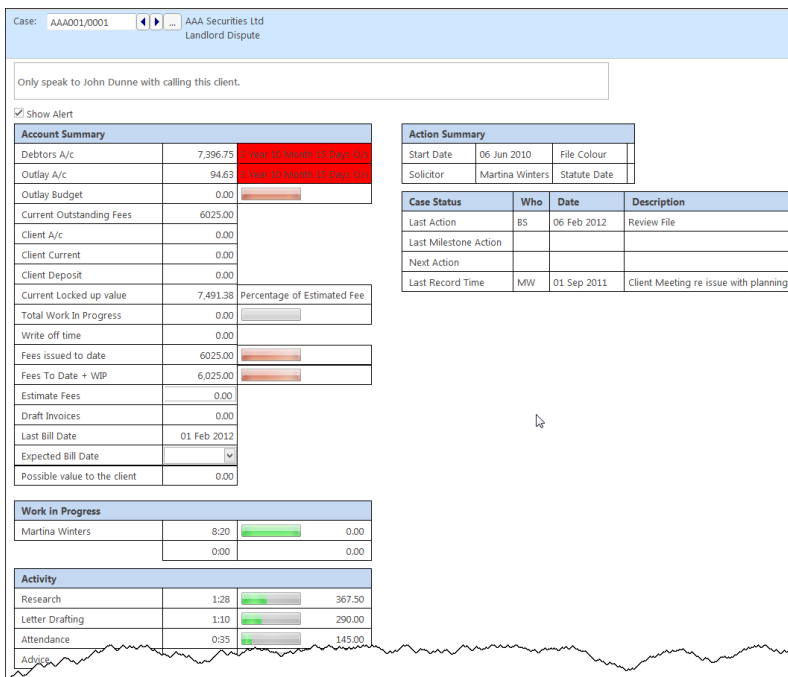
How to Show or Ignore a Message

1. Search for the required case and double click it to open it in the **Case Diary**.

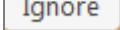


Note these warnings are displayed in the **Case Diary Screen**.

2. The caution messages are displayed at the top of the case diary of each case.
3. Click on the **Show me** button  located to the right of the message you will then move to the **Critical Information Screen** to show further information.



Note: The specific warning related to the case can be added via the **Critical Information** shortcut on the navigation panel. Type in message in text box and tick **show alert**.

4. Click on the **Ignore** button  to ignore the message and remove it from the case.

Case Diary Symbols



Tasks in Yellow denote milestone tasks.

| | | | | |
|--|-------------|-------|----|----------------|
| | 12 Dec 2013 | 14:53 | CN | Contract Stage |
|--|-------------|-------|----|----------------|

Tasks with a Broken Yellow Box denote documents processed.

| | | | | | |
|--|--|-------------|-------|----|----------|
| | | 01 Nov 2014 | 11:36 | CN | Searches |
|--|--|-------------|-------|----|----------|


Tasks with a Green Tick denote a completed task.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|---|-------------|-------|----|-------------------------|
|  | | |  | 24 Apr 2010 | 13:55 | BS | Letter to Land Registry |
|---|--|--|---|-------------|-------|----|-------------------------|


Tasks with a Red Dot denote a high priority task.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|--|
|  |  | | | 27 Oct 2015 | 10:17 | CN | Statute of Limitations Date =30 Oct 2015 |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|--|



Tasks with S denote a Statute of Limitation date or a critical date action.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|--|
|  |  | | | 27 Oct 2015 | 10:17 | CN | Statute of Limitations Date =30 Oct 2015 |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|--|

Tasks with a Calendar Symbol denote an appointment.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|-------------|-------|----|-------------------------|
|  | | | | 10 Aug 2015 | 14:22 | CN | Review PIAB application |
|---|--|--|--|-------------|-------|----|-------------------------|

Tasks with a Phone Symbol denote a phone call.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|-------------|
|  |  | | | 03 Jul 2015 | 11:19 | CN | Mike Breeze |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|-------------|


Tasks with a yellow note denote a Note.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|-------------|-------|----|---------------------------------|
|  | | | | 01 Nov 2014 | 11:40 | CN | Ring Client re. bank statements |
|---|--|--|--|-------------|-------|----|---------------------------------|

Tasks with a hand denote a delegated task.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|---------------------------------|
|  |  | | | 01 Nov 2014 | 11:40 | CN | Ring Client re. bank statements |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|---------------------------------|


Tasks with a blue arrow denote tasks of low importance.

| | | | | | | | |
|--|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|--------------------------------------|
| |  | | | 07 Aug 2015 | 14:22 | CN | Check on PIAB acknowledgement (s 50) |
|--|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|--------------------------------------|

Tasks with U denote an Undertaking.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|----------------------|
|  |  | | | 01 Nov 2014 | 11:49 | AM | Undertaking Created: |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|----------------------|


Tasks with an envelope denote an email sent or received.

| | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|-------------|-------|----|---|
|  | | | | 16 May 2012 | 11:13 | BS | Email From:Martina Winters - Mutual Confident |
|---|--|--|--|-------------|-------|----|---|


Tasks with a document attached

| | | | | | | | |
|--|--|--|---|-------------|-------|-----|-----------------|
| | | |  | 03 Jul 2015 | 14:40 | COM | Conflict Search |
|--|--|--|---|-------------|-------|-----|-----------------|



Tasks with an M denote scanned post

| | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|-------------|-------|----|---|
|  | | | | 14 Aug 2015 | 14:22 | CN | Letter Special Damages schedule from PIAB |
|---|--|--|--|-------------|-------|----|---|





















Tasks with a C denote critical tasks

| | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|-------------|-------|----|---|
|  | | | | 14 Aug 2015 | 14:22 | CN | Letter Special Damages schedule from PIAB |
|---|--|--|--|-------------|-------|----|---|

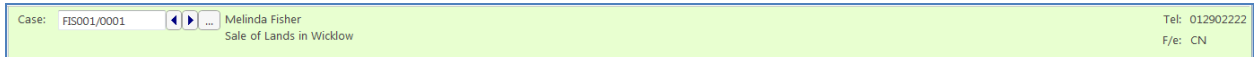
Task with a building denote Court Dates

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|------------|
|  |  | | | 26 Aug 2015 | 16:24 | CN | Court Date |
|---|---|--|--|-------------|-------|----|------------|

The Case Diary Toolbar

| | | | |
|---|------------------------|---|--|
|  <p>New Item Actions</p> | <p>New</p> | <p>Click on the New to add any of these tasks.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none">  Action  Note  Email  Appointment  Phone Message  Dictation  Draft Invoice  Request Cheque  Conflict Search |
|  <p>Print</p> | <p>Printer</p> | <p>Click to print any of the following reports:</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none">  Activity Report  Case Summary Report  Matter Label ▶  Client Label ▶ |
|  <p>Capture</p> | <p>Capture</p> | <p>Click on capture to launch the document capture program to import documents or folders of documents or images.</p> | |
|  <p>Generate</p> | <p>Generate</p> | <p>Click to generate a document for a selected action.</p> | |
|  <p>Complete Action</p> | <p>Complete Action</p> | <p>Click to mark a task as complete.</p> | |
|  <p>Start Timer</p> | <p>Start Timer</p> | <p>Click to start the timer for the current case.</p> | |
|  <p>Post Time</p> | <p>Post time</p> | <p>Click to bring up a manual time slip.</p> | |

Navigation within the Case Diary



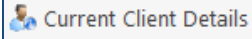
| | | |
|--|--------------------|--|
| | Case Code | Case Code of current open case. Or To open a case input the case code and press enter. |
| | Navigation buttons | Move to the previous Case or go to Next Case. |
| | Search Case List | Click to search for an existing Case. Double click the required case to open. |
| | Quick Search | This button is available on all screens and will allow you to quickly find any case. |

Case Diary Navigation Panel

| | | |
|--|------------------------|---|
| | Case Diary | Case Diary Screen |
| | Document Manager | Click on this to launch the Document Manager |
| | Current client Details | Click on this to view or edit the current client details. |
| | Current Matter Details | Click on this to view or edit the current case/matter details. |
| | Other Case Details | Click on this to view other case details |
| | Associates | Click on this to view case associates i.e. professionals or parties connected to this case. |
| | Critical Information | Click on this to view critical information particular to this case. |
| | Accounts Ledger | Click on this to view the accounts ledger. |
| | Debt Ledger | Click on this to view the debt ledger. |
| | Time Ledger | Click on this to view the time ledger. |
| | Reserve Ledger | Click on this to view the reserve ledger. |
| | Undertakings | Click on this to view the undertakings on this case. |
| | Strong Room | Click on this to view items in your strong room. |
| | Case Diary | Case Diary Screen |

Amending Client and Case Details

Updating Client Details

1. **Open** a case in the **Case Diary**.
2. Click on **Current Client Details**  located on the **Navigation** panel the following window will appear.

Input the following information as required:

General **Input/Amend** information on the client's name, address, telephone numbers etc.

Client Contacts Click on **Client Contacts** to add additional client contacts for example the client's spouse or if the client is a company add an employee's details.

Notes Click on the **Notes Tab** to enter notes relating to the client.

Matters Click on the **Matters tab** to view a list of all active matters assigned to this client.

Cross Reference Click on **Cross Ref tab** to cross reference the client with another for example a husband and wife.

Categories Click on **Categories tab** to add the client to a category.

Corporate Click on **Corporate tab** to add the company details e.g. Company Registration Number.

Personal Click on the **Personal tab** to add the client's personal details for e.g. Date of Birth, Date of Marriage etc.


Legal Details Click on the **Legal Details tab** to add the legal details about the client. E.g. Legal Name.

Permission Click on the **Permission tab** to control access at a client level

Billing Details Click on the **Billing Details tab** to add information on the billing details of this client.

3. Click **OK** when complete, to update the record.

Updating Case Details

1. **Open** a case in the **Case Diary**.
2. Click on **Current Case Details**  located on the **Navigation** panel.
3. Input/Amend the following details as required:

Matter

Input/Amend any details relating to the matter description.

Using the drop arrows amend the fee earner, secretary, partner, department, work type.

Input (if applicable) Old Ref, File Ref, Your Reference.

Check the appropriate boxes to mark the case as important, or if monthly statements are required.

Click on the **drop down arrows** to amend the Case Plan, Status and File Colour.

Input the **court record number** if applicable to this case.

Admin

Click on the **Admin tab** to add or amend value to the client amount, the start date, statute date, deposit name and type, amount of budget outlay, the estimate of fees amount and the expected bill date.

Estimate of Fees Check the box if an estimate of fees has been given.

Comments Input any comments.

Charge Rate Level: Using the option buttons, select a charge rate level

Effectively complete Tick if the case is effectively complete.

Case Associate

Click on the **Case Associate tab** to add, view, edit or delete Case Associates.

Input (if applicable) alternative client details such as client name, salutation, address and click on the **Set Override** button to apply it to future documents generated.

Other Details

Click on the **Other Details tab** to view a list of user variables eg. Purchase price, secretary reference etc. either already added to the case or due to be added. OT THERE ANY MORE



Tip: To amend the user variables click on **Other Case Details** on the Navigation panel.



Note these variables are individual to each case plan type and case.

Archive

Remove the **tick** to reopen a previous archived file.

Billing Details

Click on the **Billing Details tab** to add information on the billing of this matter.

For Debt cases input the charge arrangements, the debt amount collected, and the total debt amount collected.

Using the option buttons, select the billing type and default billing method.

Permissions

Click on the **Permissions tab** to control access to this matter, for example to add or remove particular user groups.

Transaction

Click on **Defendant** or **Client** tab.

Then click on the **Post Button** to add a transaction.

Click on the **Change Button** to amend an existing transaction.



Note the balance will automatically update.


Linked Cases

Click on the **Linked Cases tab** to link two or more cases together.

- Click **OK** when complete, to update the record.

Inserting a Statute of Limitations Date

- Open a case in the **Case Diary**.
- Click on **Current Case Details** located on the case Diary shortcut bar.
- Click on the **Admin Tab**.
- Input** a Statute Date or click on the down arrow to select a date from the calendar.
- Click OK** to save the changes.
- The Statute Date will now appear as a task in the Case Diary assigned to the case Fee Earner and dated prior to the actual Statute of Limitations Date for reminder purposes.

All 'Statute of Limitation Dates' can be clearly identified by the Statute of Limitation symbol. . See the following example.

| Case: AAAD01/0001 | | AAA Securities Ltd Landlord Dispute | | Tel: 01211211 F/e: MW | |
|--|-------------|--|---------|--|---------------|
| WARNING : Statute date approaching on this case. Ignore Show me | | | | | |
| WARNING : No activity on this file in over 33 months. Ignore Show me | | | | | |
| Search | | | | | |
| | | | | | Standard View |
| Action | Date | Time | Handler | Synopsis | Action Co... |
| | 27 Oct 2014 | 16:08 | CN | Statute of Limitations Date =06 Nov 2014 | ADM5D |
| | 06 Feb 2012 | 10:50 | BS | Review File | G16 |
| | 01 Feb 2012 | 17:43 | BS | Invoice No:225 | DB01 |

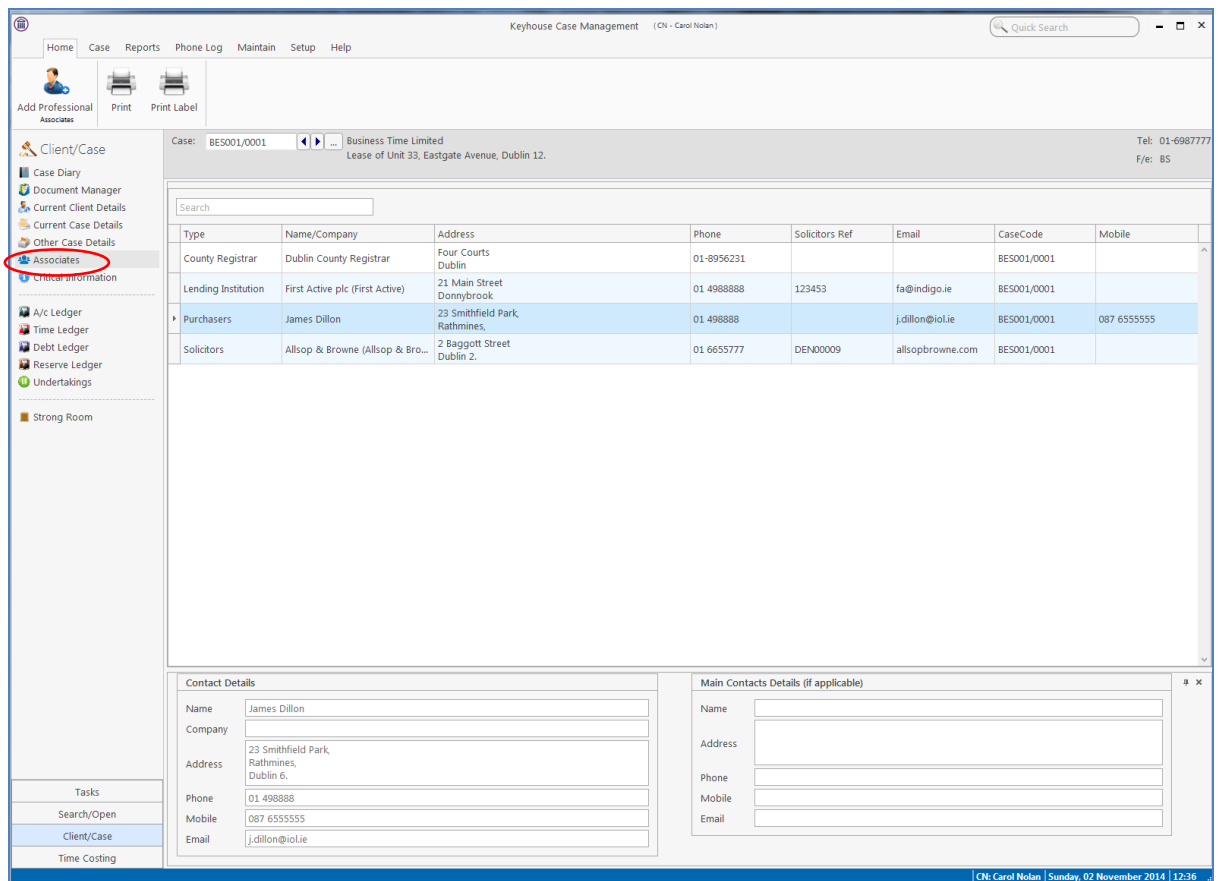
Case Associates

What are Case Associates?

Case Associates are all individuals, companies, government departments, courts etc. connected with a case. For example the solicitor, the barrister, the defendant, the purchaser, the land registry, the lending institution and various others. By adding case associates to a case you can view their details e.g. name, addresses, telephone numbers in the case associate screen. You will also facilitate the generating of letters to case associates for example a “letter to solicitor” will insert the solicitor’s name and address.

How to add an existing case associate to a case

1. Open a case in the Case Diary.



The screenshot shows the Keyhouse Case Management software interface. The navigation panel on the left has the 'Associates' tab selected and circled in red. The main window displays the following table of case associates:

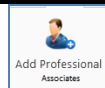
| Type | Name/Company | Address | Phone | Solicitors Ref | Email | CaseCode | Mobile |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------|----------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|
| County Registrar | Dublin County Registrar | Four Courts Dublin | 01-8956231 | | | BES001/0001 | |
| Lending Institution | First Active plc (First Active) | 21 Main Street Donnybrook | 01 4988888 | 123453 | fa@indigo.ie | BES001/0001 | |
| Purchasers | James Dillon | 23 Smithfield Park, Rathmines, | 01 4988888 | | j.dillon@iol.ie | BES001/0001 | 087 6555555 |
| Solicitors | Allsop & Browne (Allsop & Bro...) | 2 Baggott Street Dublin 2. | 01 6655777 | DEN00009 | allsopbrowne.com | BES001/0001 | |

Below the table, there are sections for 'Contact Details' and 'Main Contacts Details (if applicable)'. The 'Contact Details' section shows the following information for James Dillon:

- Name: James Dillon
- Company: [Empty]
- Address: 23 Smithfield Park, Rathmines, Dublin 6.
- Phone: 01 4988888
- Mobile: 087 6555555
- Email: j.dillon@iol.ie

The 'Main Contacts Details (if applicable)' section is currently empty.

2. Click on **Associates** on the **Navigation** panel: a list of case associates assigned to case will appear.



Click on **Add Professional Associates** located on the Home tab of the Ribbon while you are viewing **Case Associates**. The following dialogue box will appear, listing categories on the left of the screen and entries on the right.

| Type | Name/Company | Address | Phone | Solicitors Ref | Email | CaseCode | Mobile |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|----------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|
| County Registrar | Dublin County Registrar | Four Courts Dublin | 01-8956231 | | | BES001/0001 | |
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- Click on the **category** of case associate you want to add, e.g. Solicitors, located on the left of the case associate list. (circled below)


| Code | Name/Company | Address | Phone No | Category | Type | Notes |
|--------|------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------|----------|------------|-------|
| ACT001 | Actons(Actons) | Solicitors 22/24 Lower Mount Street | | | Solicitors | |
| ADA002 | Brian P. Adams(Bria... | Solicitors Cormac Street | 0506 21... | | Solicitors | |
| ADA003 | Adams Corporate(A... | Solicitors 9 Exchange Place | | | Solicitors | |
| ADAM01 | Brian P. Adams(Bria... | Solicitors Cormac Street, | 0506-21... | | Solicitors | |
| AHE001 | Marian Ahern(Mari... | Solicitor Knockvillar | | | Solicitors | |
| AHE002 | Aherne Swift(Ahern... | Solicitors 51 O'Connell Street | 051 879... | | Solicitors | |
| AHER01 | Ahern O'Shea & Co... | Solicitors 13/16 Dame Street | 6794477 | | Solicitors | |

- Click in the **Search box** and **input** part of the solicitor's name; the search will be applied as you type.
- Double Click** on the relevant Solicitor to assign it to the case.

Note: You can also sort the columns by clicking on the column headings in the Case Associate Screen.

How to add a New Case Associate to a Case


- Open** a case in the **Case Diary**.
- Click on **Associates** on the **Navigation** panel

3. Click on **Add Professional**  on the Home tab of the Ribbon.

4. Click on the **Category** of case associate you want to add e.g. Bank.

5. Alternatively, click in the **search box** and **input** a key search word the search criteria will be applied as you type.

6. If no record is found then add a new record.

7. Then click on the **green plus**  the following screen will appear.

8. **Input** the relevant information

Full Name: Input the Full Name

First Name & Surname: These will automatically be inputted from the full name field amend if required.

Salutation: Input the Salutation

Company: Input the company name

Title: Input the title ie. Mr, Mrs etc.

Address: Input the address

Code: Input a Code for this contact e.g. JAC001 for Jackson. If you leave the code blank the system will assign a numeric code.

Phone No: Input the main phone number

Fax No: Input the fax number

Home: Input home phone number

Mobile: Input mobile phone number

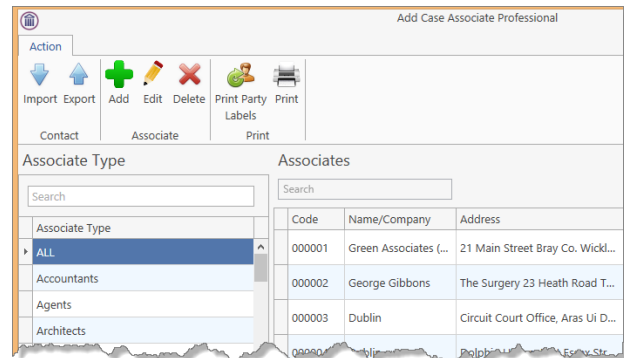
E-Mail: Input e-mail address

DX Ref: Input the Document Exchange reference if applicable

Nominated: Tick is this is the nominated contact.

County: Input the county.

Post Code: Input the post code.



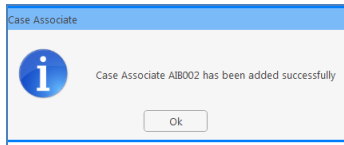
9. If you want to add a **Contact** to this associate click on **New**  the following window will appear.

Input the following details as required:

- Name
- Address,
- Salutation
- Title
- Email
- Relationship to the associate,
- Phone number
- Fax number
- Mobile number
- Notes

10. Click **OK** to save. You will return then to the **Add Case Associate** window. The contact will then appear at the bottom of the window see the following example.

11. Click **OK** to save the new record. A message will appear stating the contact has been added successfully.

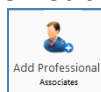


12. Click **OK**. The Case Associate will then appear in the full list.

13. Then **Double click** the new associate from the list to assign to this case. The contact will then be assigned to the case and will appear in the case associate screen of this matter.

How to amend a Case Associates Details

1. **Open** a case in the **Case Diary**.
2. Click on **Associates** on the **Navigation** panel.
3. If the Associate is assigned to the case **Double Click** to amend.



4. Otherwise click on **Add Professional** on the Home tab of the Ribbon.
5. Click on the **category** of case associate you want to add e.g. Bank.
6. **Search** for the associate you want to amend.

7. Click on the **Edit Tool** ; the following dialogue box will appear.

8. Click on each **tab** and amend the details as required.

General

Click on the **General tab** to amend details such as name, address etc.

Details

Click on the **Details tab** to add

personal information such as date of birth, occupation etc.

Other Types

Click on the **Other Types** tabs to see if this associate is a member of any other category.

Other Details (optional)

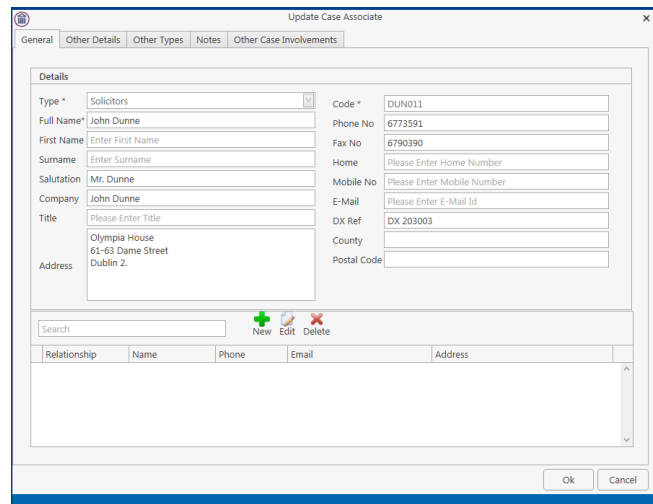
Click on the **Other Details tab** to add a specific court and court date.

Notes

Click on the **Notes tab** to add additional notes about the case associate.

Other Case Involvements

Click on the **Other Case Involvements tab** to view a list of cases this case associate is connected to.



The screenshot shows the 'Update Case Associate' dialog box with the 'Details' tab active. The 'General' tab is also visible. The 'Details' tab contains the following fields:

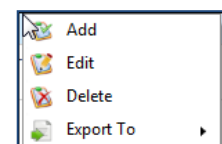
| | | | |
|------------|---|-------------|----------------------------|
| Type * | Solicitors | Code * | DUN011 |
| Full Name | John Dunne | Phone No | 6773591 |
| First Name | Enter First Name | Fax No | 6790390 |
| Surname | Enter Surname | Home | Please Enter Home Number |
| Salutation | Mr. Dunne | Mobile No | Please Enter Mobile Number |
| Company | John Dunne | E-Mail | Please Enter E-Mail ID |
| Title | Please Enter Title | DX Ref | DX 203003 |
| Address | Olympia House 61-63 Dame Street Dublin 2. | County | |
| | | Postal Code | |

At the bottom of the dialog box, there is a search field and three buttons: New (green cross), Edit (pencil), and Delete (red X). Below these buttons is a table with columns: Relationship, Name, Phone, Email, and Address. The table is currently empty. At the bottom right of the dialog box are 'Ok' and 'Cancel' buttons.

9. Click **OK** to save the amendments.


How to Remove a Case Associate from a Case

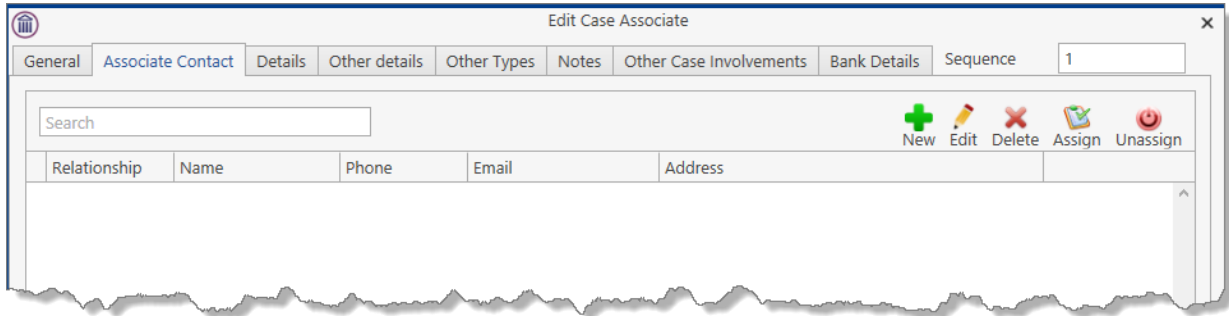
1. **Open** a case in the **Case Diary**.
2. Click on **Associates** on the **Navigation** panel.
3. Right Click on the Associate to be removed. The following menu will appear.
4. Click on the **Delete** to remove it from the case.




Note: To delete a case associate completely first remove it from all cases and then delete it from the case associate database. It is not possible to delete a case associate while it is assigned to any case.

How to add a Contact to a Case Associate

1. Open the required Associate in the Case.
2. Select the Associate Contact Tab and click on the Green Cross  New

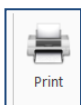


3. Enter the required information and click OK. As the address of the Associate is already in the system it is not necessary to re-enter it on this screen.

4. To assign the Contact to the case click the  button.

Print Options

The following Print options are available on the Home tab of the Ribbon:



Click on **Print** to print a report of Case Associates on the Case.



Select a Case Associate and then click **Print Label**.

Generating Tasks


Each case has a specific case plan assigned to it when it is set up. Each Case Plan is made up of a series of Tasks; these tasks will often have attached documents, which will be processed when a task is generated. When a task is completed a follow-up task maybe inserted in the Case Diary for processing in the future. These tasks will then appear in the user's to do list on a specific date as a reminder to be processed.

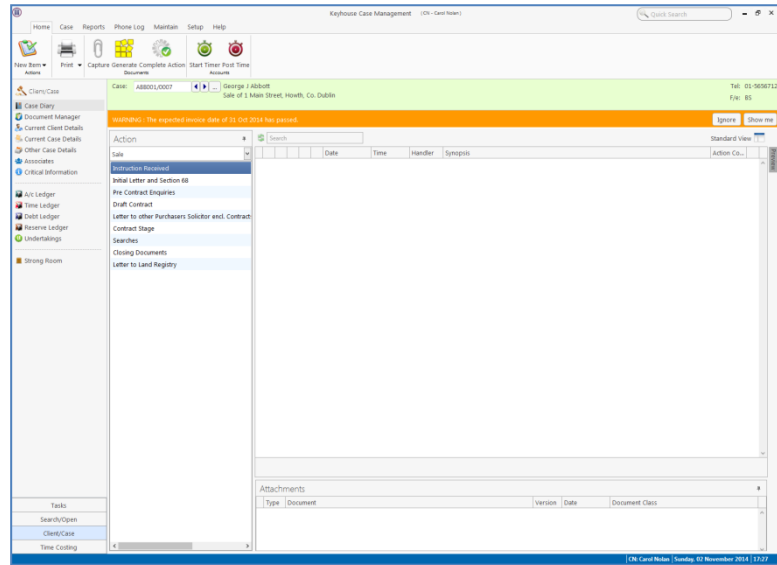
How to Generate a Task

1. Open a case in the Case Diary

2. To view the case plan move your mouse over **Action** located to left of the Case Diary Screen the Case Plan will appear.

3. Click on the **Pin**  to make it permanently visible.

 **Tip:** For further information on showing the case plan see the section on configuring the case diary screen.




4. Generate the Task using one of the following methods:

Method 1: **Double Click** the task you want to generate from the list of tasks in the case plan.

Method 2: If the task is already in the case diary

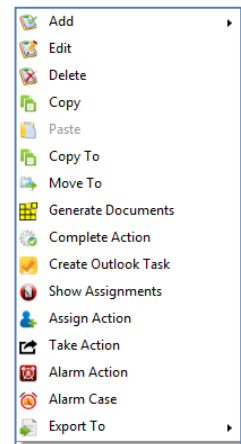
1) Click on the task to select it.

2) Click on **Generate**  on the case diary toolbar.

Or

1) Right click on the task

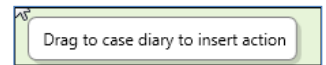
2) Select Generate Documents from the pop-up menu.



Working with Tasks in the Case Diary

How to Insert Tasks in the Case Diary

- To insert a task into the diary, **Click and Drag** the task from the Workflow to the case diary window. The following will appear as you drag it.
- Double Click** the Task and change the date for processing, the subject etc., as required
- Click **OK**.

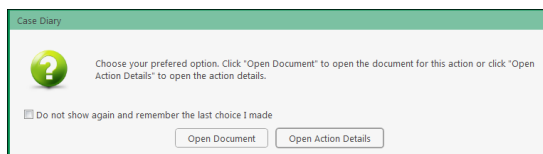


Changing Tasks

At times you may want to amend the details of a task. For instance you may want to amend the description, date, properties etc.


- Double click** the task you want to amend and the following dialogue box will appear.

The following message will appear; click on **open action details**.



- Amend** the following details as required

- On the **General Tab** amend the following details:

Case This will default to the current case; to change click on the  button and select the required case.

Action Code This will default to the **current action code**.

Date You can amend the date of task if required. Click on the down arrow to reveal a calendar. Click on the required date.

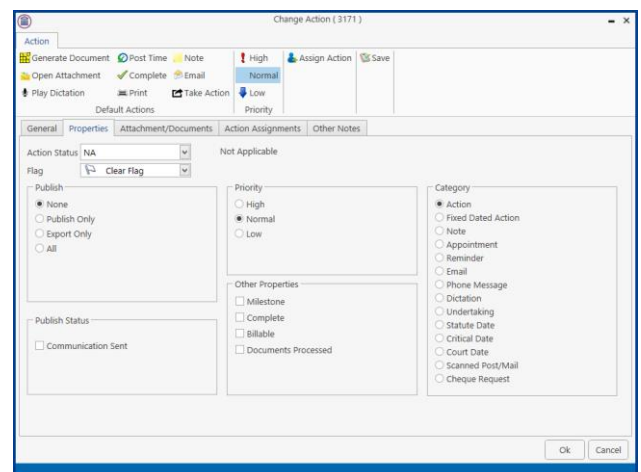
Due Date Click on the **down arrow** to reveal a calendar click on the required due date.

Subject Click in the subject box and **amend** as required.

F/e Handler Click on the drop arrow to select a handler; it will default to the current handler.

Team Click on the drop down arrow to select a team; it will default to the selected handler's team.

- Click on the Properties tab to reveal the following screen.



Amend the following details as required:

Action Status Click drop down and click on the status of the case when this task is complete. E.g. Pre-Proceedings, Proceedings issued.

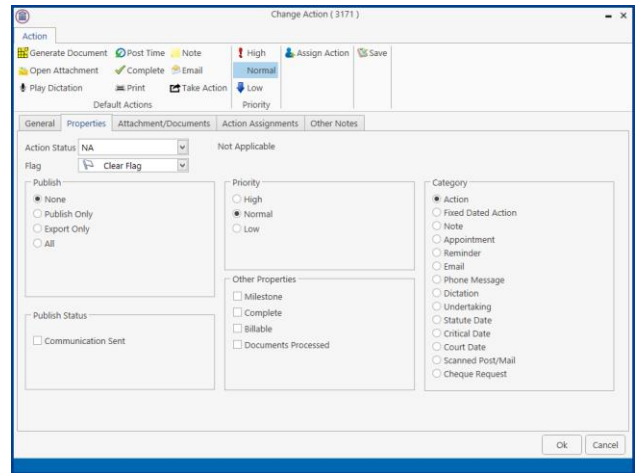
Publish This applies only to data that is published to an external source. Using the option buttons **set** as required.

Publish Status This applies only to data that is published to an external source. A **tick** will appear stating a communication has been sent.

Priority **Select** the appropriate priority status.

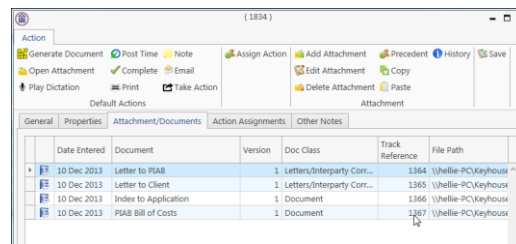
Other Properties A check will appear in the relevant box if the action is a **Milestone** action, if it has been **Completed**, if it is designated as **Billable** or if the associated documents have been processed. The boxes may be checked and unchecked as required, e.g. to “uncomplete” an action, so that it can be deleted.

Category Using the **option buttons** amend the action category if required.



- c. Click on **the Attachment/Documents tab** to reveal the following screen. A list of documents processed on this task will appear.

The following actions can be performed in this window



NOTE: If you just want to view/edit a document only, this can be done by clicking on the Attachment Button at the bottom of the screen

Attachments


| Type | Document | Version |
|------|----------------------|---------|
| | PIAB Bill of Costs | 1 |
| | Index to Application | 1 |
| | Letter to Client | 1 |
| | Letter to PIAB | 1 |

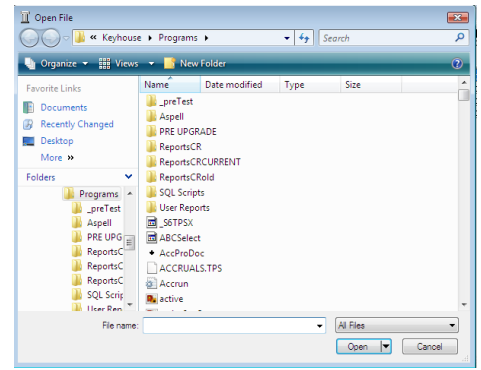
Open an attachment

- i. **Double Click** on the attachment you want to open.
- ii. Or Click on **Open Attachment**


- iii. The Word Document will then open in Word to edit, print etc.

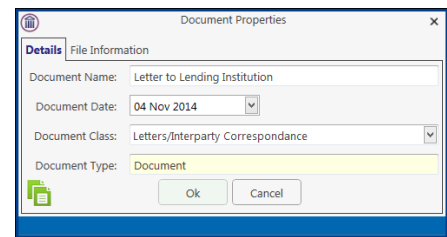
Add an attachment to a task

- i. Click on the **Add attachment** . The following dialogue box will appear.
- ii. **Browse** and locate the required document.
- iii. Click **OK**. The document will now appear the attachment list.



Amend an attachments properties

- i. **Select** the document you want to amend.
- ii. Click on the **edit attachment**  located on the toolbar. The following dialogue box will appear.
- iii. **Amend** the following details as required




Document Name Click in the **input box** and amend as required.



Class/Category Click on the drop down arrow for a list of document classes, and select the required category, e.g. Letter, Pleadings, Inter-Party Correspondence etc.

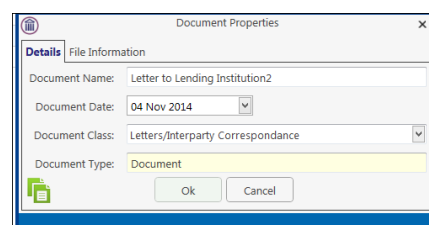
- iv. Click **OK** to save the changes.

Delete an attachment

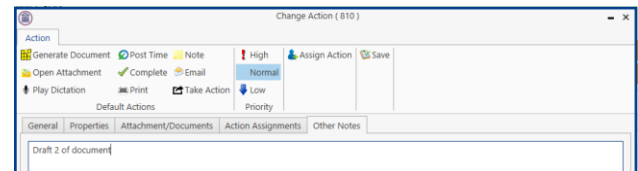
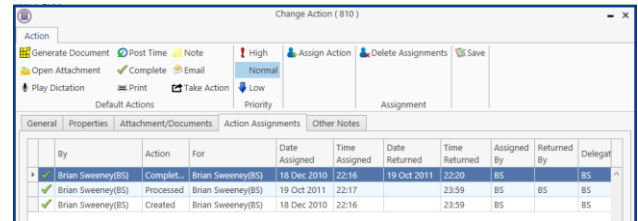
- i. **Select** the attachment you want to delete.
- ii. Click on **delete attachment** .
- iii. Click **OK** to confirm the deletion.

Copy and Paste an attachment

- i. Select the attachment you want to copy.
- ii. Click on **Copy** .
- iii. Open the task you want to **Paste** the document in. Click on the Attachment/Documents Tab.
- iv. Click **Paste** . The following attachment properties box will appear.
- v. Amend the details as required and OK to confirm.




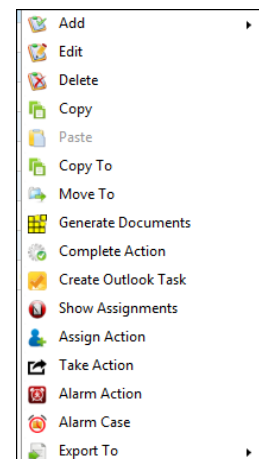
- vi. A **message** will appear asking you to confirm the update, click **Yes** to confirm
 - vii. A copy of the document will then appear in the document list.
- d. Click on the **Action Assignments tab** to show the assignment history of the task. See the section on Assigning Tasks for further information.
 - e. Click on the **Other Notes tab**; the following screen will appear. Input any notes you may have on the task.




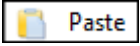
3. Click **OK** to save any changes made.

Deleting a Task

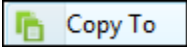
1. **Right Click** on the **task** in the **case diary** the following menu will appear.
2. Click on **Delete** 
3. You will be asked to confirm the deletion. Click **Yes**. If the task has been generated you will be asked if you want to delete the documents generated. If you click the **Yes** button, the documents will be deleted.




Copying a Task

1. **Right Click** on the **task** in the **case diary**: the menu above will appear.
2. Click on **Copy** 
3. Then **Right Click** again in the case diary: the menu above will appear.
4. Click on **Paste**. 

Copying a Task to another matter

1. **Right Click** on the **task** in the **case diary**: the menu above will appear.
2. Click on **Copy To** 
3. A list of cases will appear search for the required case.
4. Then **Double click** to select.

 Note: You will automatically move to the case diary of the case selected.


Moving a Task to another matter

1. **Right Click** on the **task** in the **case diary**: the menu above will appear.

2. Click on **Move To** 

3. A list of cases will appear search for the required case.

4. Then **Double click** to select.

 **Note:** You will automatically move to the case diary of the case selected.



TIP: TO DELETE, MOVE OR COPY MULTIPLE TASKS :

- In the Case Diary click on the first task.
- Press CTRL on your keyboard and click on each of the other tasks.
- Then Right click to the reveal the menu above and proceed as instructed above.

Assigning a Task to Another Handler

1. **Insert** the task in the case diary.

2. **Right click** on a task the following menu will appear


3. Click on **Assign Action**. 

4. A screen will appear listing all **resources**.

5. Double Click on the **resource** person you want to assign the task.

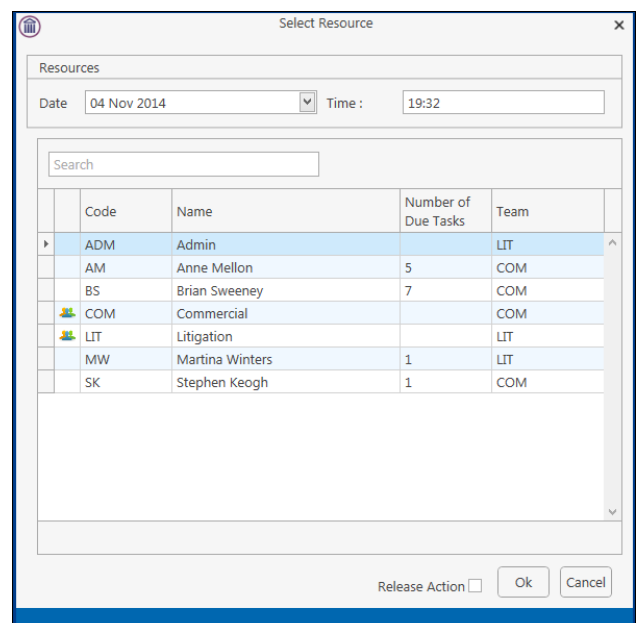
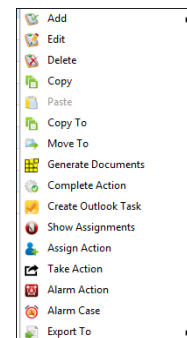
6. Check the **Release Action** box to remove the task completely from your task list.

Alternatively to continue to **own** the task leave the **Release Action** box checked.

 **Note** The owner of the task is the only person who can mark the task as complete. This allows you to assign a task to another handler but ensures you have control over the task.

7. You will return to the **action assignment** window.

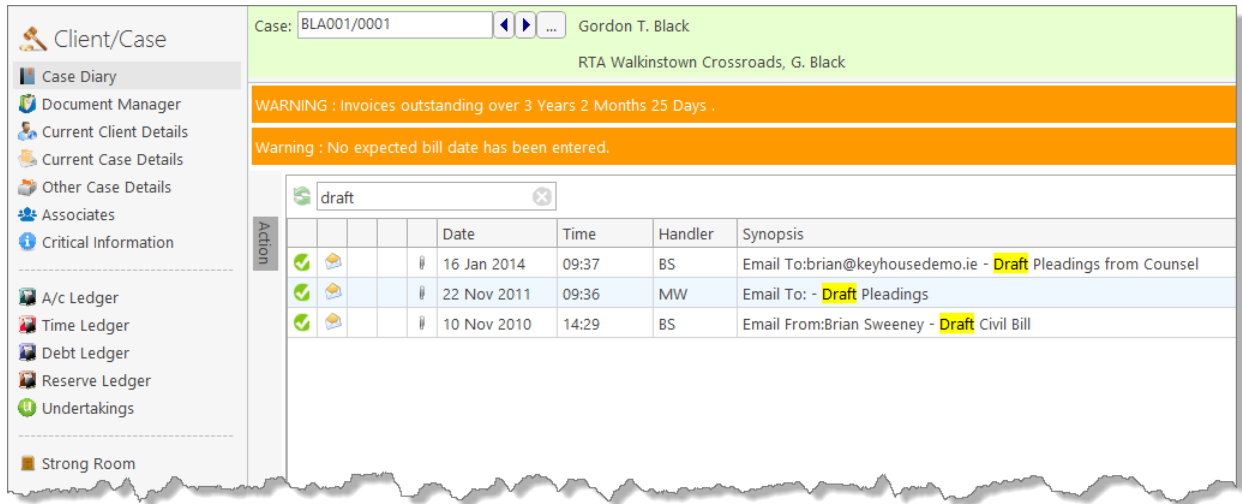
8. Click **OK** to save the changes.



Searching, Sorting and Filtering the Case Diary

How to Search the Case Diary

1. Open a case in the Case Diary.
2. **Click** in the Search box.



3. **Input** the key search words, the search criteria will be applied as you type.
4. All tasks containing the search criteria will be displayed in the case diary below. See the example above of a search for “draft”.
5. Click **cancel** to reset.

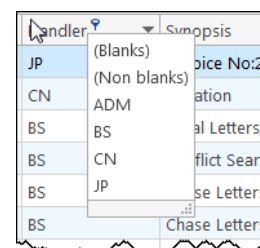
Tip to refresh the Case Diary click on refresh tool located next to the search box on the search bar.

How to sort and filter the Case Diary Columns

1. Open a case in the Case Diary.
2. Click on the required **column heading** to sort by that column.

How to filter Case Diary Columns

1. Open a case in the Case Diary.
2. Move your mouse to the required column heading.



3. To view a list of filter categories click on the pin and select the required category. See the following example.

How to view all documents on a case

1. Open a case in the case diary.
2. Then click on **Document Manager** in the navigation bar. The following screen will appear listing all attachments on the case.

The screenshot shows the Keyhouse Document Manager interface. The navigation bar on the left includes 'Client/Case', 'Case Diary', 'Document Manager', 'Current Client Details', 'Current Case Details', 'Other Case Details', 'Associates', 'Critical Information', 'A/c Ledger', 'Time Ledger', 'Debt Ledger', 'Reserve Ledger', 'Undertakings', and 'Strong Room'. The main area displays a table of documents for case BLA001/0001, 'Gordon T. Black RTA Walkinstown Crossroads, G. Black'. The table has columns for Type, Document Name, Version, Diary Date, Date, Document Class, Source, From, and To. A preview pane on the right shows a 'Letter to Client' document.

| Type | Document Name | Version | Diary Date | Date | Document Class | Source | From | To |
|----------|--|---------|-------------|-------------|----------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------|
| Letter | Letter to Doctor | 1 | 04 Nov 2014 | 04 Nov 2014 | Letters/Interparty Corr... | Case | | |
| Letter | Letter to Doctor | 1 | 04 Nov 2014 | 04 Nov 2014 | Letters/Interparty Corr... | Case | | |
| Letter | Letter to Solicitor | 1 | 04 Nov 2014 | 04 Nov 2014 | Letters/Interparty Corr... | Case | | |
| Letter | Letter to Solicitor | 1 | 04 Nov 2014 | 04 Nov 2014 | Letters/Interparty Corr... | Case | | |
| Letter | Letter to John Dunne | 1 | 04 Nov 2014 | 04 Nov 2014 | Letters/Interparty Corr... | Case | | |
| Letter | Letter to Client | 1 | 04 Nov 2014 | 04 Nov 2014 | Case | Case | | |
| Letter | Letter to Client | 1 | 04 Nov 2014 | 04 Nov 2014 | Case | Case | | |
| Document | Contracts version 2 | 1 | 04 Jun 2014 | 10 Dec 2013 | Document | Received E-m... | | |
| Document | Tips for using Gmail | 1 | 14 Nov 2013 | 09 Dec 2013 | General | Received E-m... | mail-noreply... | Keyho |
| Document | Microsoft Outlook Test Message | 1 | 14 Nov 2013 | 09 Dec 2013 | General | Received E-m... | training.keyho... | Traini |
| Document | image001 | 1 | 27 Nov 2013 | 09 Dec 2013 | General | Received E-m... | melinda@key... | Traini |
| Document | Gordon T. Black RTA Walkinstown Crossroads, G... | 1 | 27 Nov 2013 | 09 Dec 2013 | General | Received E-m... | melinda@key... | Traini |
| Document | keyhouse | 1 | 12 Dec 2013 | 05 Dec 2013 | Letters/Interparty Corr... | Captured | | |
| Document | 20090820191609sharpsscanner@keyhouse.ie_200... | 1 | 11 Dec 2013 | 05 Dec 2013 | Document | Captured | | |
| Document | Benefits of working paperless | 1 | 28 May 2014 | 05 Dec 2013 | Document | Captured | | |
| Document | Brief_Gordon T Black RTA Walkinstown Crossroa... | 1 | 11 Dec 2013 | 11 Apr 2013 | General | Captured | | |
| Document | Brief RTA Walkinstown Crossroads, G. Black_1 | 1 | 11 Dec 2013 | 11 Apr 2013 | General | Captured | | |
| Document | Equal Statement | 1 | 23 May 2013 | 24 Apr 2013 | Document | Captured | | |

How to search for a document on a case

1. Click on **Document Manager** in the navigation bar.
2. **Input** the key search words in the **Search box** provided the search criteria will be applied as you type.
3. A list of documents containing that word will appear.

The screenshot shows the Keyhouse Document Manager interface with a search box containing the word 'pleading'. The search results table is displayed below the search box.

| Type | Document Name | Version | Diary Date | Date | Document Class | Source | From | To |
|----------|------------------|---------|-------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|--------|
| Document | RE: Draft Pleadi | 1 | 20 Apr 2012 | 20 Apr 2012 | Document | Sent E-mail | Martina Winte... | |
| Document | blac01-0001 | 1 | 25 Apr 2012 | 17 Apr 2012 | Memo | Received E-m... | Martina Winte... | 'Mart |
| Document | Draft Pleadings | 1 | 25 Apr 2012 | 17 Apr 2012 | Document | Received E-m... | Martina Winte... | 'Mart |
| Document | blac01-0001 | 1 | 22 Nov 2011 | 22 Nov 2011 | Document | Received E-m... | Martina Winte... | martin |

4. **Click** on a document to view in the preview pane.
5. **Double click** to the open the document.

Note: For information on the document manager see Chapter 16.

Processing Documents

When a task is generated any precedents connected with the task are processed. Depending on how the documents have been set up, different requests are made of the user.

Precedent Documents usually contain codes which prompt the user for specific information needed in that document.

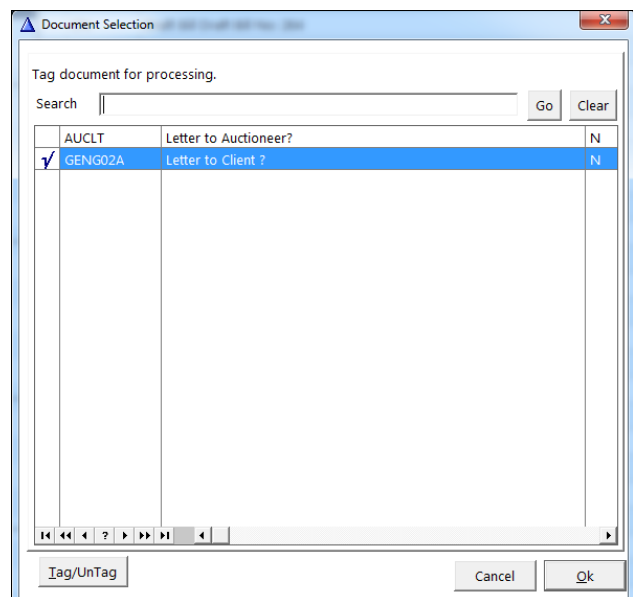
What type of information is requested when processing documents?

1. You may be asked to select the documents you want to process.
2. You may be asked to name the document.
3. You may be asked to add case associates to the case.
4. You may be asked to answer specific questions pertaining to a particular document

Select Documents to be processed

Some documents are optional. Users are given the choice to select the documents they want to process. The following will occur:

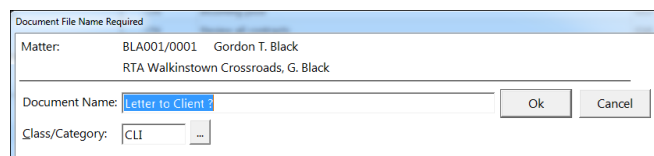
1. A **Document Selection** dialogue box will appear.
2. **Tag** the documents you want to process by putting a tick next to each document that is to be generated.
3. Click **OK** and the documents tagged will be generated.




Naming and classifying a Document

Some documents may request the user to input a name. If this is the case the following will occur.

1. The following dialogue box will appear requesting the user to input a document name. **Input** an appropriate name.





2. To classify a document click the  **button** and select a document class e.g. Pleadings.
3. Click **OK**.
4. The system may pause and request information, for example, Case Associates or specific questions pertaining to the document.
5. The documents will then be created and displayed in Word ready for printing etc. The documents are saved and stored in the Keyhouse system.


Adding Case Associates when generating a document

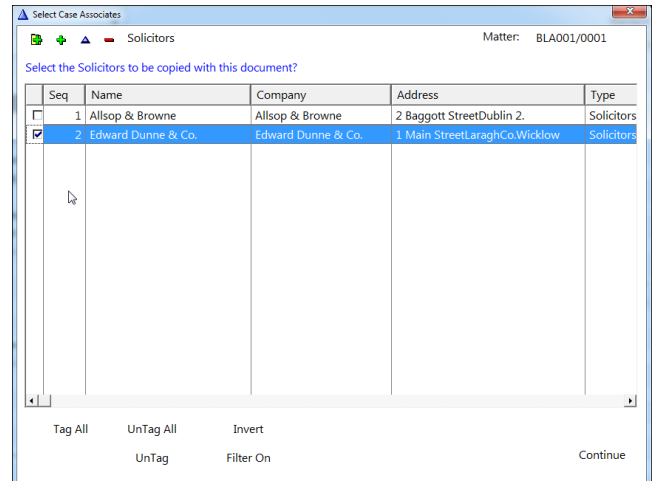
When processing a document you may be asked to add case associates or professionals to a case. Once they are added they are visible in the Case Associates section of the Case Diary.

Example 1: Letter to Solicitor- Searching and Selecting an existing case associate

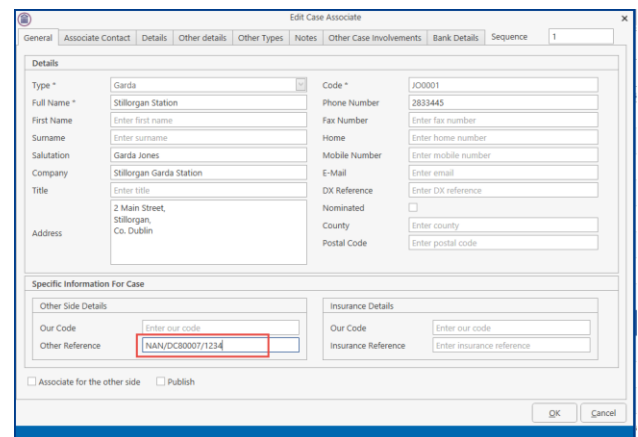
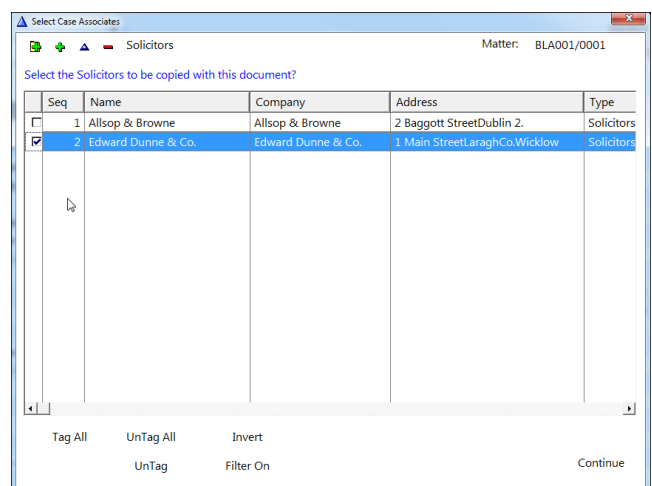
In the following example the case associate is a solicitor and the document being processed is a letter to solicitor.

- The following dialogue box has appeared requesting the user to select a Solicitor for this letter.
- There is two solicitors assigned to this case you can tag the solicitor provided then click on the **amend** button  to add a reference.
- Input** the other side's reference in "Other Ref" (circled in red, right)
- Or if the solicitor displayed is not the solicitor you want to write to click on the **green plus with the yellow folder**  and add the new case associate as previous outlined in the section on "How to Add a new Case Associate".
- A screen will reappear listing the solicitors on the case.
- Check the appropriate box(es) to **tag** the required solicitor(s).

 **Note** If you tag two solicitors two documents will be generated.
- Click **Continue**.
- Word will open displaying the letter to solicitor.
- Edit** the document in Word as normal as required.
- Save** any changes and **Print** as required.
- The action/task and document will then be present in the **Case Diary** for future review.




| Seq | Name | Company | Address | Type |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 Allsop & Browne | Allsop & Browne | 2 Baggott StreetDublin 2. | Solicitors |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 2 Edward Dunne & Co. | Edward Dunne & Co. | 1 Main StreetLaraghCo.Wicklow | Solicitors |







| Seq | Name | Company | Address | Type |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 Allsop & Browne | Allsop & Browne | 2 Baggott StreetDublin 2. | Solicitors |
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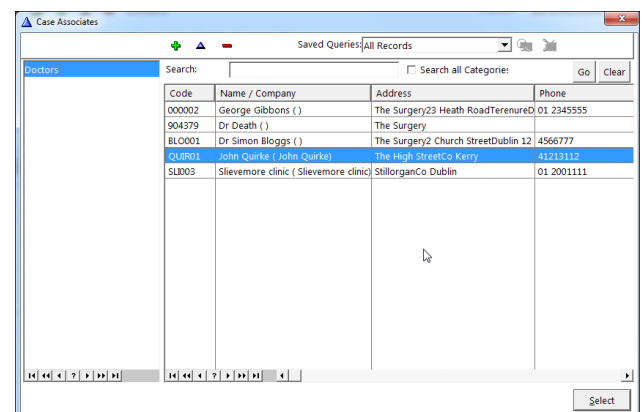
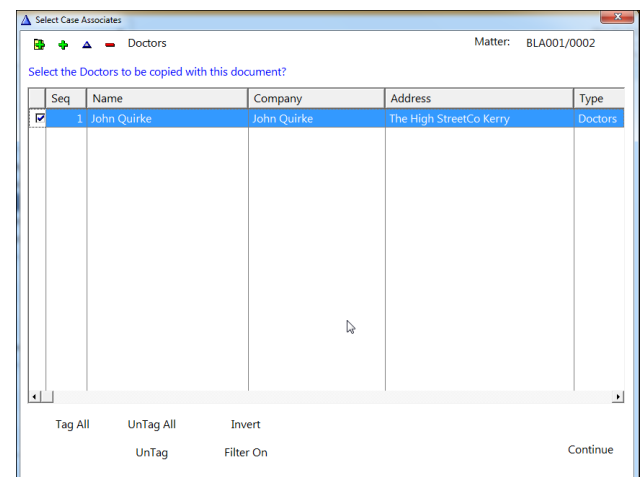
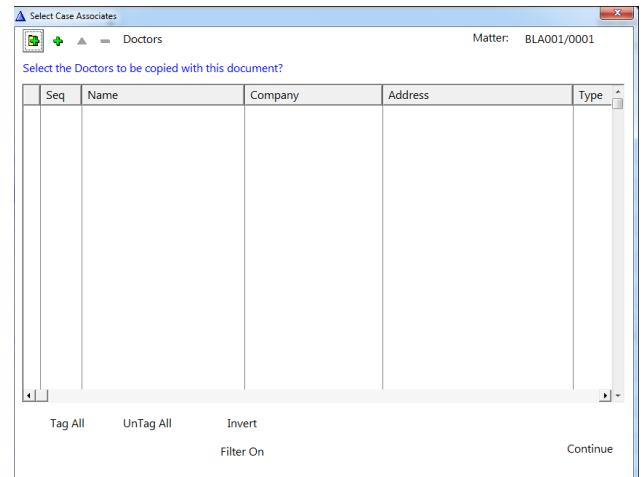
Example 2: Letter to Doctor – Setting up a new case associate

In the following example the document being processed is a letter to Doctor, the Doctor is not present in the case associates so he needs to be added to the list of doctors and assigned to the case.

1. The following dialogue box has appeared requesting the user to select a Doctor for this letter.
2. No doctors have been assigned to this case so the user needs to add one.
3. Click on the **Green Plus with the yellow folder**  and the following screen will appear.
4. The doctor the user wants to write to is not available on the list so a new doctor needs to be setup.

 **Remember** to always perform a search to ensure the case associate is not already on the system.

5. Click on the **Green Plus**  to add the new Doctor. See the section on **Adding a New Case Associate** for further details.
6. Then click on **Select** . The following screen will reappear listing the doctor assigned to the case.
7. Using the tick boxes provided **tag** the required Doctor and click **Continue**.
8. Word will open showing the letter to doctor
9. **Edit** the document in Word as normal as required.
10. **Save** any changes and **Print** as required.
11. The task and document will then be available in the Keyhouse Case Diary for further review.



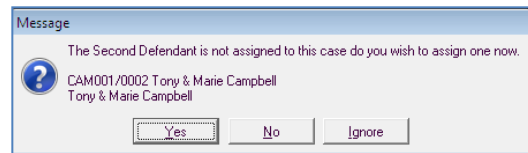
Example 3: Letter to Lending Institution – Where there is only one lending institution and it's already present in the case associates.

In the following example the case associate is a Lending Institution and the document being processed is a letter to Lending Institution. The template document has been setup to insert information on the first lending institution.

1. Word opens automatically displaying a letter to lending institution the information regarding the case and case associate i.e. the lending institution is inserted automatically. No information is requested as it is already been added to the case associates.
2. **Edit** the document in Word as normal if required.
3. **Save** any changes and **Print** as required.
4. The action/task and document will then be present in the Keyhouse Case Diary for future review.

Example 4: Warning Letter – Where the precedent document has been set up to ask for information specifically on the 2nd Defendant.

1. The following message box has appeared requesting the user to add a **Second Defendant** to the case.



To add a Second Defendant click **Yes** and add the case associate as normal then select and add them to the case. (See the previous examples for further information)

Or

Click **No** if you do not have the information at this time and want to be asked again in the future. In this case any future actions/tasks generated will pause and request this information again.

Or


Click **Ignore** if you do not have a second defendant on this case and do not want to add one in the future. In this case all future actions/tasks generated will not request this information.

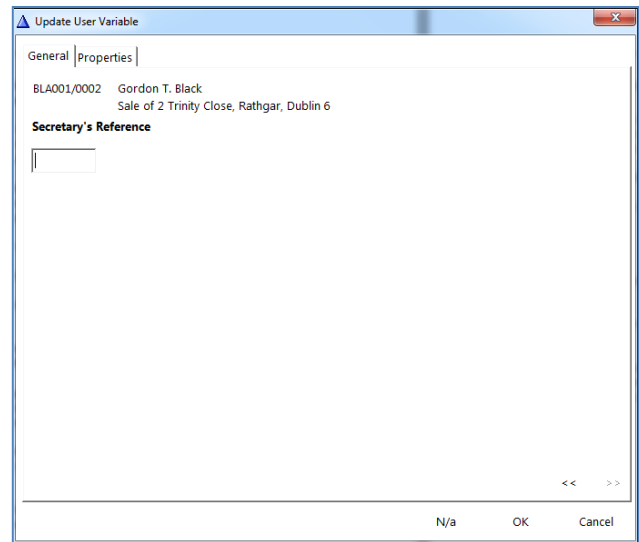
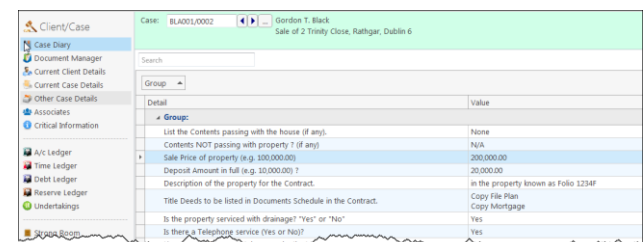
2. Word opens automatically displaying the warning letter the information regarding the case and case associate is inserted.
3. **Edit, Save** and **Print** in Word as normal.
4. The action/task and document will then be present in the Case Diary for future review.

Answering UDF Questions

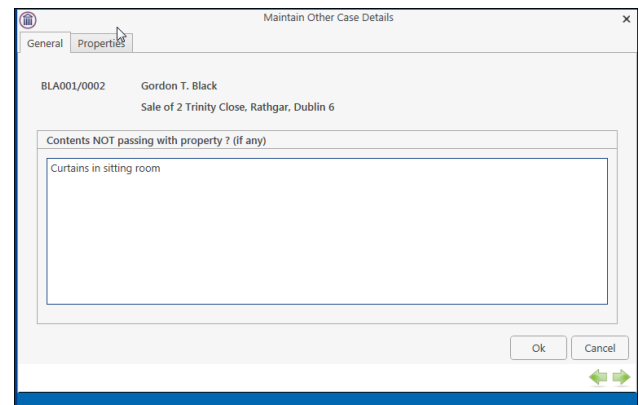
When generating a document, a user will often be asked specific questions pertaining to that document. For example a prompt might ask the user what is the purchase price of the property.

Example of UDF Question: Sale Price of Property

1. **Input** the answer in the input box provided.
 2. Click **OK**.
 3. If the question is not applicable click **N/A**.
 4. The answer is then inserted in the Word document.
 5. The answer will be stored in the **other case details screen**.
 6. To amend click on the other case details shortcut  **Other Case Details** available on the case diary navigation panel. The following screen will appear.
- To edit **Double click** on an item, make your amendments and click **Ok** to save them. The next time any document containing this field is generated, it will include the amended answer.





| Detail | Value |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| Group | |
| List the Contents passing with the house (if any). | None |
| Contents NOT passing with property? (if any) | N/A |
| Sale Price of property (e.g. 100,000.00)? | 200,000.00 |
| Deposit Amount in full (e.g. 10,000.00)? | 20,000.00 |
| Description of the property for the Contract. | in the property known as Folio 1234F |
| Title Deeds to be listed in Documents Schedule in the Contract. | Copy File Plan Copy Mortgage |
| Is the property serviced with drainage? "Yes" or "No"? | Yes |
| Is there a Telephone service (Yes or No)? | Yes |






Working with Documents already Processed


Marking a Task as Complete

Tasks after being generated  should be marked as complete to reflect this. Otherwise the task will appear incomplete in your to-do list, the case diary and case diary reports. When a task is marked complete, follow-up actions may be inserted in the case diary. The Case Diary lists outstanding and completed tasks in date order reflecting the progress of the case.

1. **Click** on the Task in the Case Diary.

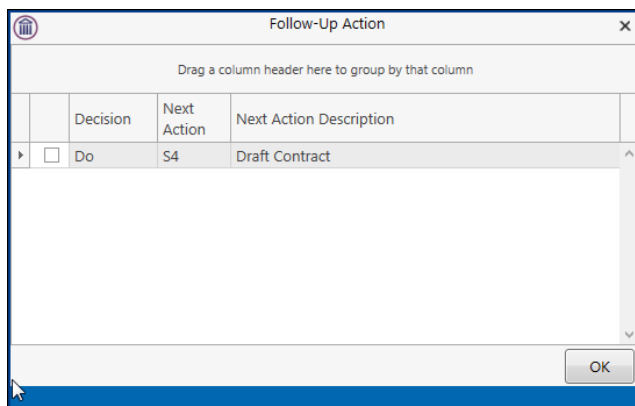
2. Click on **Complete Action**  available on the Home tab of the Ribbon. A tick on a green disc will be shown beside the task/action, indicating that it is complete.

| | | | | | | |
|---|--|---|-------------|-------|----|-------------------------|
|  | |  | 24 Apr 2010 | 13:55 | BS | Letter to Land Registry |
|---|--|---|-------------|-------|----|-------------------------|

 **Note:** The owner of the task is the only person who can mark the task as complete. This allows you to assign a task to another handler but ensures you have ultimate control over it.


If you mark an action as complete any precedents which have not yet been generated will automatically generate.

3. A Follow-up action is the next task that needs be processed in this case. This is setup by the administrator when the case plan is created. Any follow-up actions setup to be **“automatically processed”** will be inserted in the case diary automatically.



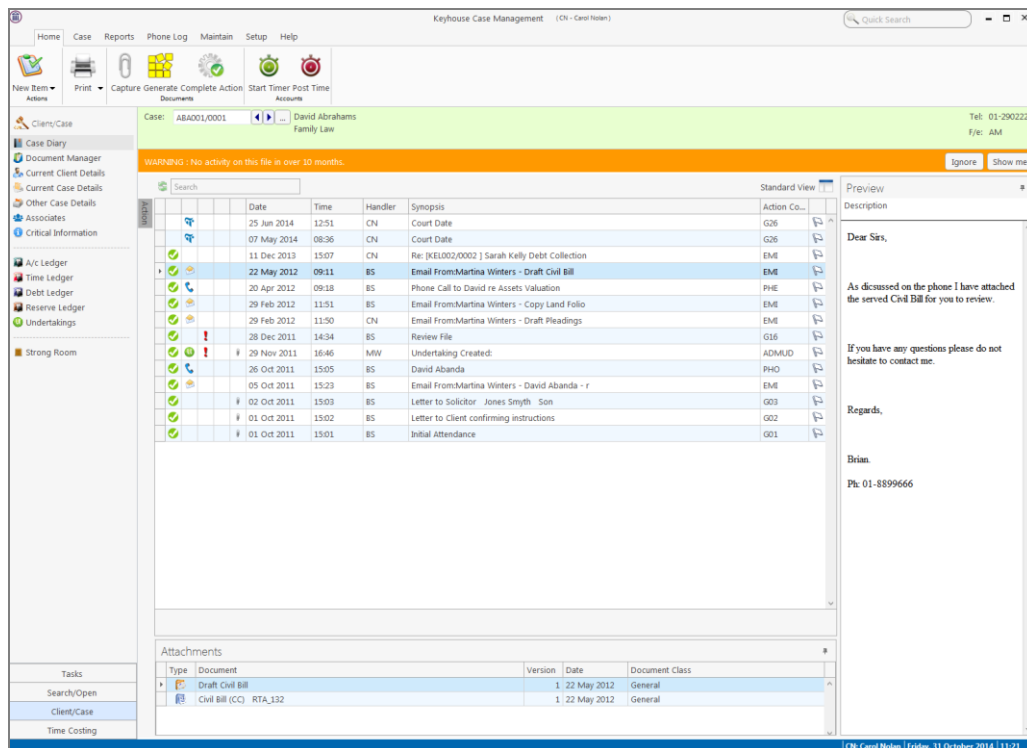
Or

If the follow-up action has been setup to **“ask the user which action to process”** the user will be given a choice to insert in the case diary. The following dialogue box appears **tick the next task** and click **OK**. The task/s will appear in the case diary.


 **Note:** The setup of this section is controlled by your administrator contact him/her regarding setup and timelines.

Opening Documents Generated

1. In the case diary click on the **task** containing the documents. See the following example

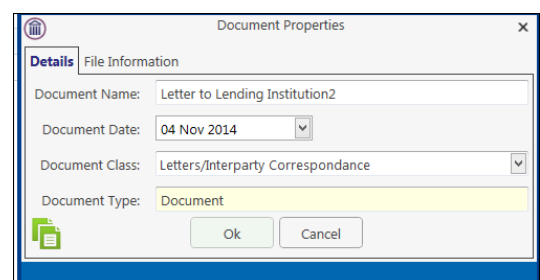
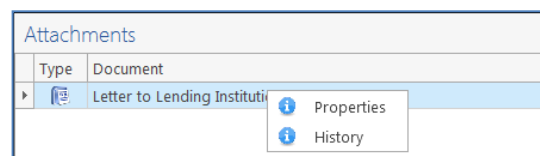


2. **Double Click** on the document in the attachment window. Word will launch and open the document.

 Tip to preview a precedent document click on **search/open** on the navigation bar. Then click on **template library** then search for the precedent required. See the chapter on Search and Open for further details.

Changing the Name and Class of a Generated Document

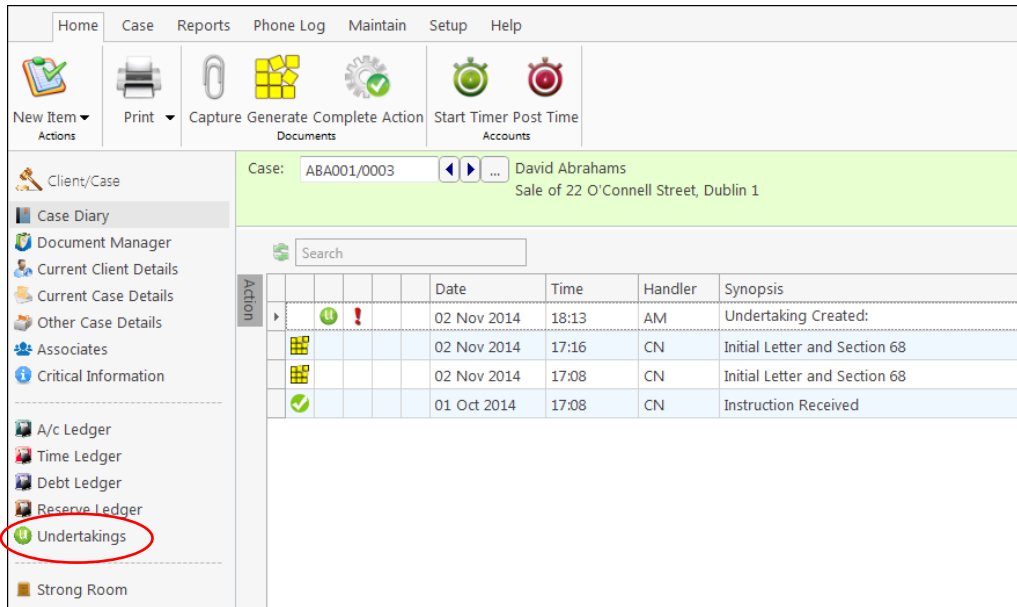
1. From the Attachment pane in the case diary. **Right Click** on the **Document**; the following menu will appear.
2. **Click on** properties and the following dialogue box will appear.
3. **Amend** the document name and class as required.
4. Click **OK** when complete.
5. A **message** will appear asking you to confirm the update, click **Yes** to confirm.



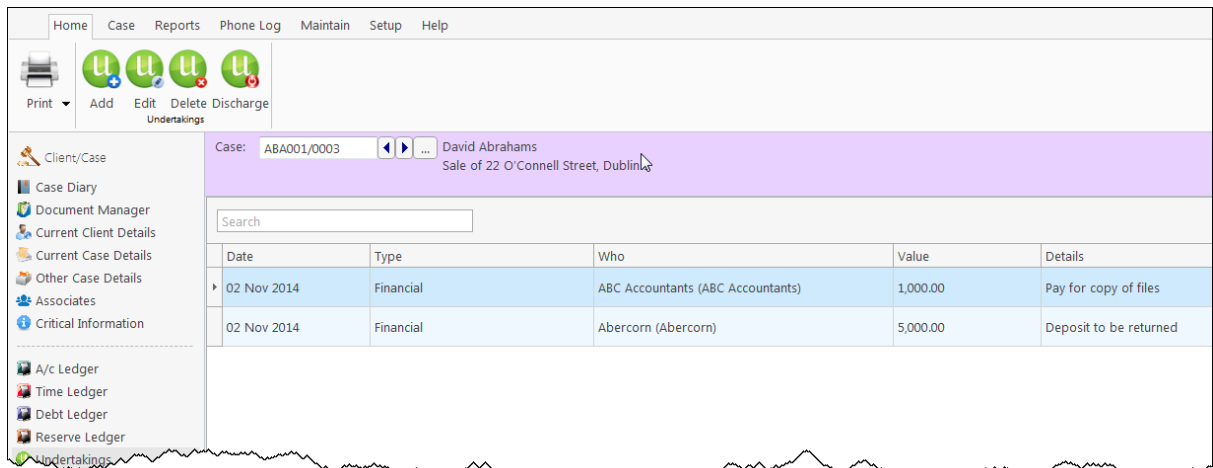
Undertakings

Viewing Undertakings

1. Open a case in the Case Diary.
2. Click on **Undertakings** (circled in blue below) to see all undertakings on this case.



3. Any Undertakings in the case will be displayed.




4. Double click on an entry to edit it or select the entry and click on the edit tool on the Home tab.

Adding and Viewing an Undertaking

1. Go to the Undertaking screen.
2. Click on the Add tool on the Home tab and the following screen will appear:
3. **Input** the following Information

Comment to Ledger: Using the tick box provided tick if you want a comment added to the ledger

Date This is actual date of the undertaking. Click the  **button** to select a date from the calendar.

Diary Warning Date This is the date the Undertaking Action will appear on the Fee Earners Task List as a To Do Item. This will default to a system warning date to amend click on the **down arrow** to view a calendar and select a date.

Type Check the appropriate button for the type of undertaking i.e. **Financial** or **Documents**.

Given or Received Select whether the undertaking has been **given** by you or **received** by you.

Commercial Select whether the undertaking is **commercial** or **non-commercial**

Authorised by FE Click on the down arrow to select the relevant Fee Earner against the undertaking.

Undertaking to Click on the down arrow to select the relevant Case to whom the undertaking is been given or received.

Who This will default to the selected case associate.

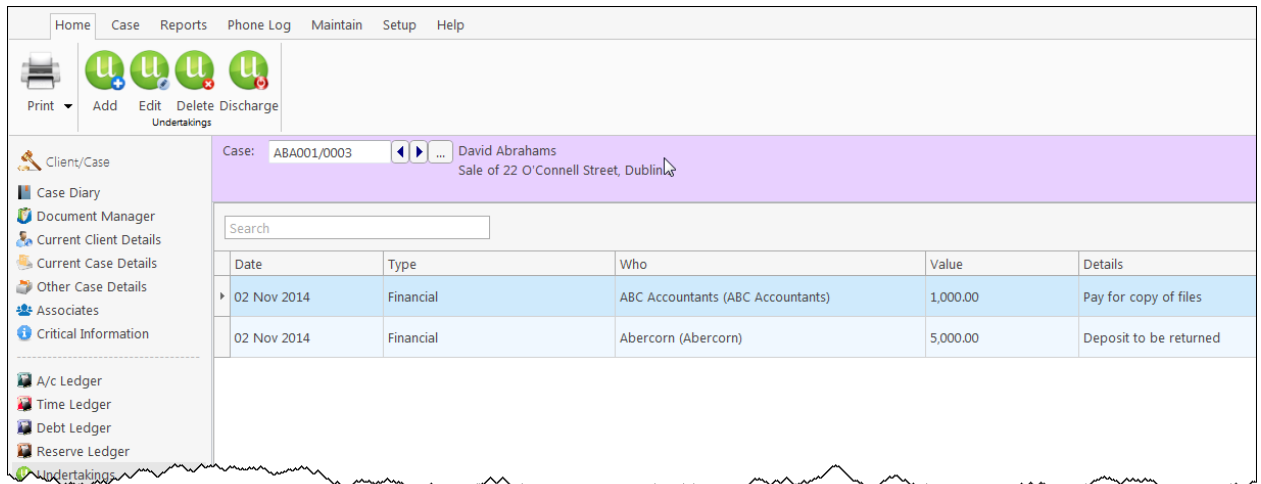
Details **Input** a description of this undertaking.

Value **Input** the amount the undertaking is for.

Status Click on the down arrow and select the required status.

Dealing Number **Input** the dealing number

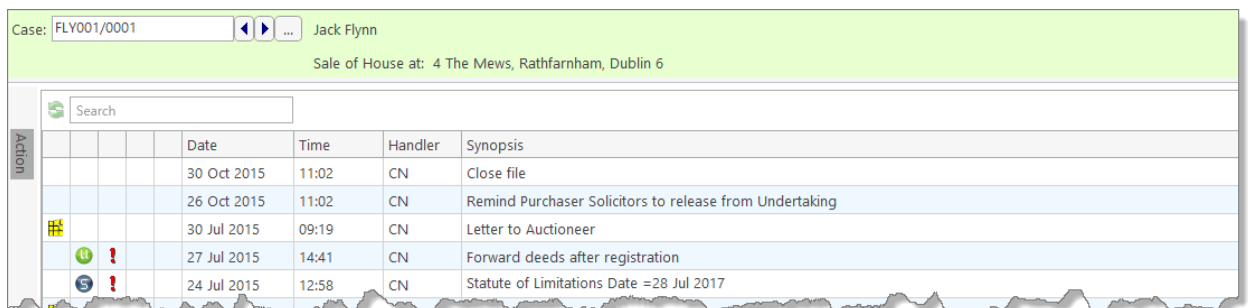
4. Click **OK** to save the undertaking will now be visible in the undertaking screen.



AND

Inserted as a **task** in the case diary assigned to the selected fee earned dated with the warning date set.

All Undertakings can be clearly identified by the Undertaking symbol

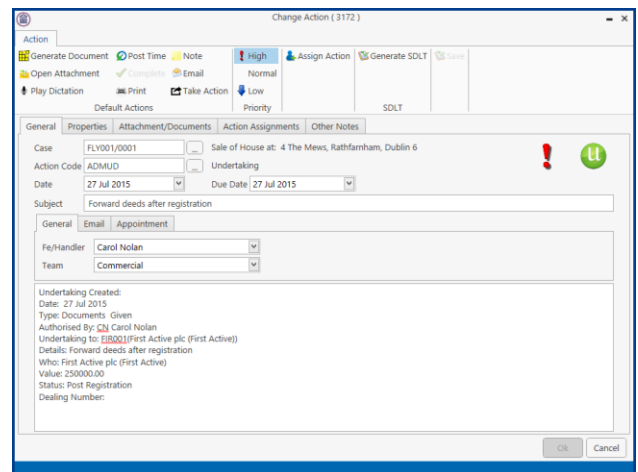


5. To view the Undertaking details **double click** the task the following Change Action dialogue box will appear.

6. Click **OK** to close.



Tip: To edit go to the Undertaking screen. Then double click the required undertaking, amend and click OK.



How to Edit an Undertaking

1. Go to the Undertaking screen.
2. **Double Click** on the undertaking to be amended. The following dialogue box will appear.
3. **Amend** as required.
4. Click on the **Extra Notes tab** to add additional information and/or click on the **Undertaking log** to view the history of the undertaking.
5. Click **OK** to save the changes.

How to Discharge an Undertaking

1. Go to the Undertaking screen.
2. **Right Click** on the undertaking to be discharged; a menu will appear as seen below

| Date | Type | Who | Value | Details |
|-------------|-----------|---------------------------------|------------|----------------------------------|
| 30 Oct 2015 | Documents | Dublin County Registrar | 100.00 | Register owner of property |
| 27 Jul 2015 | Documents | First Active plc (First Active) | 250,000.00 | Forward deeds after registration |

3. Click on the **Discharge**; the following dialogue box will appear displaying the undertaking.
4. **Input** a description in the discharge description box.
5. Click **OK** you will then return to the undertaking screen where the undertaking will have a discharge date lodged against.

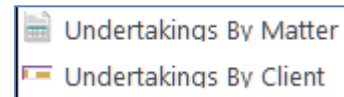
Note It cannot be edited beyond this point.

Note: Not all users will have permissions to discharge an undertaking.



Undertaking Reports

Undertakings by Matter



1. Click on **Print** on the Home tab to bring up a menu with two options:
2. Click on **Undertakings by Matter** the following screen will appear.


Set the Parameters by:




Selecting a date

the current matter number will appear by default; change if required.

Input All, Not Discharged or Discharged.

3. Click on **Run** the following report will appear.

4. Click on print  or click on one of the following options available on the report toolbar:

- Click on Doc  to open a copy to Word
- Click on PDF  to open in Adobe.
- Click on XLS  to open a copy in Excel.

| SI | Matter | DISBURSEMENT Date | Type | Auth By | DISBURSE Amount | Classification | Status | FINANCE |
|--|-------------|-------------------|----------|---------|-----------------|----------------|--------|-----------------------------|
| FLY001 | Jack Flynn | 20150727 | Document | CK | | Open | | 250,000.00 |
| CK | FLY001/0001 | 20150727 | Document | CK | | Open | | 250,000.00 |
| Date of Report at: 4:16:56 PM, 27 Jul 2015 | | | | | | | | From: 20150727 To: 20150727 |
| Financial Value after registration | | | | | | | | 250,000.00 |
| Total Count of Undertakings: | | | | | | | | 1 |

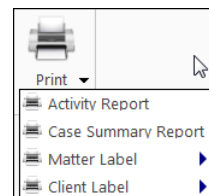
How to view Critical Information and Print Reports

1. **Open** the required case in the Case Diary
2. Click on **Critical Information** on the **Navigation** panel. The following screen will appear displaying critical Information.

The screenshot shows the 'Critical Information' view for case BLA001/0001. The main content area is divided into several sections:

- Account Summary:** A table showing financial details such as Debtors A/c (147.35), Outlay A/c (3,336.61), and Total Work In Progress (3,559.17).
- Action Summary:** A table with columns for Start Date, File Colour, Solicitor, and Statute Date.
- Case Status:** A table with columns for Who, Date, and Description, showing the last action and next action.
- Undertakings:** A table with columns for Description, Value, Who, and Given/Received, listing items like Title deeds and overdraft.
- Work in Progress:** A table showing progress for individuals like Stephen Keogh, Martina Winters, and Brian Sweeney.
- Activity:** A table showing time spent on various tasks like Document Drafting, Advice, and Court Attendance.

3. To **Print** a report click on **Print** on the toolbar the following option will appear.
4. **Click** on the **Report** required



For Activity Report Click on Activity Report
 The current case code will appear; **amend** if required
Set the **date** parameters
Tick the items you want included e.g. Emails, attachments etc.
 Click **Run**

Summary Report Click on Case Summary Report
 The current case code will appear **amend** if required.
 Then click **Run**.

Print Labels Click on Matter Label or Client label as required

Other Case Diary Functions

See the following Chapters for information on the following functions available in the Case Diary:

- Chapter 6 for the Keyhouse Capture
- Chapter 7 for the template Library
- Chapter 8 for the Conflict Search
- Chapter 9 for the Strong Room
- Chapter 10 for Time Recording
- Chapter 11 for Accounts
- Chapter 12 for the Debt Ledger
- Chapter 13 for the Reserve Ledger

Chapter 5: The Task Manager

When you log in to the new version of the Keyhouse Desktop you can choose to login directly to the Task Manager (see the chapter 1 for further information). The primary function of the Task Manager is to act as a To-Do list displaying all tasks outstanding. It defaults to overdue tasks but you can navigate to specific dates. Each task will show the date of the task, the matter description, the client name and a description of the task itself.


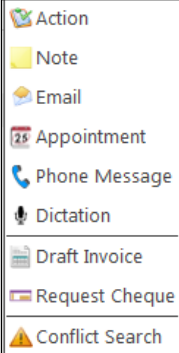













Navigating the Task List

The Task Screen

The screenshot shows the Keyhouse Task Manager interface. At the top is a navigation menu with 'Home', 'Case', 'Reports', 'Phone Log', and 'Matters'. Below this is a 'Toolbar' with icons for 'New Item', 'Print', 'Capture', 'Generate', 'Complete', and 'Action'. A 'Search Box' is located below the toolbar. On the left side, there is a 'Task views' sidebar with options like 'My tasks', 'Team tasks', 'Day's tasks', 'Next week's tasks', 'Next month's tasks', 'Overdue tasks', 'Outstanding tasks', 'Last week's tasks', 'Last month's tasks', 'All tasks', and 'My Overview'. The main area is a 'Task list' table with columns: Date, Time, Case Code, Handler, Team, From, Client/Case/Matter, Action, and Diary Date. On the right side, there is a 'Document Preview Pane' showing a document titled 'Letter to Lending Institution' with a header table and a 'Dear Sir' salutation.

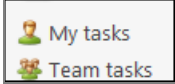
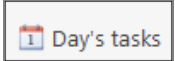


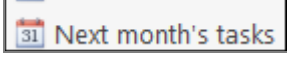
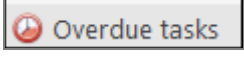

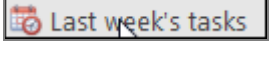
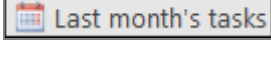
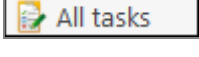
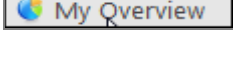
| Date | Time | Case Code | Handler | Team | From | Client/Case/Matter | Action | Diary Date |
|-------------|-------|-------------|---------|------|------|--|-------------------------------|-------------|
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| 04 Nov 2014 | 19:09 | GLE001/0001 | CN | COM | CN | Charlie Gleeson Lease of South West Georges Street | Letter to Solicitor | 04 Nov 2... |
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The Home tab in Task Manager

| | | | |
|---|--------------------|--|--|
|  <p>New Item Actions</p> | New | Click on the New to add any of these tasks. |  <ul style="list-style-type: none">  Action  Note  Email  Appointment  Phone Message  Dictation  Draft Invoice  Request Cheque  Conflict Search |
|  <p>Print</p> | Printer | Click to print a reports on your task list. | |
|  <p>Capture</p> | Capture | Click on capture to launch the document capture program to import documents or folders of documents or images. | |
|  <p>Generate</p> | Generate | Click to generate a document for a selected action. | |
|  <p>Complete Action</p> | Complete Action | Click to mark a task as complete. | |

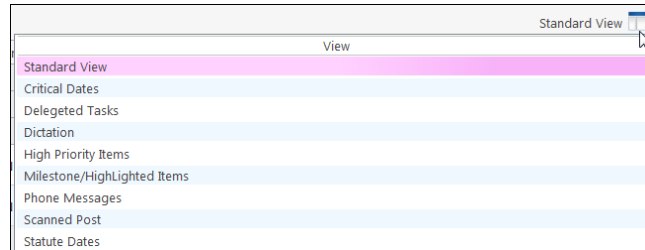
Task Views

The Keyhouse Desktop will automatically open on Overdue Tasks. The user may choose to navigate to any of the following lists displayed on the shortcut bar on the left.



| | |
|---|---|
|  | Click on My tasks to view the current handler's tasks or click on team tasks to view the team tasks |
|  | Click on this to view today's tasks. |
|  | Select a range of dates. |
|  | Click to view next week's tasks. |
|  | Click to view next month's tasks |
|  | Click to view Overdue tasks |
|  | Click to view outstanding tasks i.e. past, present or future. |
|  | Click to view Last Week's outstanding tasks. |
|  | Click to view Last Month's outstanding tasks. |
|  | All Tasks shows all outstanding tasks |
|  | Click to view the overview screen. |

Using Different Layouts/Views

1. Click on **View** tool on the far right of the search bar. A list of available views will appear.
2. Click on the required view to apply it to the task manager.



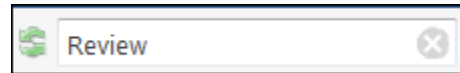
How to Show/Hide the Preview Pane

1. Move your mouse over **Preview** located to the right of the Task Manager Screen the document preview pane will appear
2. The Preview Pane will appear.
3. Click on the Pin  to make it permanently visible or click on the Pin  again to return it to floating.

Searching, Sorting, Filtering and Grouping Tasks


How to Search the Task list

1. **Input** key search words in the **Search box**. There is no need to press Enter, as the results will update as you type.



2. The results will appear in the task screen. See the following example of a search for “review” in the task list.

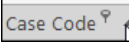
| Handler: Carol Nolan OutStanding Only | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|-------------|-------|-------------|---------|------|------|---|----------------------|-------------|---------------|
| Review | | | | | | | | | | | Standard View |
| | | Date | Time | Case Code | Handler | Team | From | Client/Case(Matter) | Action | Diary Date | |
| | ! | 04 Nov 2014 | 19:31 | GLE001/0001 | CN | COM | CN | Charlie Gleeson Lease of South West Georges Str... | Review File | 04 Nov 2014 | |
| | ! | 04 Nov 2014 | 18:16 | BLA001/0002 | CN | COM | CN | Gordon T. Black Sale of 2 Trinity Close, Rathgar, D... | Review File | 04 Nov 2014 | |
| | ! | 04 Nov 2014 | 18:15 | BLA001/0002 | CN | COM | CN | Gordon T. Black Sale of 2 Trinity Close, Rathgar, D... | Review File | 04 Nov 2014 | |
| | ! | 28 May 2014 | 08:36 | BLA001/0001 | CN | COM | CN | Gordon T. Black RTA Walkinstown Crossroads, G... | Review all contracts | 28 May 2014 | |
| | ! | 07 May 2014 | 11:49 | KEL002/0001 | CN | COM | CN | Sarah Kelly Purchase of Property | Review File | 07 May 2014 | |
| | | 07 May 2014 | 11:35 | OCC001/0001 | CN | COM | CN | John O'Connor John O'Connor V John Smith | File Review | 07 May 2014 | |
| | ! | 26 Dec 2013 | 12:04 | KEL002/0001 | CN | COM | CN | Sarah Kelly Purchase of Property | Review File | 26 Dec 2013 | |
| | ! | 19 Dec 2013 | 14:52 | | | | | Melinda FitzGerald | Review | 19 Dec 2013 | |

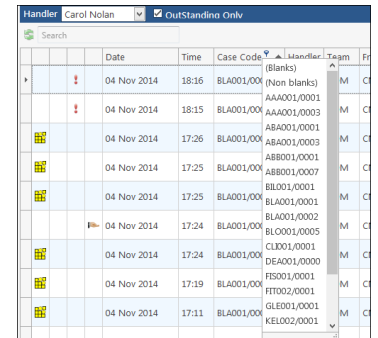
3. To clear the search results click **Clear**. 

How to Sort Column Headings in the Task Manager

1. Click on the required **column heading** to sort by that column.
2. Click on the column again to reverse the order.

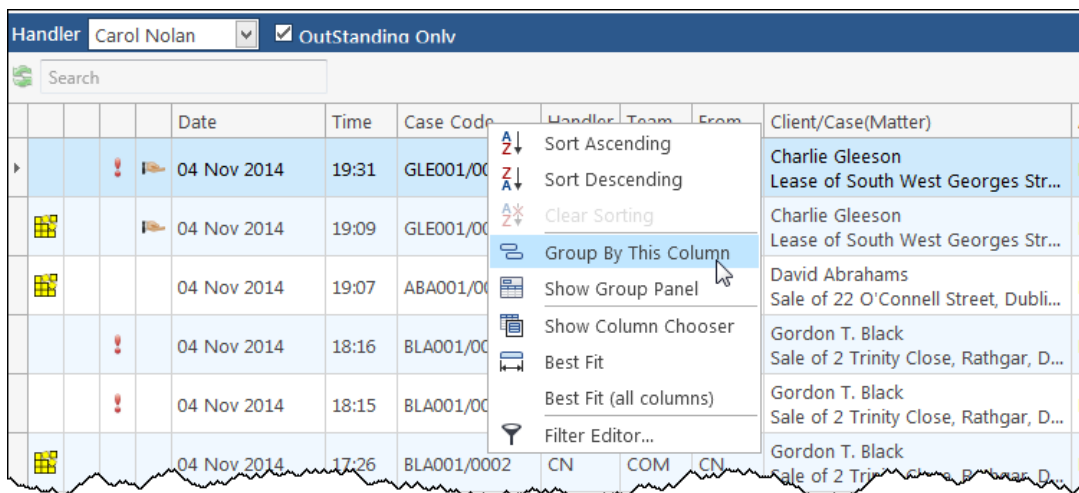
How to Filter the Task Manager

1. Move your mouse to the required column heading.
2. To view a list of filter categories  click on the pin and select the required category. See the following example



How to Group by a column heading in the Task Manager

1. **Right click** on the column you want to group by; the following menu will appear.

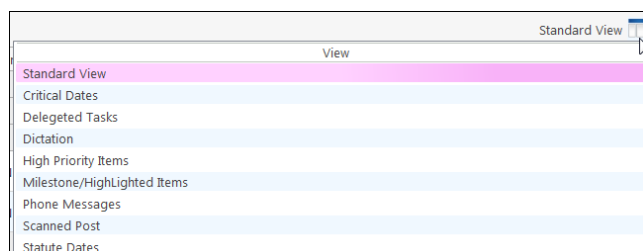


2. Click on **Group By This column**. See the following example of a grouping by fee earner

| | Date | Time | Case Code | Handler | Team | From | Client/Case(Matter) | Action |
|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------|---------|------|------|---------------------------|------------|
| ▶ Case Code: AAA001/0001 | | | | | | | | |
| ▶ Case Code: AAA001/0003 | | | | | | | | |
| ▲ Case Code: ABA001/0001 | | | | | | | | |
| | 25 Jun 2014 | 12:51 | ABA001/0001 | CN | COM | CN | David Abrahams Family Law | Court Date |
| | 07 May 2014 | 08:36 | ABA001/0001 | CN | COM | CN | David Abrahams Family Law | Court Date |
| ▶ Case Code: ABA001/0003 | | | | | | | | |

3. To expand/collapse a group click on the **arrow** to the left. See the following example.

4. To return to the standard view click on the view tool located on the search bar. The following menu will appear click on standard



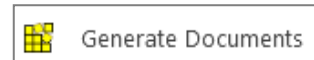
Working with Tasks

Accessing a Case Diary from the Task List

Double click a task to open the **case diary screen** of the case to which the task belongs.

How to Generate Documents

1. **Right click** on the task you want to generate, and select **Generate Documents** from the pop-up menu.



2. The documents will be generated in the normal way. For further information see the section on generating documents in Chapter 4.

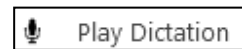
How to View the Documents of a Task


1. **Right click** on a task and select **Open Document** from the pop-up menu.
2. The documents will open in Word.



How to play a dictation

Right click on the task with the dictation you want to hear and select Play Dictation from the pop-up menu.




 **Note:** This requires that Keyhouse Digital Dictation be installed.

How to Mark a Single task as Complete

Right click on the task you want to mark as complete and select Complete Action from the pop-up menu



 **Note** if there are any documents which have not yet been generated attached to the task, they will be generated when you complete the action.

How to Tag Several Tasks and Mark as Complete

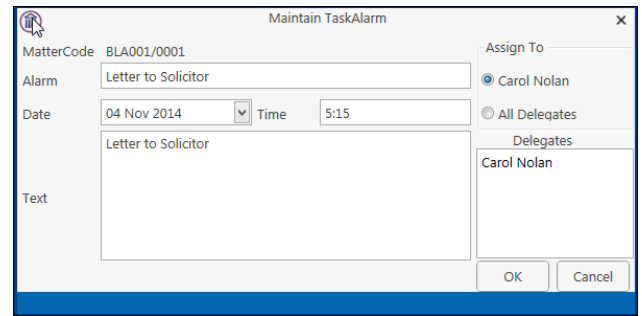
1. Hold down the **Ctrl** key and click multiple tasks to select them.
2. **Right click** and select Complete Action from the pop-up menu.


How to Alarm an Action/Case

1. **Right click** on the task you want to alarm and select **Alarm Action** from the pop-up menu. The following screen will appear.



- Using the drop down arrow set a **Date**
- Input a Time for the alarm.
- Assign it to yourself or all delegates.
- Click **OK**.

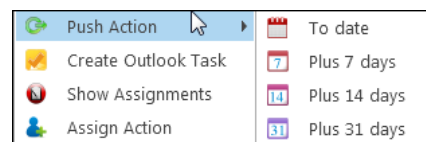


 **Tip:** To Alarm a case click on **Alarm Case** from the menu.



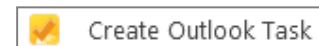
How to Push a Task

- Right click** on a task and select **Push Action** from the pop-up menu
- The task may be pushed back 7, 14 or 31 days or to a specified date selected from the calendar.



How to Create a Outlook Task

- Right click** on a task and select Create Outlook Task from the pop-up menu.
- A task will be created in your Outlook task list which you may edit as required.



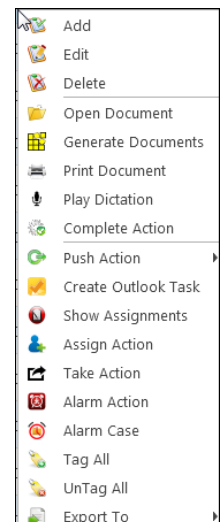
How to Tag All Tasks

It is possible to **Tag** (or select) all the actions in your task list so that you can mark them as Complete, Generate Documents, View Documents or Print Documents.

- Right click** in the task list, to see the pop-up menu.
- Click on **Tag All**.
- Right click** again in the task list to bring up the menu again.
- Click on the required function e.g. **Complete Action**.

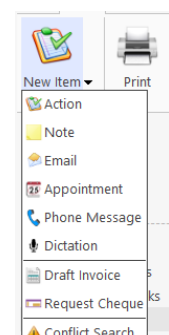


 **Tip:** To UnTag right click and click on **UnTag All**,





How to Add a New Item

- Click** on New Item on the Home tab. The following options will appear.
- Click on required item eg. Note. The following window will appear.



3. Enter the following details:

Case The current case code will appear; to select a different case, click the  **button** to see the matter list. Select the required case.

Action Code Click on the  **button** to see a list of actions, and select the required task.

Date Click the down arrow and select a date from the calendar.

Due Date Click the down arrow and select a due date from the calendar.

Subject Input a subject

F/e Handler This will default to your handler code; use the down arrow to select a different handler if required.

Team The team will default to your team amend if required using the down arrow.

Description Input a description in the box provided.

4. Click **OK** to save the changes.

How to Edit a Task

1. **Right click** on the task to be amended and select **Edit** from the pop-up menu.
2. The action will open for editing.

The screenshot shows a software window titled "Letter to Solicitor (1964)". At the top, there is a "Default Actions" toolbar with icons for "Generate Document", "Post Time", "Note", "Assign Action", "Save", "Open Attachment", "Complete", "Email", "Play Dictation", "Print", and "Take Action". Below the toolbar are several tabs: "General", "Properties", "Attachment/Documents", "Action Assignments", and "Other Notes". The "General" tab is selected and contains the following fields:

- Case: GLE001/0001
- Action Code: G03
- Date: 04 Nov 2014
- Due Date: 14 Nov 2014
- Subject: Letter to Solicitor

Below these fields are two more dropdown menus:

- F/e Handler: Carol Nolan
- Team: Commercial

At the bottom of the window, there is a text area containing the text "Letter to Solicitor" and two buttons: "Ok" and "Cancel".

3. Amend as required and click **OK**.

How to Delete Tasks

1. **Right click** on the task to be deleted and select **Delete** from the pop-up menu.
2. Click **Yes** to confirm that you wish to delete the task.

 **Note:** This will delete the action completely from the Case Diary of the matter.

Assigning Tasks

How to Recognise Assigned Tasks

If another handler assigns you a task it will appear in your Task List. It will have a hand symbol next to the task to notify to you that it is an assigned task, as in the example below



| | Date | Time | Case Code | Handler | Team | From | Client/Case(Matter) | Action |
|--|-------------|-------|-------------|---------|------|------|---|-------------|
| | 04 Nov 2014 | 19:31 | GLE001/0001 | CN | COM | CN | Charlie Gleeson Lease of South West Georges Str... | Review File |

Note If you are assigned a task, generate and complete the task as normal. For further details see **Chapter 4: Case Diary - Working with Tasks - Assigning Tasks to another User.**

How to View the Assignment History of a Task

1. **Right click** on a task and select **Show assignments** from the pop-up menu.
2. The following screen will appear displaying the history of the task.

| By | Action | For | Date Assigned | Time Assigned | Date Returned | Time Returned | Assigned By | Returned By | Delegat |
|-----------------|-----------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|---------|
| Carol Nolan(CN) | Delegated | Brian Sweeney(BS) | 23 Jul 2015 | 15:22 | | | CN | | CN |
| Carol Nolan(CN) | Processed | Carol Nolan(CN) | 23 Jul 2015 | 09:52 | 23 Jul 2015 | 09:52 | CN | CN | CN |
| Carol Nolan(CN) | Created | Carol Nolan(CN) | 23 Jul 2015 | 09:52 | | | CN | | CN |

How to Assign a Task to Another Handler

1. **Right click** on a task and select **Assign Action** from the pop-up menu. The following screen will appear listing all resources.
2. **Select** the resource you want to assign the task to.
3. Check the box marked **Release Action** to remove the task completely from your task list. Alternatively to continue to **own** the task, leave **Release Action** unchecked.

Note If you are the owner of the task and do not release it, you will see this symbol next to the task when the assigned user has "completed" it.

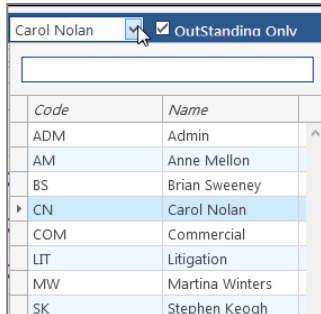
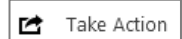
| Code | Name | Number of Due Tasks | Team |
|------|-----------------|---------------------|------|
| ADM | Admin | | LIT |
| AM | Anne Mellon | 5 | COM |
| BS | Brian Sweeney | 8 | COM |
| COM | Commercial | | COM |
| LIT | Litigation | | LIT |
| MW | Martina Winters | 1 | LIT |
| SK | Stephen Keogh | 2 | COM |

Release Action Ok Cancel

Only the owner of the task can mark the task as complete in the case diary.

How to take a Task

1. Go to another users Task list by clicking the down arrow next to your user name at the top of the Task List and selecting the other user.
2. **Right click** on a task in the other user's list and select **Take Action** from the pop-up menu. The task will be removed from this user's task list.



3. Return to your task list by selecting yourself from the list of users. The task will be in your task list.

Task List Options

Print your task list

1. Click on **Print** on the Home tab. The following window will appear

 A screenshot of a dialog box titled "Handler Diary Report". Below the title bar is a section labeled "Enter Parameters". It contains several fields:

- Handler Code: A dropdown menu with "CN" selected.
- From Date: A date field showing "27 Jun 2015" with a calendar icon.
- To Date: A date field showing "27 Jul 2015" with a calendar icon.
- Status: A dropdown menu with "Incomplete" selected.
- Action Type: A dropdown menu with "All" selected.
- Sort Report By: A dropdown menu with "Priority" selected.
- Exclude Email Actions: A checked checkbox.
- Exclude Phone Call Actions: A checked checkbox.
- Exclude Notes and reminders: A checked checkbox.
- Client Code (Blank for All): A dropdown menu.

 At the bottom right of the dialog are two buttons: "Run" (with a green play icon) and "Close" (with a red X icon).

Include Closed

Check to include closed items

Select the handler

It will default to the current handler; select another if required using the down arrow.

Select the status

It will default to Outstanding; use the down arrow to change to All or Complete, if required.


From Date

Using the calendar to select the start date

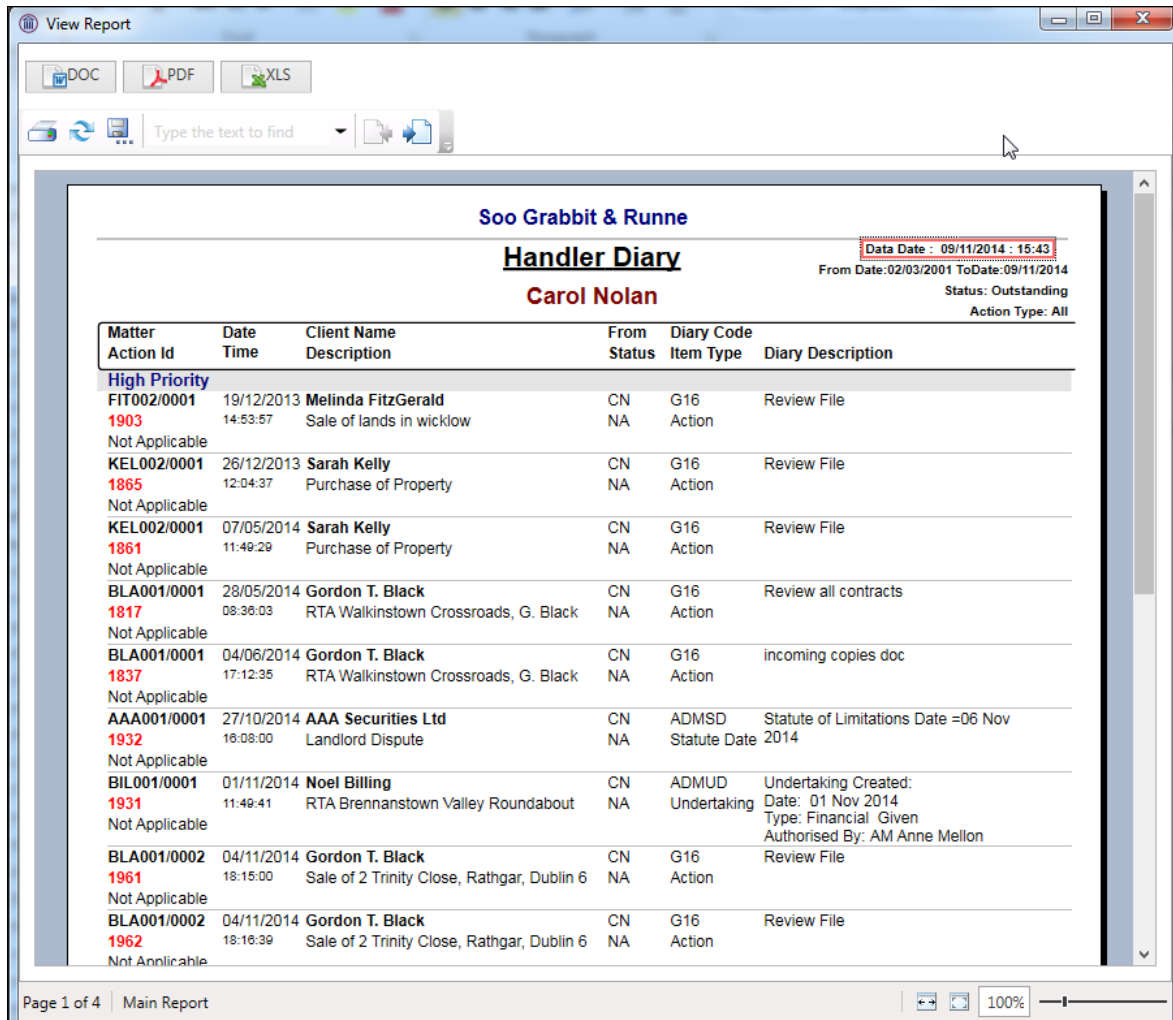
To Date



Using the calendar to select the end date

- Action Type This will default to All; to narrow the criteria select the action type using the down arrow.
- Select the field to sort by Using the down arrow select the required field
- Exclude emails Check to exclude emails
- Exclude phone calls Check to exclude phone calls
- Exclude Notes or reminders Check to exclude notes and reminders or exclude.

2. Click on **Run** to generate a report. 

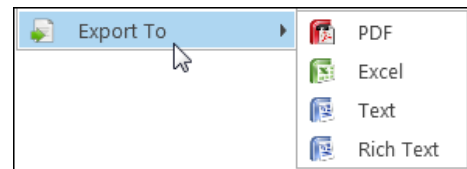
3. You may print the report  or open a copy in:



-  Word;
-  Adobe; or
-  Excel.

How to Export a copy of your task list

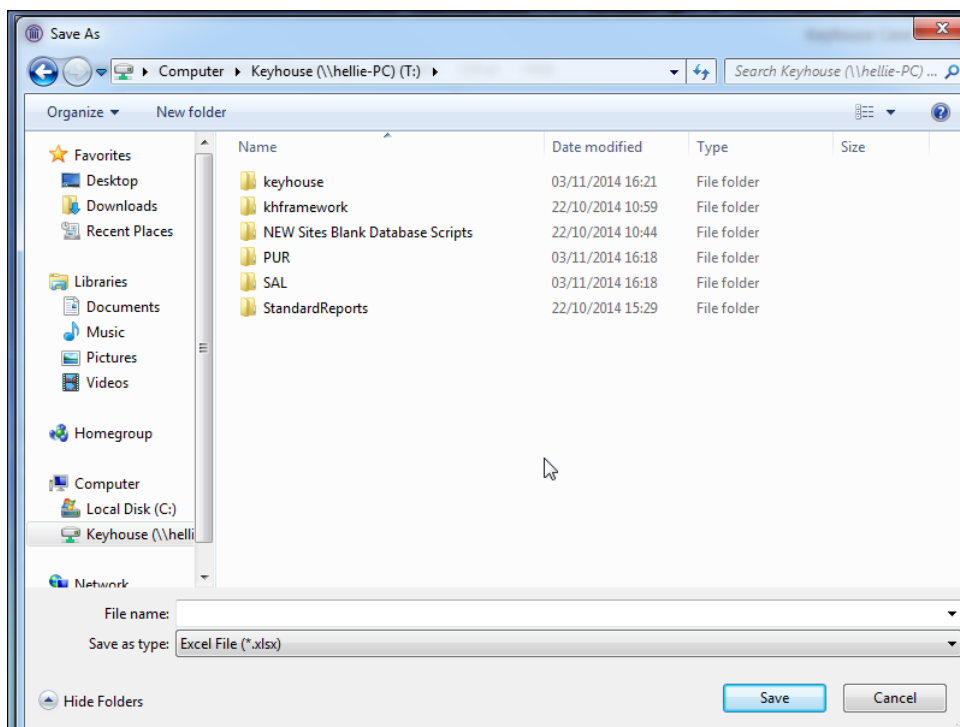
1. **Right click** in your task list and select **Export To** from the pop-up menu.



2. Select the desired option:

- **PDF:** Adobe Portable Document Format.
- **Excel:** An Excel spreadsheet.
- **Text:** A plain text file.
- **Rich Text:** A Rich Text Format (**RTF**) document. RTF documents can be read by most word processors, including Word

3. The Windows **Save As** dialogue box will appear, with the chosen file type selected. Name the file and choose a location in which to save it.



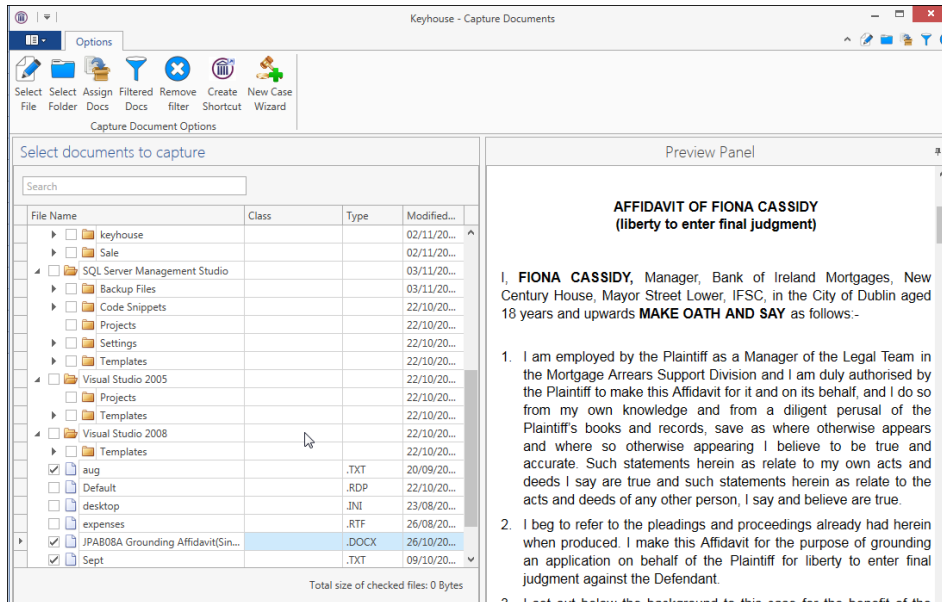
4. Click **Save**.

5. Open the file via **Windows Explorer** or via the open tool in the program chosen.

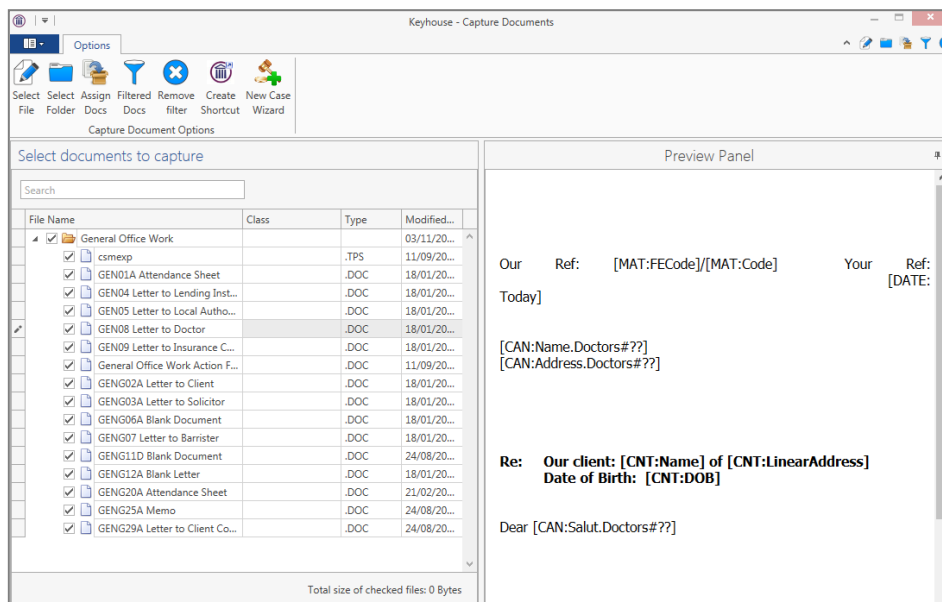
Chapter 6: Keyhouse Capture

How to Capture a Folder

1. Click **Capture** on the Home tab in either the Case Diary or Task List. The following screen will appear.
2. Click **Select Folder**. The **Capture Documents** screen will appear.




3. Browse and locate the folder.
4. Select the folder to be imported and click OK.
5. The following screen will appear listing the folder contents.



**Tip: To filter a column heading:**

- Move your cursor over the column heading a pin will appear.
- Click on the **Pin** for a list of filters available.
- Select the required filter.
- Click **Remove filter** on the Options tab to display all documents.

**Tip: To exclude a file remove the tick.**

To view the contents of a file click on the view button  to the right of the tick box.

- To capture the folder into a new case, use the **New Case Wizard** on the Options tab to set up the case first. For further information on how to create a new case see Chapter 3.
- Click **Assign Docs** to assign the documents in the folder to a Case, Handler and Action. The following screen will appear.



- | | |
|------------------|--|
| Case | The Case will default to the current case. To select a different case, click the browse button; this will bring up a matter list. Select the required case. |
| Handler | The Handler will default to the current handler; select an alternative from the drop-down list, if required. |
| Action | Click the browse button for a list of incoming actions will appear. Select the required action. |
| Description | Input a description in the Description box; if you leave this blank the document name will become the description. |
| Capture Settings | Check the boxes as appropriate to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● delete the Captured documents from original location; ● import documents to a single action (the alternative is that each document will get its individual action in the case diary); ● mark as complete the action into which the document is to be captured; ● mark the document as having been generated. |

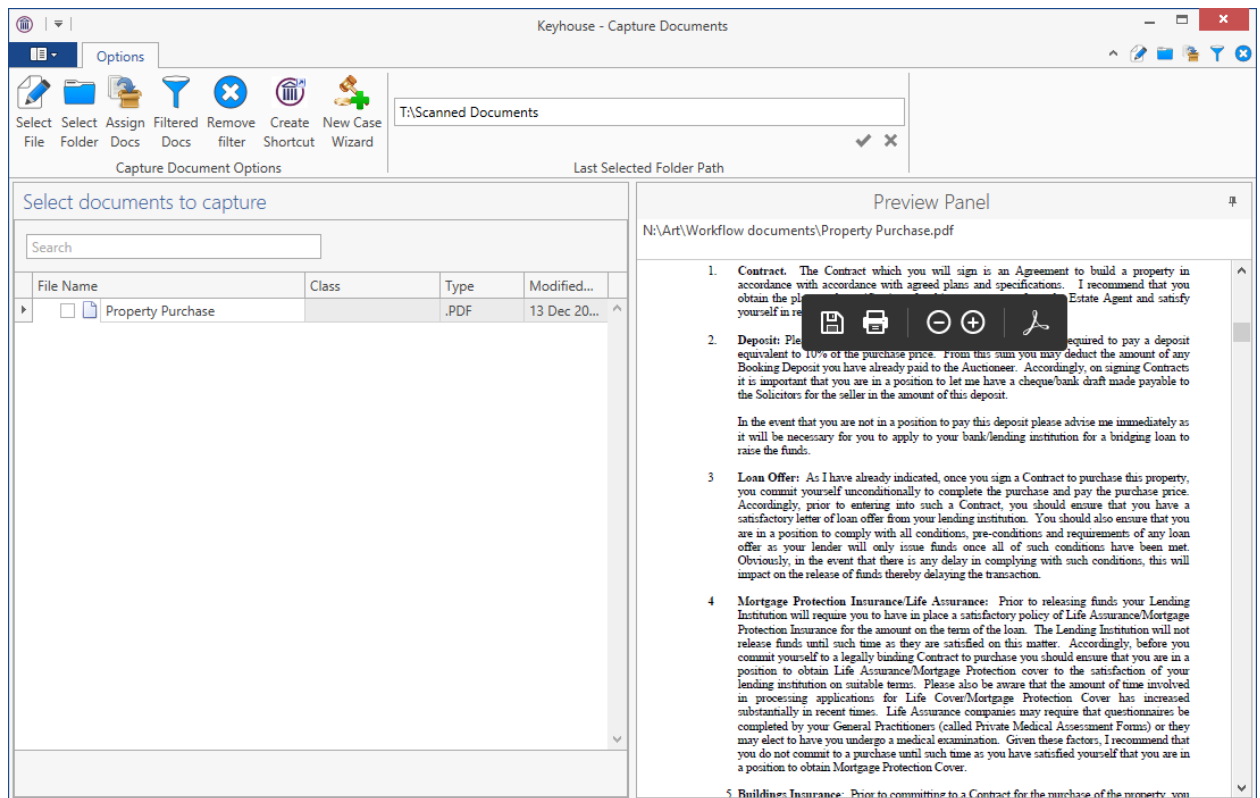
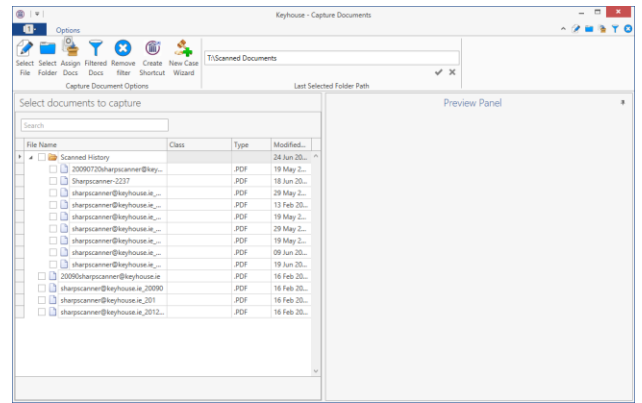


Tip: Click **Save Settings** to keep these settings for future documents captured.

- The files will then appear in the case diary as a single action or multiple actions.


How to Capture a File

1. Click **Capture** on the Home tab in either the Case Diary or Task List. The following screen will appear. 
2. Click **Select File**. 
3. A Windows **Open** dialogue box will appear. Browse and locate the file that is to be captured.
4. Click on the file and click on the Open button. The chosen document will be listed on the left-hand side of the **Capture Documents** window.
5. Tag the document to be captured. There will be a Preview of the document in the Preview Panel, on the right of the window.
6. If the document is to be captured into a new case use the **New Case Wizard** (on the right of the Options tab) to set up the case first. For further information on how to create a new case see Chapter 3.



7. To assign the captured document to a Case, Handler and Action, click **Assign Docs**. The following window will appear.

Provide the following information:

- | | |
|------------------|--|
| Case | The Case will default to the current case. To select a different case, click  the browse button; this will bring up a matter list. Select the required case. |
| Handler | The Handler will default to the current handler; select an alternative from the drop-down list, if required. |
| Action | Click the browse button for a list of incoming actions will appear. Select the required action. |
| Description | Input a description in the Description box; if you leave this blank the document name will become the description. |
| Capture Settings | Check the boxes as appropriate to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● delete the Captured documents from original location; ● import documents to a single action (the alternative is that each document will get its individual action in the case diary); ● mark as complete the action into which the document is to be captured; ● mark the document as having been generated. |



Tip: Click **Save Settings** to keep these settings for future documents captured.

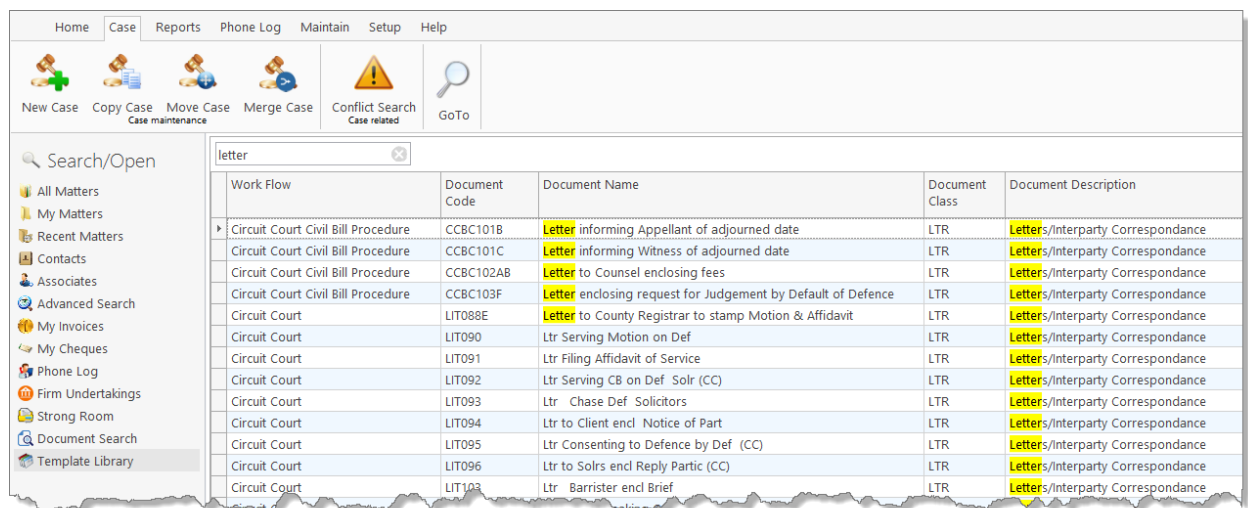
8. When finished click **OK**.
9. The files will appear in the case diary as a single action or multiple actions, depending on the options chosen.

Chapter 7: The Template Library

The Document Library allows the user to browse through case plans and to view precedent documents prior to generating. This is helpful if the user is not familiar with the case plan and its documents.

How to Search for precedent documents

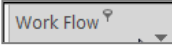
1. Click on Search/Open.
2. Click on Template Library the following screen will appear.

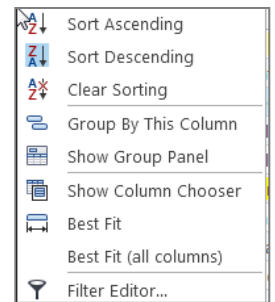


| Work Flow | Document Code | Document Name | Document Class | Document Description |
|------------------------------------|---------------|--|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| Circuit Court Civil Bill Procedure | CCBC101B | Letter informing Appellant of adjourned date | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court Civil Bill Procedure | CCBC101C | Letter informing Witness of adjourned date | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court Civil Bill Procedure | CCBC102AB | Letter to Counsel enclosing fees | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court Civil Bill Procedure | CCBC103F | Letter enclosing request for Judgement by Default of Defence | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court | LIT088E | Letter to County Registrar to stamp Motion & Affidavit | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court | LIT090 | Ltr Serving Motion on Def | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court | LIT091 | Ltr Filing Affidavit of Service | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court | LIT092 | Ltr Serving CB on Def Solr (CC) | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court | LIT093 | Ltr Chase Def Solicitors | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court | LIT094 | Ltr to Client encl Notice of Part | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court | LIT095 | Ltr Consenting to Defence by Def (CC) | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court | LIT096 | Ltr to Solrs encl Reply Partic (CC) | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |
| Circuit Court | LIT103 | Ltr Barrister encl Brief | LTR | Letters/Interparty Correspondance |

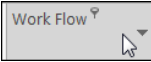
3. Input a key search word/s in the **Search Box**. The search results will update as you type.
4. A list of precedent documents matching the criteria will be listed in the screen below.

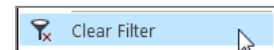
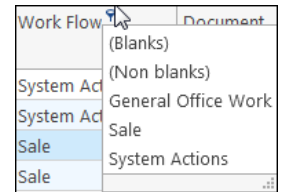
How to sort Column Headings in the Template Library

1. Click on a **column heading** to sort by that heading eg. Work Flow 
2. To return to the previous listing order, right-click in the column heading and select **Clear Sorting** from the pop-up menu.



How to apply a filter

1. To apply a filter move your mouse over the **column heading** until a **Pin** appears; click on it for a list of terms by which the records may be filtered. 
2. Click on the **filter** required.
3. To remove the filter, select **(All)** from the filter drop-down menu (alternatively, right-click the column heading and select **Clear Filter** from the pop-up menu).



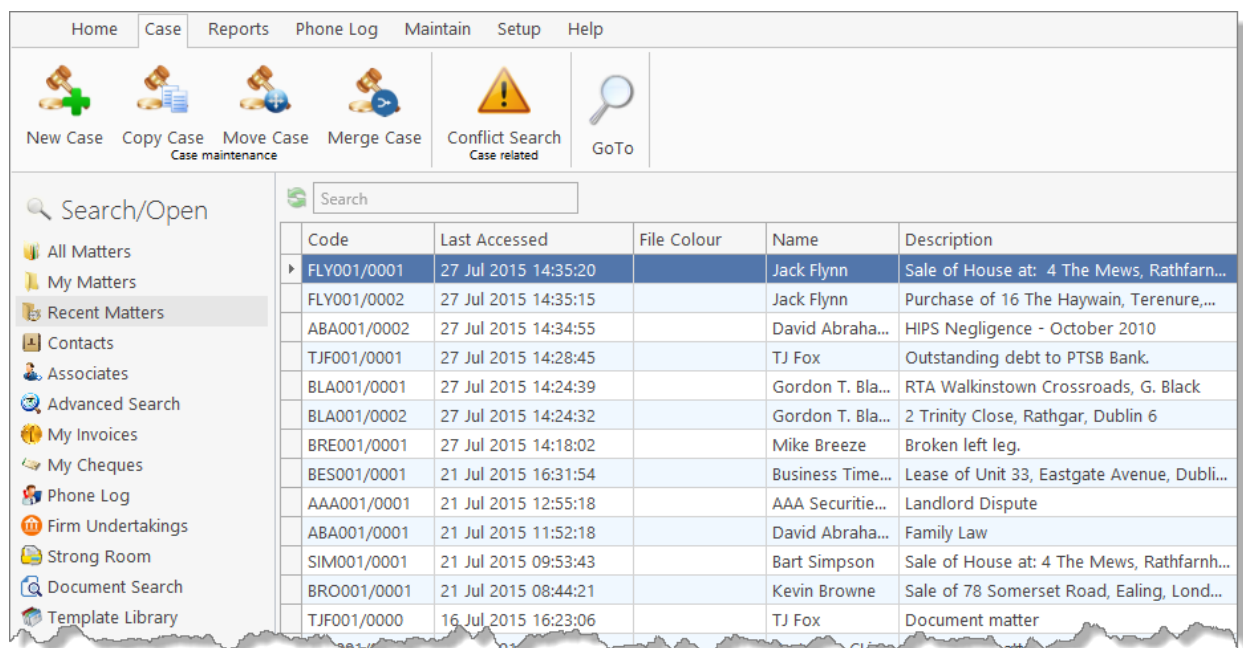
Chapter 8: Conflict Search

What is a Conflict Search?

A conflict search is a search designed to alert the user to any potential conflicts of interest; for example if the firm is being asked to act for somebody who is/was an opposing party in previous or continuing proceedings. The fields searched are Client Name, Spousal Name, Case Associate Name, all PPS numbers and telephone numbers.

How to do a Conflict Search

1. If the current case is not the one on which you wish to do the Conflict Search, click on **Search/Open** on the Navigation bar and search for the required case.

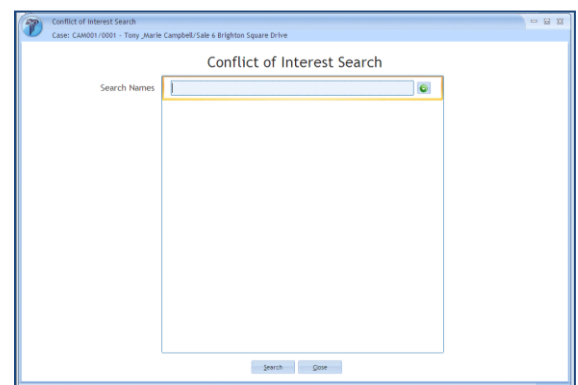



2. Click on **Conflict Search** icon on the Case tab.
3. A Conflict of Interest Search window will appear.
4. The types of information you can search for are the Name, PPS number, telephone number or address.
 - a. Click in the search box, **input** the first search criteria e.g. Stephen Keogh

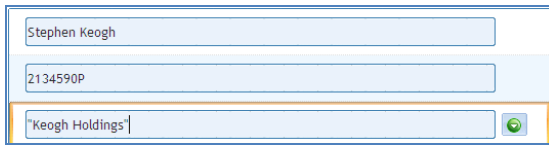


This will search for Stephen **or** Keogh anywhere.

To search for an **exact phrase** input the phrase in **quotes** e.g. "Stephen Keogh"

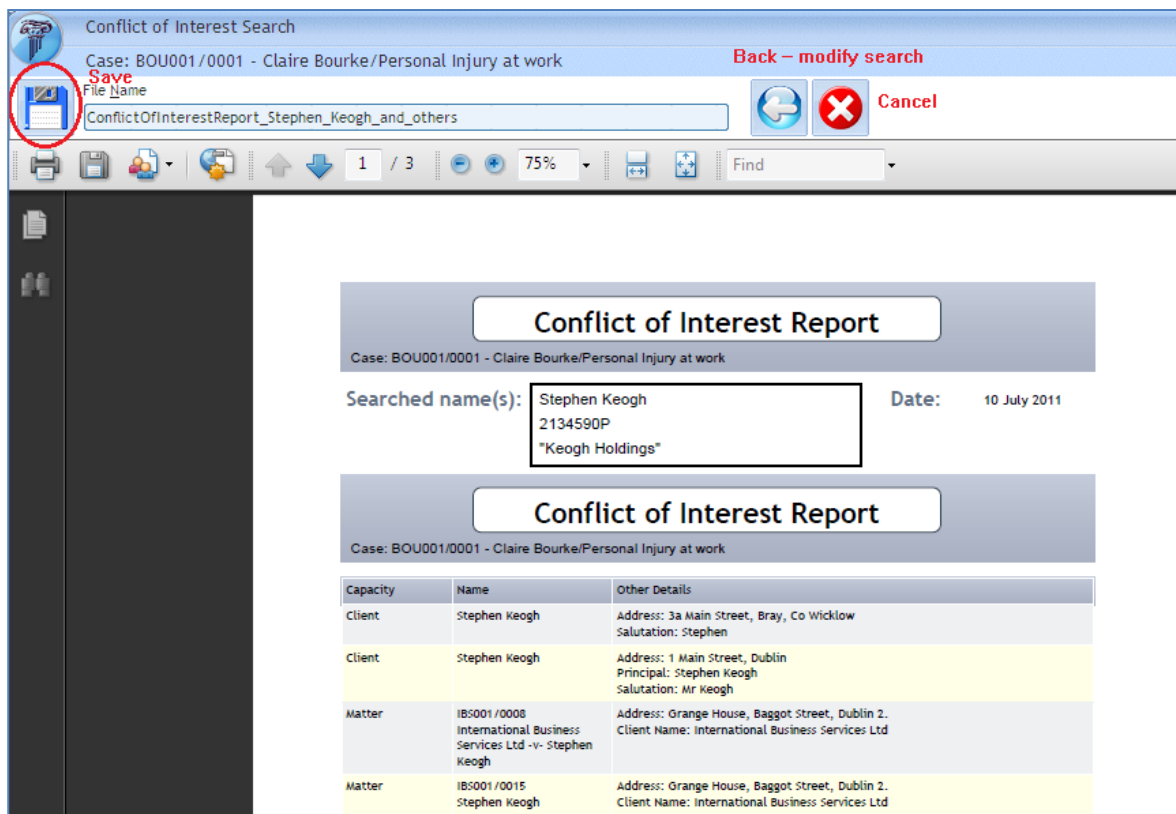


- b. To add a second criteria click on the **down arrow**  Input the second search criteria. Repeat this process for a 3rd, 4th etc. See the following example



This will search for Stephen or Keogh anywhere **and** 2134590P anywhere **and** The exact phrase “Keogh Holdings” anywhere.

5. Click on the **Search button** at the bottom of the window.
6. A report will be generated listing any matches.
7. To save the results as an action in the case diary, click on **Save**.



Conflict of Interest Report
Case: BOU001/0001 - Claire Bourke/Personal Injury at work


Searched name(s): Stephen Keogh
2134590P
"Keogh Holdings" Date: 10 July 2011

Conflict of Interest Report
Case: BOU001/0001 - Claire Bourke/Personal Injury at work

| Capacity | Name | Other Details |
|----------|--|---|
| Client | Stephen Keogh | Address: 3a Main Street, Bray, Co Wicklow Salutation: Stephen |
| Client | Stephen Keogh | Address: 1 Main Street, Dublin Principal: Stephen Keogh Salutation: Mr Keogh |
| Matter | IBS001/0008 International Business Services Ltd -v- Stephen Keogh | Address: Grange House, Baggot Street, Dublin 2. Client Name: International Business Services Ltd |
| Matter | IBS001/0015 Stephen Keogh | Address: Grange House, Baggot Street, Dublin 2. Client Name: International Business Services Ltd |

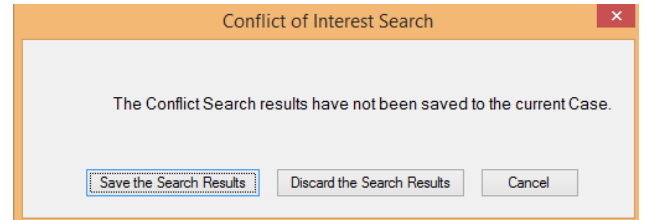
See the following example.

| | | | | | Date | Time | Handler | Synopsis |
|--|--|--|--|--|-------------|-------|---------|-----------------|
| | | | | | 10 Nov 2014 | 20:55 | ADM | Conflict Search |

-  **Note:** The saved action is assigned to the Fee Earner of the case for completion. The results can be viewed at any time by opening the report.

8. Click on **Cancel** to cancel the search at any time. The following message prompt will appear.

- a. To save click on **Save the Search Results**.
- b. To discard click on **Discard the Search Results**.
- c. Click **Cancel** to cancel this message prompt and return to the conflict of interest report.



Chapter 9: The Strong Room

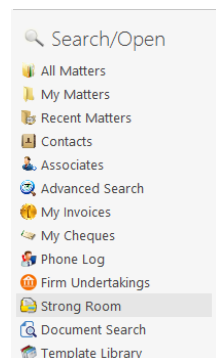
What is the Strong Room used for?

The Strong Room is used to keep track of the locations of physical items such as wills, deeds, tapes, share registers etc. it records details of the physical storage location of the item, which client owns the item and which case it is connected to.

The Strong Room also keeps a record of the date the item has been withdrawn and when it has been returned and by whom. The history of the item is recorded for tracking purposes.

How to Search for an Item

1. Click on **Search/Open** on the Navigation panel. (The Strong Room for the current case may be accessed via the Navigation panel in Client/Case.)
2. Click on **Strong Room** on the Navigation panel. The following screen will appear listing all items in your strong room.



| Item Code | Matter Code | Item Type | Item Description | Status | Open/Closed | Destroy Date |
|------------|-------------|-----------|--|--------|-------------|--------------|
| 0000123131 | TJ001/0001 | DEE | TJ Fox/Outstanding debt to PT58 Bank. | I | O | |
| DEE | TAR001/0001 | DEE | George Tarrant/Deeds for Commercial Premises | I | O | 30 Jun 2014 |
| 0000123128 | RVA002/0001 | WIL | Margaret Ryan/Will which included additions for beneficiaries | I | | 18 Jun 2014 |
| test | OWE001/0001 | DEE | Peter Owen/Test Deeds for Section 23 Property | I | O | 30 Jun 2014 |
| FLY001/101 | FLY001/0001 | DEE | Jack Flynn/Deeds for house at 4 The Mews, Rathfarnham. | I | O | |
| FLY001/100 | FLY001/0001 | COM | Jack Flynn/Company Seal for Flynn & Co | I | O | 31 Dec 2015 |
| 0000123126 | FEN001/0001 | WIL | Richard Fenell/Will | I | | 18 Jun 2014 |
| LEA1811 | EVE001/0003 | LEA | Ever Green Insurance Corporation/Leasehold Agreement for Turf Rights | I | O | 18 Jun 2014 |
| D1234 | CUL001/0001 | DEE | Ann Marie Cullen/Deeds for 101 Dun Emer Drive, Dublin 6 | I | | 30 Aug 2014 |
| CDA1111 | ABB001/0004 | DEE | George J Abbott/Title Deeds - Code CDA 1111 | I | O | 08 Aug 2014 |
| ABB0010001 | ABB001/0001 | DEE | George J Abbott/Title Deeds for second property | I | O | 18 Jun 2014 |

3. **Input** the search terms. A list of items matching your criteria will be displayed in the window below.

| Item Code | Matter Code | Item Type | Item Description | Status | Open/Closed | Destroy Date |
|------------|-------------|-----------|---|--------|-------------|--------------|
| ABC000 | ABB001/0001 | PAP | George J Abbott/Personal Papers | I | | |
| DEE | TAR001/0001 | DEE | George Tarrant/Deeds for Commercial Premises | I | O | 30 Jun 2014 |
| ABB0010001 | ABB001/0001 | DEE | George J Abbott/Title Deeds for second property | I | O | 18 Jun 2014 |
| CDA1111 | ABB001/0004 | DEE | George J Abbott/Title Deeds - Code CDA 1111 | I | O | 08 Aug 2014 |

4. Click **Cancel** to clear the search results.



Tip: You can sort column headings by click on the heading.


How to Add a File/Item to the Strong Room

1. If the current case is not the case in respect of which you wish to add an item to the Strong Room, Click on **Search/Open** on the navigation panel and open the required case.
2. Then click **Strong Room** on the Navigation panel.
3. Click on the **Add File** icon on the Home tab. A screen with the title **Strong room — Add new File** will appear.

Fields marked with an asterisk are required.

| | |
|---------------------|--|
| Item Type | Select the Item Type from the drop-down list. |
| Item Code | Input an item Code. |
| Client Code | See also Matter Code below. |
| Matter Code | If the code of the current matter is not displayed, or you wish to select a different matter, use the browse button to browse the matter list. |
| Description | Input a description of the item. |
| Location | Select a storage location from the drop-down list. |
| Box No | Likewise, select a Box number from the drop-down list. |
| Search Code | Input a search code |
| Fee Earner | Use the drop-down list to select the Fee Earner with responsibility for the item. |
| Entry Date | The date on which the item was entered on the system: normally today's date. |
| Destroy Date | The date, if any, on which the item is to be destroyed. |
| Open/Closed | This will default to open. |

4. Click **OK** to add the item to the strong room list.

 Note: The tabs at the top of the screen will vary depending on the Item Type chosen.

How to Withdraw an Item

1. Open the **Strong Room** screen, search for and select the item you want to withdraw.
2. Click on the **Withdraw file** icon on the Home tab.

 **Note** if the Withdraw file icon is greyed out the item is already checked out.

3. The system will ask for your **password**; input your **username** and **password**.
4. A Withdraw File dialogue box will appear.


Provide the following information:

For Who

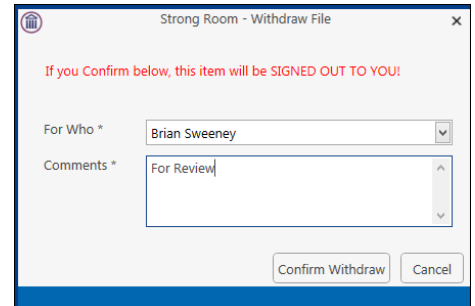
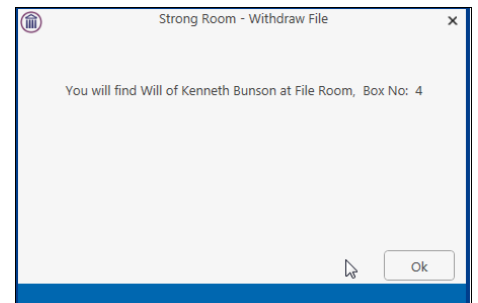
Select the person to whom the item is checked out from the drop-down list.

Comment

Input a comment, e.g. why the item is being withdrawn.


 **Note** the item will be signed out to you.

5. Click **Confirm Withdrawal**. The following screen will appear telling you where to find the item.
6. Click **OK**.

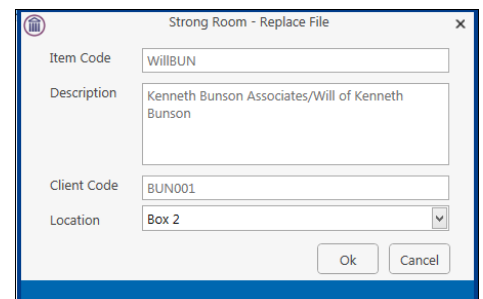
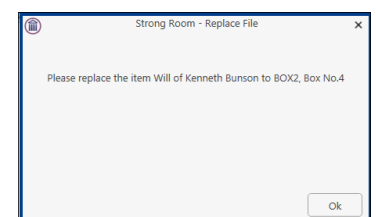



How to Replace/Return an Item

1. Open the Strong Room screen, search for and select the item you want to replace.
2. Click on the **Replace File** icon on the Home tab.

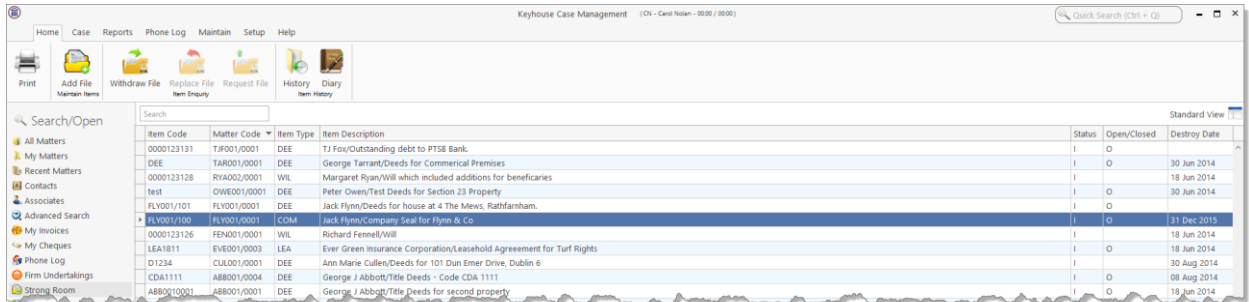
 **Note** if the **Replace File** tool is greyed out the item is already checked in.

3. The following Replace File dialogue box will appear.
4. Select the physical location, e.g. Box 2, to which the item is being returned.
5. Click **OK**. You will see a message asking you to place the item in the selected location.
6. Click **OK**.

How to view the History on a file/item

1. If the **Strong Room** is not shown on the Navigation panel, click on **Search/Open**.
2. Then click on **Strong Room** on the Navigation panel to show the following screen listing all items in your strong room.



3. **Search** for the item required and select it.
4. Click on the **History Tool** on the Home tab. The following screen will appear showing the history of the item.



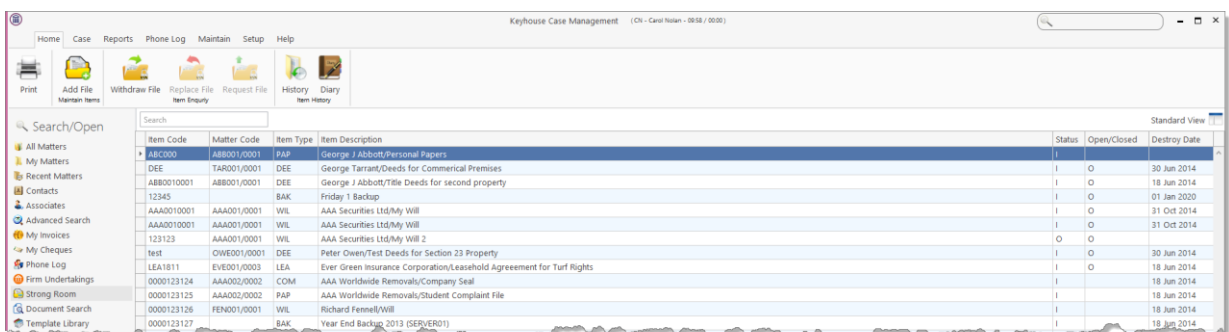
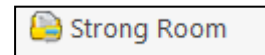
| Item History | | | | | | |
|--------------|----------|--------|-------------|----------|-------------|----------|
| | Who | ForWho | Out Date | Out Time | In Date | In Time |
| | keyhouse | BS | 27 Aug 2011 | 15:21:21 | 27 Aug 2011 | 15:21:37 |
| | keyhouse | BS | 27 Aug 2011 | 15:22:17 | 27 Aug 2011 | 15:22:29 |
| | MW | CN | 11 Nov 2014 | 19:03:40 | | |

5. Click Cancel to exit this screen.

Working with Documents Only

Add a file without using a Case

1. Click to Search/Open and select Strong Room from the Navigation Panel.
2. A list of all documents held not related to a specific case/client will be listed.




3. A list of all documents held not related to a specific case/client will be listed.
4. Complete the form as detailed in Add a file to a Case p. **Error! Bookmark not defined.** However, you will not be able to add a Client/Matter details so it is important that a detailed description is made to ensure the documents can be found at a future date.

5. It will appear in the list of documents without a Matter Code

| Item Code | Matter Code | Item Type | Item Description | Status | Open/Closed | Destroy Date |
|------------|-------------|-----------|---|--------|-------------|--------------|
| 0000123124 | AAA002/0002 | COM | AAA Worldwide Removals/Company Seal | I | | 18 Jun 2014 |
| 0000123125 | AAA002/0002 | PAP | AAA Worldwide Removals/Student Complaint File | I | | 18 Jun 2014 |
| 0000123126 | FEN001/0001 | WIL | Richard Fennell/Will | I | | 18 Jun 2014 |
| 0000123127 | BAK | BAK | Year End Backup 2013 (SERVER01) | I | | 18 Jun 2014 |
| 0000123128 | RVA002/0001 | WIL | Margaret Ryan/Will which included additions for beneficiaries | I | | 18 Jun 2014 |
| 0000123129 | AAA001/0001 | COM | AAA Securities Ltd/Company Seal | I | | 19 Jun 2014 |
| 0000123130 | BAK | BAK | Year end backup 2011 | I | | 19 Jun 2014 |
| 0000123131 | TJF001/0001 | DEE | TJ Fox/Outstanding debt to PTSB Bank. | I | O | |
| 0000123133 | FLY001/0002 | DEE | Jack Flynn/Purchase of 16 The Haywain, Terenure, Dublin 6 | I | O | |
| 0000123134 | | DEF | Tom Jones - Deeds for Property at 18 Rose Lawn, Blanchardstown, Dublin. | I | O | |
| 123123 | AAA001/0001 | WIL | AAA Securities Ltd/My Will 2 | I | O | |
| 12345 | BAK | BAK | Friday 1 Backup | I | O | 01 Jan 2020 |
| AAA0010001 | AAA001/0001 | WIL | AAA Securities Ltd/My Will | I | O | 31 Oct 2014 |

6. It is also possible to see if the document are in or out the Strong Room.

 **Note:** The process for Withdrawing (p. 78), Replacing (p. 78), and Viewing the History of a document (p. **Error! Bookmark not defined.**) is the same as the process already detailed.

Chapter 10: Time Recording

Time Recording in the Case Diary

Time can be recorded in the case diary in two ways: automatically using a timer or manually using a time slip. Once time is recorded it is then posted to the Day Book and from there it is posted to the time ledger of the case. Recorded time can be used for billing, reporting and productivity tracking.

Here are the two tools available in the Case Diary for recording time.



The Timer



Manual time slips

Both tools can be found on the Home tab.

Keyhouse Case Management (C)

Home Case Reports Phone Log Maintain Setup Help

New Item Actions Print Capture Generate Complete Action Documents Start Timer Post Time Accounts

Client/Case

Case: TJF001/0001 TJ Fox

Outstanding debt to PTSB Bank.

Search

| Action | Date | Time | Handler | Synopsis |
|--------|-------------|-------|---------|--|
| [Icon] | 14 Jul 2015 | 17:16 | ADM | Precedent Document |
| [Icon] | 14 Jul 2015 | 16:44 | ADM | Attendance Sheet |
| [Icon] | 14 Jul 2015 | 15:52 | CN | Create Vendor Instruction Sheet |
| [Icon] | 13 Jul 2015 | 15:10 | CN | Document2_2661_2662 |
| [Icon] | 06 Jul 2015 | 09:58 | COM | Conflict Search |
| [Icon] | 16 Jul 2015 | 15:48 | CN | Email To:training TT. training - Test Attachment |
| [Icon] | 13 Jul 2015 | 12:49 | CN | Email To:Brenda Hartley - Outgoing Email. |
| [Icon] | 13 Jul 2015 | 12:35 | CN | Email To:Brenda Hartley - Outgoing Email with an Attachm |
| [Icon] | 06 Jul 2015 | 11:14 | CN | Draft Bill Draft Bill No: 286 |
| [Icon] | 06 Jul 2015 | 10:23 | MK | Pass on Deeds once House is sold. |

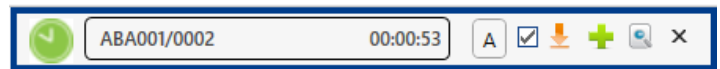
Client/Case

- Case Diary
- Document Manager
- Current Client Details
- Current Case Details
- Other Case Details
- Associates
- Critical Information
- A/c Ledger
- Time Ledger
- Debt Ledger
- Reserve Ledger
- Undertakings
- Strang Room

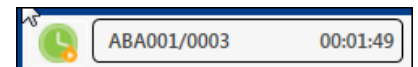
How to Record Time Using the Timer

The automatic timer may be launched by clicking on Start Timer on the Home tab in the Case Diary. The user can easily manage and record time for several cases and tasks. The timer has a clock which can be started and stopped for each task. From here time is updated to the day book ready for posting to the time ledger.


1. **Open** a Case in the Case Diary





2. Click **Start Timer** on the Home tab. A timer will appear displaying the current case reference.
3. The clock will automatically start recording. By having the box ticked the clock will follow you as you move from case to case.
4. To pause the timer click on the **clock** at the left of the timer. The clock will stop and an orange symbol will appear next to it.




5. To **resume** recording, click on the **clock** the clock will continue recording.
6. To move to another case in the case diary, search and open the case in the normal way. The timer will automatically pause the current time recording and create a new time recording for the new case and start the clock.


 **Note** If you return to a previous case in your timer list the timer will continue the previous time recording for this case.

| Matter Code | Time | Client Name | Matter Details | Comment | Date |
|-------------|-------|--------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|----------|
| TJF001/0001 | 00:30 | TJ Fox | TJ Fox Outstanding debt... | Dictation | 27 Ju... |
| TJF001/0001 | 02:00 | TJ Fox | TJ Fox Outstanding debt... | General Advi... | 27 Ju... |
| ABA001/0002 | 00:03 | David Abr... | David Abrahams HIPS N... | | 04 A... |
| FLY001/0002 | 00:04 | Jack Flynn | Jack Flynn Purchase of 1... | | 04 A... |

7. To expand the timer click on **Maximise**. 
8. To recommence a time recording for an entry already listed in your timer click on  next to case code.

 **Note** if open the case in the case diary the timer will automatically recommence the active time recording for this case.

 **Note** the entry highlighted in **Green** is the active time recording.

 **Note** the A button will ensure the timer turns on automatically when you open Keyhouse

| Matter Code | Time | Client Name | Matter Details | Comment | Date |
|-------------|-------|--------------|-----------------------------|-----------------|----------|
| TJF001/0001 | 00:30 | TJ Fox | TJ Fox Outstanding debt... | Dictation | 27 Ju... |
| TJF001/0001 | 02:00 | TJ Fox | TJ Fox Outstanding debt... | General Advi... | 27 Ju... |
| ABA001/0002 | 00:03 | David Abr... | David Abrahams HIPS N... | | 04 A... |
| FLY001/0002 | 00:04 | Jack Flynn | Jack Flynn Purchase of 1... | | 04 A... |

9. You can amend the details and post this time now or later.
10. The time recording will remain in the Timer until you post it or **delete** it.

How to Post Time from the Timer

1. **Maximise** the Timer screen. The following screen will appear. 



| Matter Code | Time | Client Name | Matter Details | Comment | Date |
|-------------|-------|--------------|-----------------------------|----------------|----------|
| TJF001/0001 | 00:30 | TJ Fox | TJ Fox Outstanding debt... | Dictation | 27 Ju... |
| TJF001/0001 | 02:00 | TJ Fox | TJ Fox Outstanding debt... | General Adv... | 27 Ju... |
| ABA001/0002 | 00:03 | David Abr... | David Abrahams HIPS N... | | 04 A... |
| FLY001/0002 | 00:17 | Jack Flynn | Jack Flynn Purchase of 1... | | 04 A... |

2. Double click an entry to add details for posting. The following screen will appear.
3. Input/Amend the following details as required: -

Matter: The code of the current case is automatically displayed. Click the **Select Matter** button to bring up the matter list and select a different case if required.

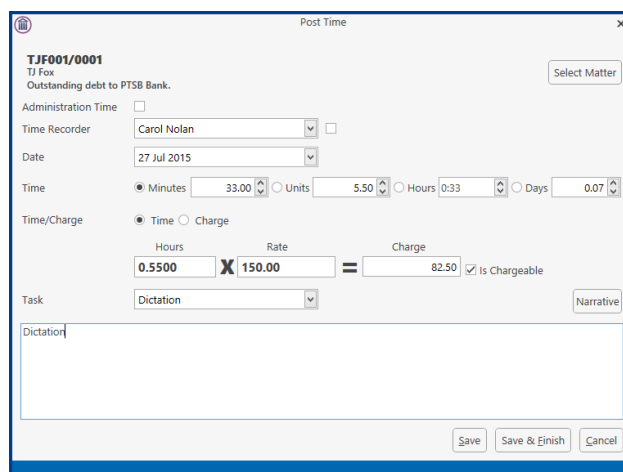
Date: By default, the date the time was recorded will be shown. **Change** if required.

Time/Charge Use the **option buttons** to select whether this entry should be charged on the basis of time spent or as a set charge.

Minutes/Hours/Days: This will show the time recorded and can be amended if required.

Hourly Rate: The hourly rate will display the **default rate** for this handler and case.

Chargeable: Check the box if this time is chargeable or uncheck it if it is not. By default, the box will be checked.



TJF001/0001
TJ Fox
Outstanding debt to PTFSB Bank.

Administration Time

Time Recorder: Carol Nolan

Date: 27 Jul 2015

Time: Minutes 33.00 Units 5.50 Hours 0:33 Days 0.07

Time/Charge: Time Charge

Hours: 0.5500 Rate: 150.00 = Charge: 82.50 is Chargeable

Task: Dictation

Dictation

Buttons: Save, Save & Finish, Cancel

Task: Use the **drop-down** arrow to select from a list of tasks.

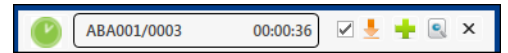
Comment Input a narrative to describe the time entry

4. Click on **Save** to save the changes **or** click on **Save and Finish** to remove the entry from the list of timers.

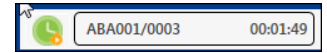
 **Note:** All entries in the Timer are automatically displayed in the Daybook ready for posting.

How to Record and Post Admin Time Using the Timer

1. **Open** a Case in the Case Diary

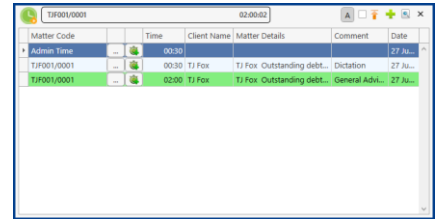


2. Click **Start Timer** on the Home tab. The following timer will appear displaying the current case reference.



3. The clock will automatically start recording.

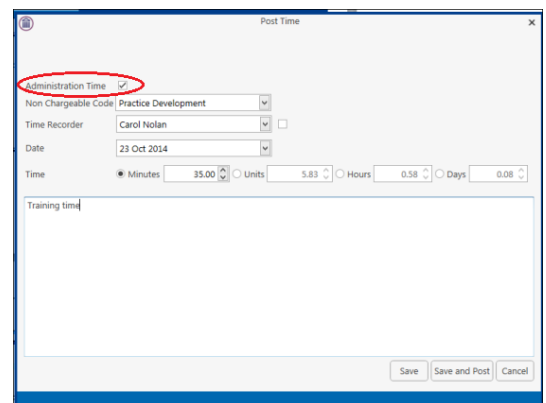
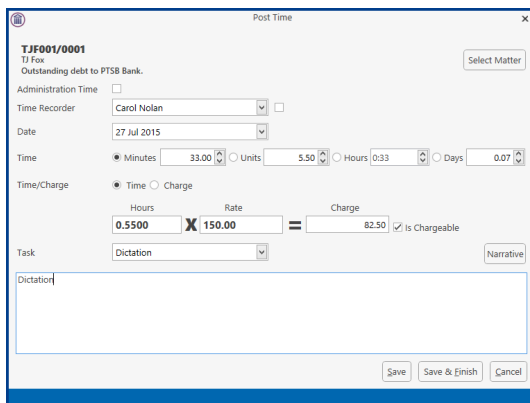
4. To pause recording click on the clock. By putting a tick in the box, the clock will follow you from case to case, starting a new clock on each case.



5. Expand the timer by clicking on **Maximise**. 

6. Select the required timer.

5. **Double click** the entry to amend, the following screen will appear.



6. Put the **tick** in the Administration Time tick box. The screen will change displaying the following option:

Non-Chargeable Codes: Select a non-chargeable code from the drop-down list; e.g. Training, Illness, Holidays etc.

7. **Save** the changes.

8. The timer will automatically **restart**.

9. To amend, double click the entry in the Timer and amend the following details as required.

Date Today's date will be shown by default; amend if required.

Minutes/Hours/Days: This will show the time recorded and may be amended if required.

Non-Chargeable Code Select from the drop-down list to change the non-chargeable code.

Comment **Input** a narrative to describe the time entry

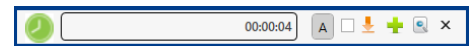
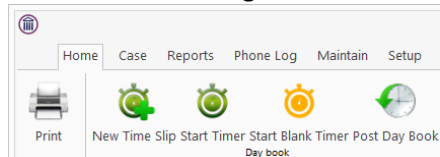
10. Click on **Save and Finish**. This time entry is then transferred to the daybook ready for posting to time ledger.

 **Note:** You can record more than one non-chargeable time recording in your timer at any one time.


How to create an Empty Timer

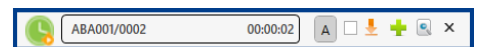
At certain times you may want to start recording without first selecting a case. It is possible to create an empty timer which can later be allocated to a particular case.

1. Click to Time Costing on the bottom left of the screen and select Start Blank Timer.

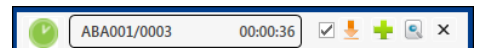


2. To pause the timer click on the clock.

 **NOTE:** It is also possible to start a new timer in an existing case.




3. Click on the Start timer tool on the Home tab. The current case will automatically be selected. This may have to be deleted.

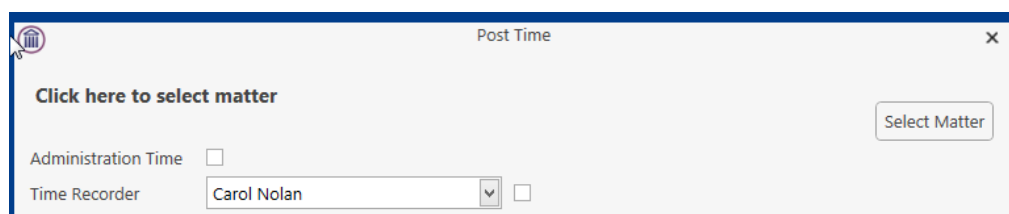


4. Click on the **Green Plus** to add an empty timer.

5. Click on clock to start the timer.

6. To amend the entry, expand the timer by clicking on Maximise. 

7. **Double click** the entry to add details for posting. This will bring up the Post Time dialogue box (see How to Post Time from the Timer, p. 83 above), but without a matter code.



8. Input/Amend the following details as required:

Matter: No case code will be displayed. Click the **Select Matter** button to bring up the matter list and select the case to which the time is to be posted.

Date: By default, the date of the time recording will be shown. Amend if required.

Minutes/Hours/Days: This will reflect the timings recorded but can be amended if required

Time/Charge Use the **option buttons** to select whether this entry should be charged on the basis of time spent or as a set charge.

Hourly Rate: The hourly rate will display the **default rate** for this handler and case.

Chargeable: Check the box if this time is chargeable or uncheck it if it is not. By default, the box will be checked.

Task: Use the **drop-down** arrow to select from a list of tasks.

Comment Input a narrative to describe the time entry

- Click on **Save** to save the changes or **Save and Finish** to remove the entry from the timer and post to the daybook.

How to create a manual time slip

- Open** a Case in the Case Diary

BLO001/0005
Joe Bloggs
Test Matter sale purchase

Administration Time

Time Recorder

Date

Time Minutes Units Hours Days

Time/Charge Time Charge

Hours X Rate = Charge Is Chargeable

Task

- Click on **Post time** on the Home tab to open a Time slip.

- Input** or Amend the following details

Matter: The case code will default to the current matter; to change the case, use the **select matter** button to view the matter list and double-click the required case to select it.

Date: This will default to the date the timing was recorded. Amend if required.

Minutes/Hours/Days: Input the amount minutes, hours, days etc.

Time/Charge **Using** the **option buttons** provided set if the time recording is be charged by time or a set charge.

Hourly Rate: The hourly rate will display the **default rate** for this handler and case.

Chargeable: Using the tick box provided tick if the time is chargeable or remove if it is not. This will default to chargeable.

Task: Click on the **drop down arrow** to reveal a list of tasks. **Click** the task required.

Comment **Input** a narrative to describe the time entry

- When all details have been entered click **Save** or **Save and Finish**. The time slip will appear in the Daybook ready for posting.

How create an Admin Time slip

- Open** a Case in the Case Diary
- Click the **Post time** tool on the Home tab to open a Time slip.
- Check the Administration Time box. The screen will change displaying the following option:

The screenshot shows the 'Post Time' dialog box with the following details:

- Administration Time:** (circled in red)
- Non Chargeable Code:** Select non chargeable code (dropdown)
- Time Recorder:** Brian Sweeney (dropdown)
- Date:** 07 Aug 2015 (dropdown)
- Time:**
 - Minutes: 1.00
 - Units: 0.17
 - Hours: 0:01
 - Days: 0.00
- Suggested Narrative:** (button above a large text area)
- Buttons:** Save, Save & Finish, Cancel

- Add the following details:


Date Today's date will be the default; choose a different date if required.

Minutes/Hours/Days: Input the amount of hours, minutes, days etc.


Non- Chargeable Code Use the drop-down list to select the non-chargeable code which applies.

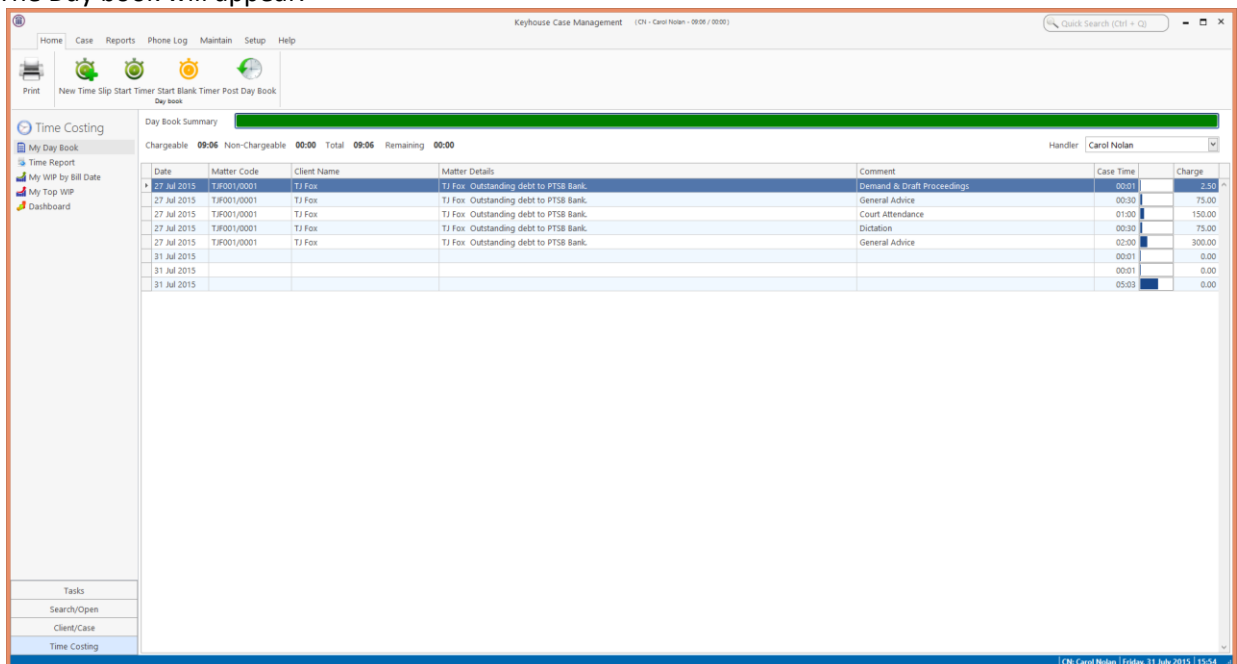
Comment **Input** a narrative to describe the time entry

- Click on **Save and Finish**. This time entry is then transferred to the daybook ready for posting to time ledger.

 **Note:** It is possible to record more than one non-chargeable entry in your timer at a time.

How to View the Day Book from the Timer

- Open the **Timer**
- Click on **View All** on the timer tool bar. 
- The Day book will appear.



The screenshot shows the 'Day Book Summary' window in the Keyhouse Case Management software. The window title is 'Keyhouse Case Management (CN - Carol Nolan - 09/08 / 00/00)'. The interface includes a navigation bar with 'Home', 'Case', 'Reports', 'Phone Log', 'Maintain', 'Setup', and 'Help'. Below the navigation bar are icons for 'Print', 'New Time Slip', 'Start Timer', 'Start Blank Timer', and 'Post Day Book'. The main area displays a table with the following data:

| Day Book Summary | | | | | | | |
|------------------|-------------|----------------|--|-----------------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| Chargeable | 09:06 | Non-Chargeable | 00:00 | Total | 09:06 | Remaining | 00:00 |
| Date | Matter Code | Client Name | Matter Details | Comment | Care Time | Charge | Handler |
| 27 Jul 2015 | TJF001/0001 | TJ Fox | TJ Fox: Outstanding debt to PTSS Bank. | General & Draft Proceedings | 00:01 | 2.50 | Carol Nolan |
| 27 Jul 2015 | TJF001/0001 | TJ Fox | TJ Fox: Outstanding debt to PTSS Bank. | General Advice | 00:30 | 75.00 | Carol Nolan |
| 27 Jul 2015 | TJF001/0001 | TJ Fox | TJ Fox: Outstanding debt to PTSS Bank. | Court Attendance | 01:00 | 150.00 | Carol Nolan |
| 27 Jul 2015 | TJF001/0001 | TJ Fox | TJ Fox: Outstanding debt to PTSS Bank. | Dictation | 00:30 | 75.00 | Carol Nolan |
| 27 Jul 2015 | TJF001/0001 | TJ Fox | TJ Fox: Outstanding debt to PTSS Bank. | General Advice | 02:00 | 300.00 | Carol Nolan |
| 31 Jul 2015 | | | | | 00:01 | 0.00 | Carol Nolan |
| 31 Jul 2015 | | | | | 00:01 | 0.00 | Carol Nolan |
| 31 Jul 2015 | | | | | 05:03 | 0.00 | Carol Nolan |

My Day Book

Viewing the Day Book

- Click on **Time Costing** on the navigation Bar the day book will appear listing all your unposted time.
- Click on the required item.



Tip: Click on a column headings to sort by that heading, e.g. Matter Code

How create a Time slip in the Day Book

- Click on **New Time Slip** on Home Tab in **My Day Book**. The familiar Post Time dialogue box (see How to create a manual time slip, p. 86 above) will appear.

2. Provide details such as the matter, date, time, task etc. For further information see the section on How to create a manual time slip, p. 86 above.
3. When all details have been entered click **Save**. The time slip will appear in the Daybook ready for posting.

How to create an Admin Time slip in the Day Book

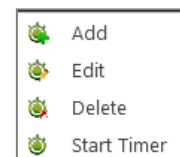
1. Click on **New Time Slip** on the Home tab in **My Day Book**. The Post Time dialogue box will appear.
2. Check the Administration Time box. The screen will change to display the options for Administration time (see How create an Admin Time slip, p. 87 above).
3. Complete the details of Date, Time, Non-Chargeable Code and Comment as above, How create an Admin Time slip, p. 87.
4. Click on **Save and Finish**. This time entry is then added to the daybook ready for posting to time ledger.

How to amend a Time Slip

1. Click **Time Costing** on the Navigation panel.
2. **Double click** on the required time slip. The Post Time dialogue box will appear.
3. **Amend** as required.
4. Click **Save**.

How to Delete a Time Slip

1. Click **Time Costing** on the Navigation panel.
2. Right Click on the time slip you want to **delete**.
3. Select **Delete** from the pop-up menu. You will be asked to confirm the deletion.
4. Click **Yes**.



How to Post the Day Book

1. Click **Time costing** on the Navigation panel
2. Click on **Post Day Book** on the Home tab: this will post each time recording to the time ledger of the relevant case.

Accessing the Time Ledger Screen

Viewing the time Ledger

1. **Open** a case in the Case Diary.
2. Click on **Time Ledger** on the **Case Diary** Navigation panel.
3. The **Time Ledger** will be displayed.

| Date | Comment | Time or Charge | Time | C/N-C | Charged | Billed Amount | Invoice No | Task | T/R |
|-------------|---|----------------|------|----------------|------------|---------------|------------|-------------------|---------------|
| 22 May 2008 | Billed Fees: 0.00 | Bill | | 0 Chargeable | 0.00 | 0.00 | 45345 | BILLED | Justin Phelan |
| 22 May 2008 | Billed Fees: 1230.00 | Bill | | 0 Chargeable | (7,715.00) | 0.00 | 54 | BILLED | Justin Phelan |
| 09 Feb 2009 | Client Meeting | Time | 19 | Chargeable | 96.00 | 96.00 | 7 | MEET | Justin Phelan |
| 19 Mar 2009 | Legal Letter | Time | 19 | Chargeable | 96.00 | 96.00 | 7 | Letter Drafting | Justin Phelan |
| 14 Apr 2009 | Document Drafting - lease of easment | Time | 65 | Chargeable | 324.00 | 324.00 | 7 | Document Drafting | Justin Phelan |
| 14 Apr 2009 | General drafting Lease of Easements | Time | 82 | Chargeable | 411.00 | 411.00 | 7 | Document Drafting | Justin Phelan |
| 15 May 2009 | Attendance | Time | 40 | Chargeable | 201.00 | 201.00 | 7 | Attendance | Justin Phelan |
| 17 Aug 2009 | Research & 2 letters | Time | 67 | Chargeable | 336.00 | 336.00 | 7 | Research | Justin Phelan |
| 24 Aug 2009 | Telephone Attendance | Time | 11 | Chargeable | 54.00 | 54.00 | 7 | TEL | Justin Phelan |
| 02 Sep 2009 | Reading in | Time | 10 | Chargeable | 68.00 | 68.00 | 7 | EMA | Justin Phelan |
| 07 Sep 2009 | Various Work-review of file, calculation of pe... | Time | 52 | Non Chargeable | 261.00 | 261.00 | 7 | File Review | Stephen Keogh |
| 07 Sep 2009 | Various Work-review of file and dictation me... | Time | 36 | Non Chargeable | 180.00 | 180.00 | 7 | File Review | Stephen Keogh |
| 10 Sep 2009 | Drafting Documents | Time | 30 | Chargeable | 145.00 | 145.00 | 7 | Document Drafting | Carol Nolan |
| 14 Sep 2009 | New Company Formation, Draft SHA for New... | Time | 255 | Chargeable | 1,062.50 | 1,062.50 | 7 | File Review | Justin Phelan |
| 11 Oct 2009 | File Review | Time | 19 | Chargeable | 96.00 | 96.00 | 7 | File Review | Justin Phelan |
| 10 Feb 2010 | Billed Fees: 0.00 | Bill | | 0 Chargeable | (3,666.19) | 0.00 | 7 | BILLED | Justin Phelan |

Tip: Click on a column headings to sort by that heading e.g. T/R (Time Recorder).

Tip: you can also Start the timer and create a time slip using the Home tab on this screen. See the previous sections for further details on how to record and post time.

How to Create a Draft Invoice from the Time Ledger Screen

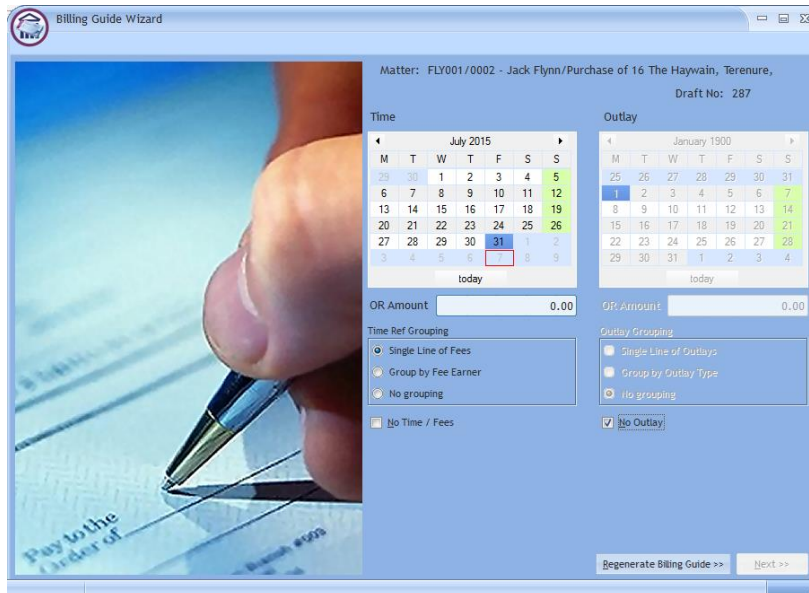
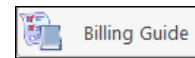
1. **Open** a case in the Case Diary.
2. Click on **Time Ledger** on the **Case Diary** Navigation panel.
3. Click on **Draft Invoice** on the Home tab. The following Draft Invoice will appear.

Note: The current balances on the matter are displayed on the right of the screen.

- Message** **Input** a message for the account department (optional)
- Type** **Invoice** will be checked by default. Select **Credit Note** if required.
- Open Invoice** To create an open invoice, check the **Open Invoice** box.
- Bill Sent** Check when the bill is actually sent.
- Matter** This will show the current case by default; to change, click on the browse button to bring up the matter list and select a different case.
- Description** This will default to the matter description of the current case but may be amended.
- Date** The date will default to today's date but may be changed.
- Transfer to Pay** If this is checked, funds will be transferred from the client account to pay the bill.
- Bill to** The client details will be shown by default, but the name and/or address may be changed. Click the **Client button** to revert to the client details. Client
- Our Ref** This will default to the Fee Earner's initials, but may be amended if required.
- Your Ref** **Input** a reference if applicable.
- Write down time to** Today's date will be shown by default. You may choose a different date.

4. The time and outlay to be included in the bill may be input using the **Billing Guide Wizard** or manually.
 - a. Using the **Bill Guide Wizard**

- i) Click on **Billing Guide** at the bottom left corner to start the Billing Guide Wizard.
- ii)



The left-hand column deals with time, the right-hand one with outlay. In each column, you may select a **date** or enter an **amount**. Different dates may be selected for time and outlay. If you select a date, the time (or outlay) will be written to that date; if you specify an amount, sufficient time (outlay) will be written down to make up the required amount, with the remainder remaining unbilled and available for inclusion in future invoices.

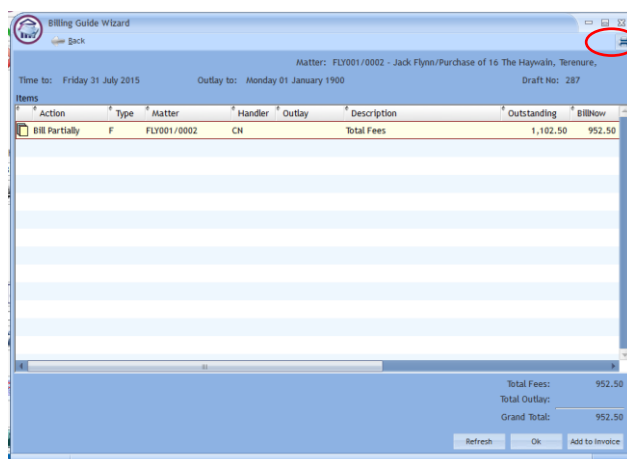
The options for grouping time are:

- Single line of fees — the fee earners will not be listed individually.
- Group by Fee earner — the total for each fee earner will be listed on its own line.
- No grouping — each item will be listed as recorded.

If the box marked No Time/Fees is checked, no time will be included in the bill; all recorded time will remain available for inclusion in future bills.

The options for grouping outlay are similar:

- Single Line of Outlays — a total figure for outlay will be given without listing items separately. You can also run a report that will detail the individual items by clicking on the Report Button.

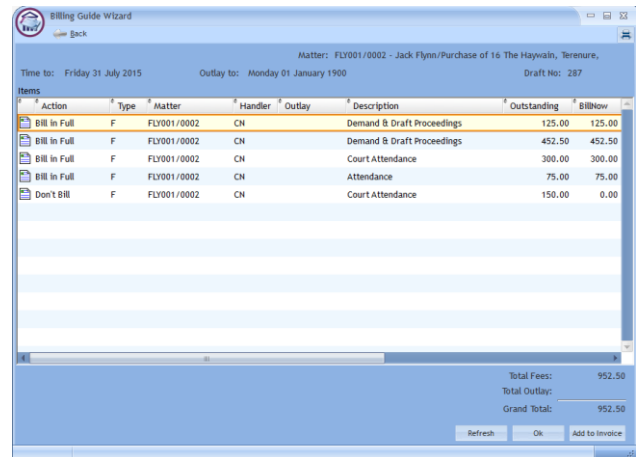


| Soo Grabbit & Runne | | | | | |
|---------------------------|--|----------------|---------------|------------------|-------------|
| VAT No : 8746675DD | | | | | |
| | | | | Date: | 07/08/2015 |
| | | | | Invoice No : | 0 |
| | | | | Our Ref: | FLY001/0002 |
| Jack Flynn | | | | | |
| 4 The Mews | | | | | |
| Rathfarnham | | | | | |
| Dublin 6a | | | | | |
| Date | Billing Description | Time | Net Fees | VAT Amount @ 23% | Net Outlay |
| OurRef | YouRef | | | | |
| FLY001/0002 | Purchase of 16 The Haywain, Terenure, Dublin 6 | | | | |
| 03/07/2015 | Demand & Draft Proceedings | 00 : 50 | 125.00 | | 28.75 |
| 03/07/2015 | Attendance | 00 : 30 | 75.00 | | 17.25 |
| 03/07/2015 | Demand & Draft Proceedings | 03 : 01 | 452.50 | | 104.08 |
| 03/07/2015 | Court Attendance | 02 : 00 | 300.00 | | 69.00 |
| BCDetail.DATE (Date/Time) | | | | | |
| Matter Totals: | | 06 : 21 | 952.50 | 219.08 | 0.00 |
| Net Grand Totals: | | 06 : 21 | 952.50 | 219.08 | 0.00 |

- Group by Outlay Type — the outlay can be grouped to show the total for each type of outlay, such as medical reports and stamp duty, if each item of expenditure has been allocated to a type.
- No Grouping — each item of outlay will be listed in the order in which it was entered.

iii) Click **Regenerate Billing Guide** to continue to the next screen.

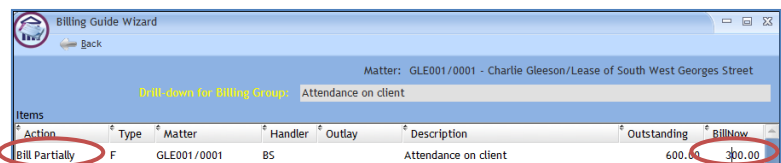
This example shows no Grouping on either fees or outlays



iv) Items can be amended in this screen below are a list of options:


How to Partially Bill an Item

- Double-click the item to be changed:
- Click the figure in the **Bill Now** column and change the amount. The **Action** will change to **Partially Billed**.
- Click **OK** to save the change.

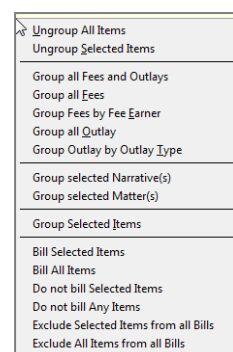


How to exclude an action item from a bill

- Click the item to be excluded.

 **Tip** to exclude more than one item hold down the CTRL key on your keyboard and click on each of the items.

- **Right-click** the selection and choose one of the following commands from the pop-up menu:
 - **Do not bill Selected Items** — the items will be excluded from the current bill only;
 - **Exclude Selected Items from all Bills** — the items will not be included in any future bill.

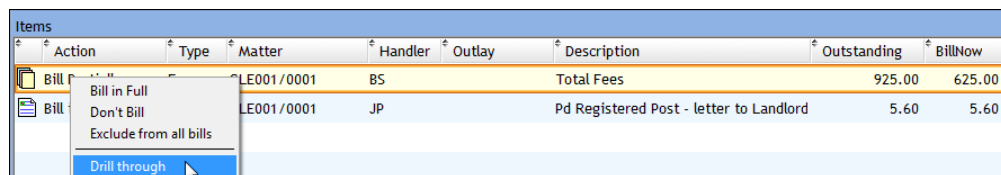


To Add Grouping Levels

Right click on an item and select the required Grouping option from the pop-up menu

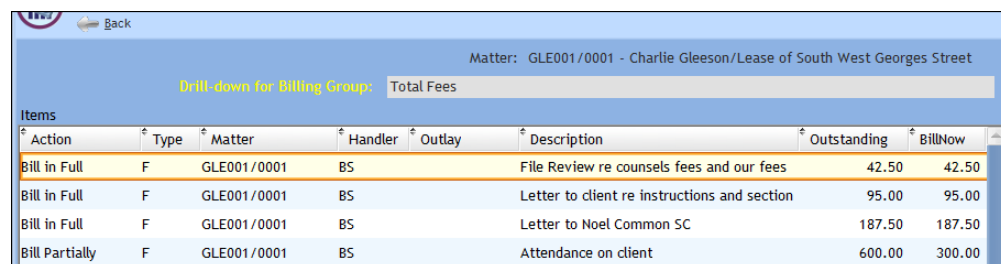
How to Drill down to view all items in a group

- Click on a grouped item and select **Drill Through** from the pop-up menu.



| Action | Type | Matter | Handler | Outlay | Description | Outstanding | BillNow |
|--------|------|-------------|---------|--------|---|-------------|---------|
| Bill | F | GLE001/0001 | BS | | Total Fees | 925.00 | 625.00 |
| Bill | F | GLE001/0001 | JP | | Pd Registered Post - letter to Landlord | 5.60 | 5.60 |

- The items of fees or outlay included in the group will be listed individually and may be changed as described above.



| Action | Type | Matter | Handler | Outlay | Description | Outstanding | BillNow |
|----------------|------|-------------|---------|--------|--|-------------|---------|
| Bill in Full | F | GLE001/0001 | BS | | File Review re counsels fees and our fees | 42.50 | 42.50 |
| Bill in Full | F | GLE001/0001 | BS | | Letter to client re instructions and section | 95.00 | 95.00 |
| Bill in Full | F | GLE001/0001 | BS | | Letter to Noel Common SC | 187.50 | 187.50 |
| Bill Partially | F | GLE001/0001 | BS | | Attendance on client | 600.00 | 300.00 |

- Click the **Back** button to return to the previous screen.

v) When complete:

- Click **OK** to update the draft. A message will ask whether you want to recalculate the **Fee Earner Breakdown** based on the changes to the Billing Guide. Click **Yes** to recalculate or **No** if you do not wish to recalculate.

OR

- Click the **Add to Invoice** button when you are ready to update the invoice. A message will ask whether you want to recalculate the **Fee Earner Breakdown** based on the changes to the Billing Guide. Click **Yes** to recalculate or **No** if you do not wish to recalculate.

b. Adding a Line to the bill manually

Invoice Details | **Fee Earnings Breakdown**

| Type | Narrative | Net | VAT Value | Fee Earnings |
|------|--------------------|--------|-----------|--------------|
| F | Document Drafting | 150.00 | 34.50 | Carol Nolan |
| F | Phone Call | 27.50 | 6.33 | Carol Nolan |
| F | Advice on Contract | 400.00 | 92.00 | Carol Nolan |

- i) Right-click in the **Invoice Details** screen to see the pop-up menu.
- ii) Select **Add a Bill Detail Line**.
- iii) On the **Add or edit Bill Detail Line** screen, input a narrative and amount and change the default information as necessary.

Add or edit Bill Detail Line

Jack Flynn
Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarnham, Dublin 6

Fees Outlays Miscellaneous Outlays

Fee Earnings: Carol Nolan

Nominal: Fees issued - Carol Nolan

Narrative: + Add narrative

Net: 0.00 VAT Code: U VAT Value: 0.00 Override VAT

Ok Cancel

Line No: (new)

- iv) Click **OK** to add to the invoice. Repeat the process for each additional line required.

c. How to amend the Fee Earnings Breakdown

- i) Click the **Fee Earnings Breakdown** Tab.

| Invoice Details | Fee Earnings Breakdown |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|
| Fee Earnings | Percentage Value VAT VAT Amount |

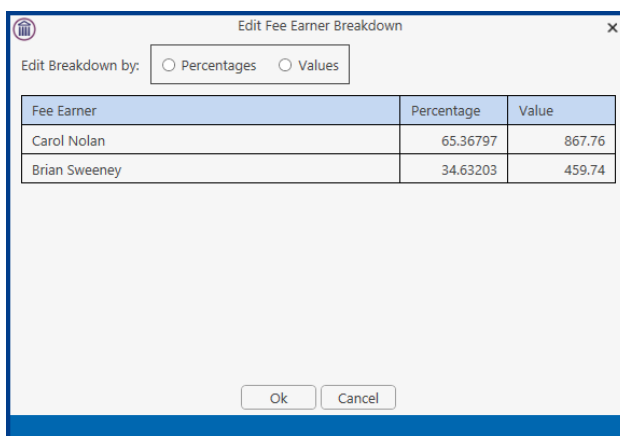
+ Add a Bill Detail Line

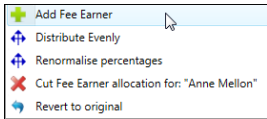
X Clear Bill Detail Lines

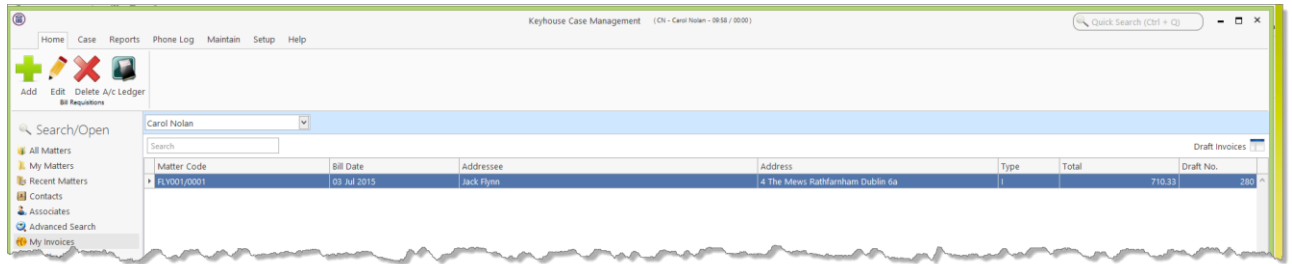
The breakdown will have been calculated automatically, based on time charged in the invoice in respect of each fee earnings.

- ii) To amend right-click and select **Maintain Fee Earnings Breakdown**.

- iii) In the Edit Fee Earner Breakdown window, you may choose to edit the breakdown either by percentages or values. Choose one or the other, then click in the relevant column to change the percentages or values.



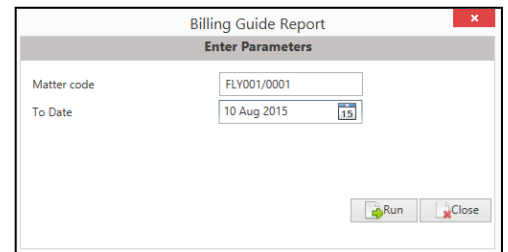
- iv) Alternatively, you may right-click on any of the fee earners and select the required command from the pop-up menu.
- v) If you select **Add Fee Earner**, you will be able to choose from a list of fee earners by double-clicking.
- vi) If you select **Cut Fee Earner allocation for [Fee Earner Name]**, that fee earner's allocation will be removed from the breakdown
- vii). In either case, you will be returned to the **Edit Fee Earner Breakdown** screen, where you can alter the percentages or values as described in iii) above.
- viii) Click **OK** to save the changes and be returned to the **Draft Invoice** screen.
5. Click **OK** on the left-hand column of the **Draft Invoice** screen to save the draft bill or **Release** to send to accounts for approval.
6. The Draft Bill will appear as an entry in the case diary for future review.
- | | | | |
|-------------|-------|----|-------------------------------|
| 15 Nov 2014 | 14:03 | CN | Draft Bill Draft Bill No: 268 |
|-------------|-------|----|-------------------------------|
- 
7. To view the draft invoice, double-click the entry and amend as required. Then click **Release** as in 5 above to send to accounts for approval.
8. Once the invoice has been released by Accounts the Draft Invoice will disappear from the Case Diary and be replaced by the Invoice.
9. All draft invoices can be seen in in My Invoices on the Search/Open screen



Create a Billing Guide Report

1. **Open** a case in the Case Diary.
2. Click on **Time Ledger** on the **Case Diary** Navigation panel.
3. Select **Billing Guide** on the Home tab to bring up a screen asking for parameters for the Billing Guide report.

- a. Specify the date down to which the report is to be prepared
- b. Enter the matter code. The current case will be shown by default



4. Click **Run**. The report will be generated showing the Billing Guide.



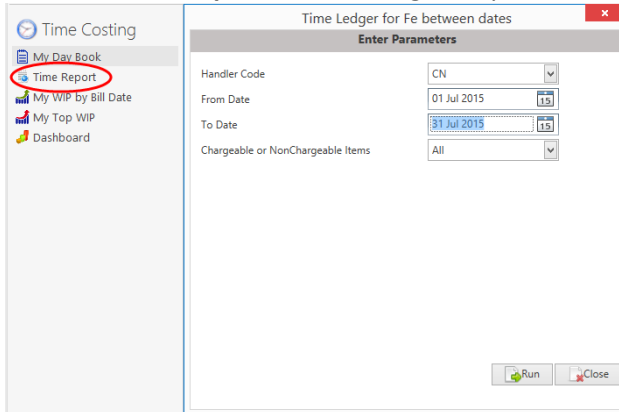
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|--------------------------------|----------------|---|---------------|--------------|----------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|--------------|---------------|--|
| Billing Guide Report | | | | | | | | | | |
| As at : 31/07/2015 | | | | | | | | | | |
| FLY001/0001 | | Jack Flynn Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarnham, Dublin 6 | | | | | | | | |
| Date | FE | Comment | Task | Time Hrs:Min | Accum. Hrs:Min | Rate | Charge | Accum Charge | OS Charge | |
| 03/07/2015 | CN | Phone Call | PHO | 0 : 11 | 0 : 11 | 150.00 | 27.50 | 27.50 | 27.50 | |
| 03/07/2015 | CN | Document Drafting | DRA | 1 : 00 | 1 : 11 | 150.00 | 150.00 | 177.50 | 150.00 | |
| 03/07/2015 | CN | Phone Call | PHO | 0 : 10 | 1 : 21 | 150.00 | 25.00 | 202.50 | 25.00 | |
| 03/07/2015 | CN | Draft Bill No274 | DRA | 0 : 30 | 1 : 51 | 150.00 | 75.00 | 277.50 | 75.00 | |
| 03/07/2015 | CN | Attendance | ATT | 0 : 02 | 1 : 53 | 150.00 | 5.00 | 282.50 | 5.00 | |
| TOTAL | | | | | 1 : 53 | | | | 282.50 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Summary WIP Fee Earner | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fee Earner | Time (Hrs:min) | | Charge | | | | | | | |
| Carol Nolan | 1 : 53 | | 282.50 | | | | | | | |
| WIP Totals | 1 : 53 | | 282.50 | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unbilled Outlay | | | | | | | | | | |
| Date | Ref | Narrative | | | | UnBilled Outlay | Cumulative UnBilled Outlay | | | |
| | | | | | | <u>UnBilled Total</u> | | | | |

The Report may be exported to a Word document (DOC), PDF or an Excel spreadsheet (XLS)

Additionally, you may use the toolbar to **Print** the report, **Refresh** it or **Export** it as a Crystal report, or to **Search** for a word or phrase.

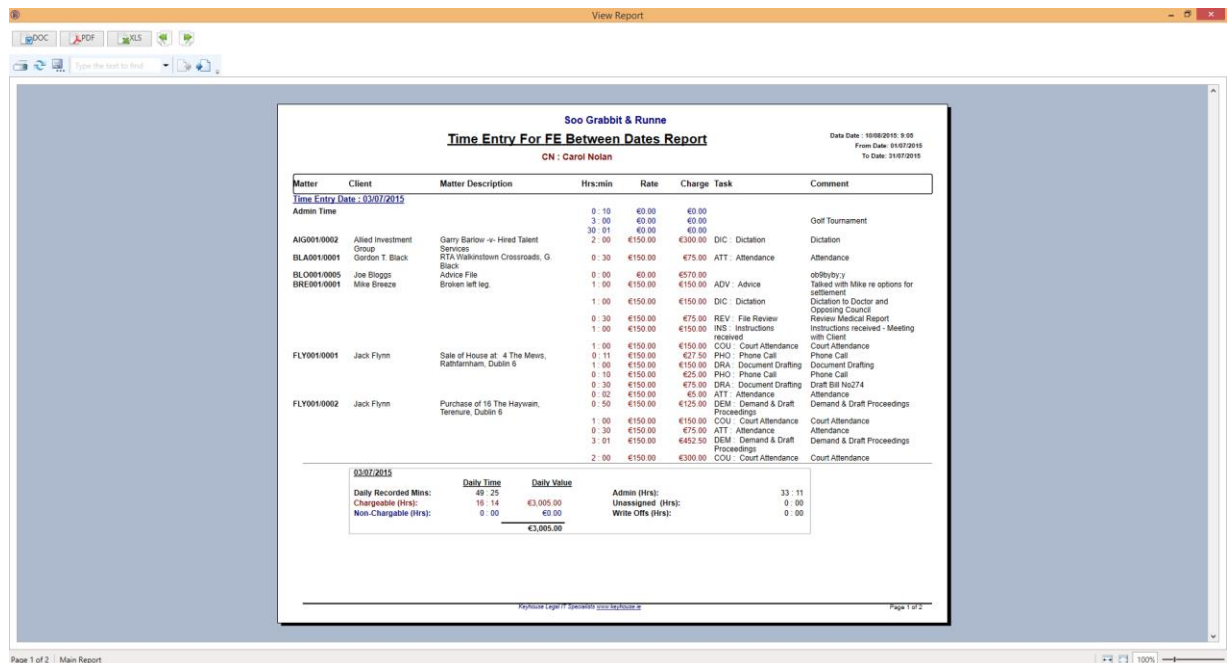
The Time Report

1. Click **Time Report** on the Navigation panel in **Time Costing**.



Input the parameters for the report: the Handler Code, and dates from and to which the report is to be generated

2. Click **Run**. The report may be exported, printed or searched in the same way as the **Billing Guide** report above.



My WIP by Bill Date

1. Click **My WIP by Bill Date** on the Navigation panel in **Time Costing**.

WIP is Work in Progress i.e. unbilled time

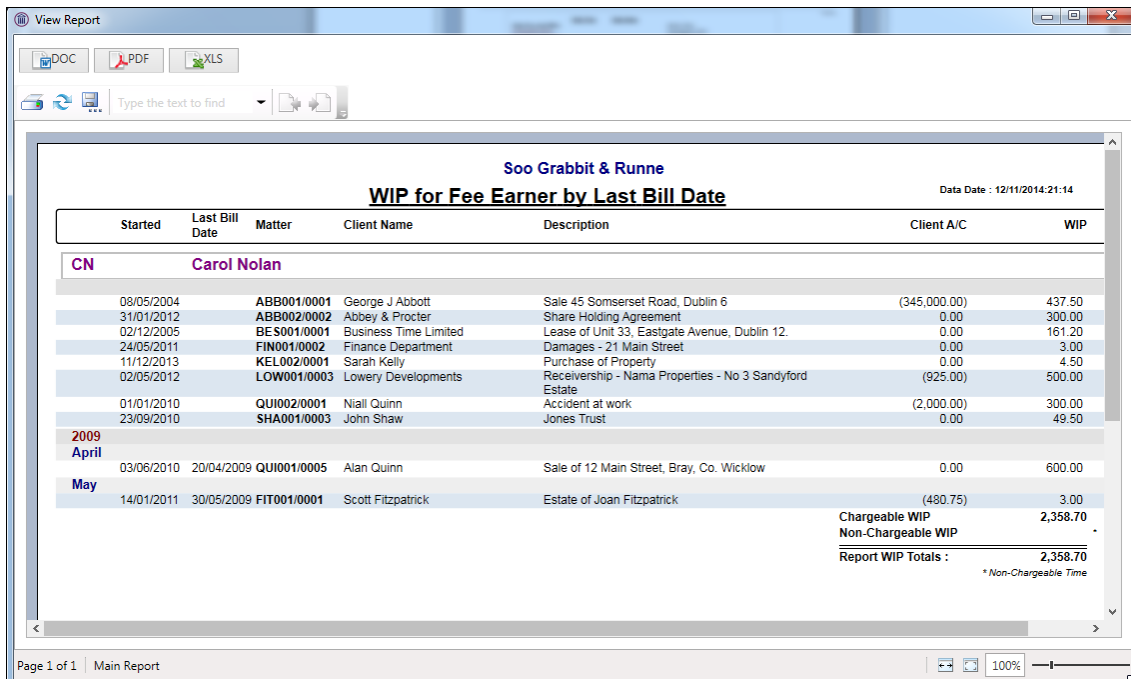
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WIP for Fee Earner by Last Bill Date

Data Date : 10/08/2015: 9:08

| Started | Last Bill Date | Matter | Client Name | Description | Client A/C | WIP |
|-----------------------|----------------|-------------|-------------------------|---|----------------------------|-----------------|
| CN Carol Nolan | | | | | | |
| 31/01/2012 | | ABB002/0002 | Abbie Lynch | Share Holding Agreement | 0.00 | 300.00 |
| 29/05/2014 | | AIG001/0002 | Allied Investment Group | Garry Barlow -v- Hired Talent Services | 0.00 | 300.00 |
| 02/12/2005 | | BES001/0001 | Business Time Limited | Lease of Unit 33, Eastgate Avenue, Dublin 12. | 0.00 | 301.20 |
| 03/07/2015 | | BRE001/0001 | Mike Breeze | Broken left leg. | 0.00 | 675.00 |
| 29/09/2011 | | BRO002/0001 | Thomas Brolin | Legal Advice re Repatriation | (200.00) | 110.00 |
| 24/05/2011 | | FIN001/0002 | Finance Department | Damages - 21 Main Street | 0.00 | 6.00 |
| 02/07/2015 | | FLY001/0001 | Jack Flynn | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarnham, Dublin 6 | 0.00 | 282.50 |
| 02/07/2015 | | FLY001/0002 | Jack Flynn | Purchase of 16 The Haywain, Terenure, Dublin 6 | 0.00 | 1,102.50 |
| 15/03/2012 | | LAW002/0001 | Margaret Lawlor | Debt collection against husband | 0.00 | 10.00 |
| 02/05/2012 | | LOW001/0001 | Lowery Developments | Receivership - Nama Properties 1 Sandyford Estate | (2,100.00) | 2,105.00 |
| 02/05/2012 | | LOW001/0003 | Lowery Developments | Receivership - Nama Properties - No 3 Sandyford Estate | (925.00) | 625.00 |
| 01/01/2010 | | QUI002/0001 | Niall Quinn | Accident at work | (2,000.00) | 363.00 |
| 23/09/2010 | | SHA001/0003 | John Shaw | Jones Trust | 0.00 | 49.50 |
| 06/07/2015 | | TJF001/0001 | TJ Fox | Outstanding debt to PTSB Bank. | 0.00 | 312.50 |
| 2011 | | | | | | |
| May | | | | | | |
| 08/05/2010 | 12/05/2011 | BLA001/0001 | Gordon T. Black | RTA Walkinstown Crossroads, G. Black | 0.02 | 1,075.00 |
| December | | | | | | |
| 02/05/2012 | 31/12/2011 | LOW001/0004 | Lowery Developments | Receivership - Nama Properties - No 81 Sandyford Business Park | (925.00) | 192.00 |
| 02/05/2012 | 31/12/2011 | LOW001/0005 | Lowery Developments | Receivership - Nama Properties - South County Dublin - Disputed | (1,000.00) | 667.50 |
| 2012 | | | | | | |
| January | | | | | | |
| 02/05/2012 | 31/01/2012 | LOW001/0002 | Lowery Developments | Receivership - Nama Properties No 2 Sandyford Estate | (925.00) | 225.00 |
| March | | | | | | |
| 10/11/2011 | 06/03/2012 | LAW001/0001 | Liz Lawlor | Advice re Inheritance tax | (5,000.00) | 147.00 |
| 2014 | | | | | | |
| June | | | | | | |
| 20/05/2011 | 19/06/2014 | ABA001/0001 | David Abrahams | Family Law | (7,737.17) | 4.00 |
| | | | | | Chargeable WIP | 9,961.70 |
| | | | | | Non-Chargeable WIP | - |
| | | | | | Report WIP Totals : | 9,961.70 |

* Non-Chargeable Time

- The same options are available for printing, export and searching as in the case of the **Time Report** and **Billing Guide** report.



My Top WIP

- Click **My Top WIP** on the Navigation panel in **Time Costing**.

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Top Work In Progress By Fee Earner Data Date : 10/08/2016; 9:42
Fee Earner : CN
Including chargeable and nonchargeable time

| Matter | Last Bill Date | Client Name | Matter Description | Client A/c | WIP |
|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|---|------------|-----------------|
| CN | Carol Nolan | | | | |
| LOW001/0001 | | Lowery Developments | Receivership - Nama Properties 1 Sandyford Estate | (2,100.00) | 2,105.00 |
| FLY001/0002 | | Jack Flynn | Purchase of 16 The Haywain, Terenure, Dublin 6 | 0.00 | 1,102.50 |
| BLA001/0001 | 12/05/2011 | Gordon T. Black | RTA Walkinstown Crossroads, G. Black | 0.02 | 1,075.00 |
| BRE001/0001 | | Mike Breeze | Broken left leg. | 0.00 | 675.00 |
| LOW001/0005 | 31/12/2011 | Lowery Developments | Receivership - Nama Properties - South County Dublin - Disputed | (1,000.00) | 667.50 |
| QUI001/0005 | 05/06/2010 | Alan Quinn | Sale of 12 Main Street, Bray, Co. Wicklow | 0.00 | 663.00 |
| LOW001/0003 | | Lowery Developments | Receivership - Nama Properties - No 3 Sandyford Estate | (925.00) | 625.00 |
| DEA001/0001 | 03/08/2010 | James Deane | RTA Whites Cross, Stillorgan | 0.00 | 375.00 |
| QUI002/0001 | | Niall Quinn | Accident at work | (2,000.00) | 363.00 |
| TJF001/0001 | | TJ Fox | Outstanding debt to PTSB Bank. | 0.00 | 312.50 |
| BES001/0001 | | Business Time Limited | Lease of Unit 33, Eastgate Avenue, Dublin 12 | 0.00 | 301.20 |
| ABB002/0002 | | Abbie Lynch | Share Holding Agreement | 0.00 | 300.00 |
| AIG001/0002 | | Allied Investment Group | Garry Barlow -v- Hired Talent Services | 0.00 | 300.00 |
| FLY001/0001 | | Jack Flynn | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarnham, Dublin 6 | 0.00 | 282.50 |
| LOW001/0002 | 31/01/2012 | Lowery Developments | Receivership - Nama Properties No 2 Sandyford Estate | (925.00) | 225.00 |
| LOW001/0004 | 31/12/2011 | Lowery Developments | Receivership - Nama Properties - No 81 Sandyford Business Park | (925.00) | 192.00 |
| LAW001/0001 | 06/03/2012 | Liz Lawlor | Advice re Inheritance tax | (5,000.00) | 147.00 |
| BRO002/0001 | | Thomas Brolin | Legal Advice re Repatriation | (200.00) | 110.00 |
| SHA001/0003 | | John Shaw | Jones Trust | 0.00 | 49.50 |
| TAL001/0001 | 16/11/2010 | Deirdre Talbot | Drunk Driving Arrest - 6th September 2009 | 0.00 | 42.50 |
| SIM001/0001 | 25/04/2010 | Bart Simpson | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarnham, Dublin 6 | 0.00 | 25.50 |
| LAW002/0001 | | Margaret Lawlor | Debt collection against husband | 0.00 | 10.00 |
| FIN001/0002 | | Finance Department | Damages - 21 Main Street | 0.00 | 6.00 |
| ABA001/0001 | 19/06/2014 | David Abrahams | Family Law | (7,737.17) | 4.00 |
| FIT001/0001 | 06/06/2010 | Scott Fitzpatrick | Estate of Joan Fitzpatrick | (480.75) | 3.00 |
| Report Totals | | | | | 9,961.70 |

- The same options are available for printing, export and searching as in the case of the **Time Report** and **Billing Guide** report.

KPI Reports

- Click **Dashboard** on the Navigation panel in **Time Costing** to see the Key Performance Indicators report for the fee earner who is logged in.
- Click on the figures in **blue** or **red** to view a subreport containing a breakdown of the details that make up that figure.
- In the subreport, click the **Preview** tab to return to the main KPI report.
- The options to **Export**, **Print** and **Search** the KPI Report are the same as those for the other reports described above.

Key Performance Indicators Data Date : 0

Breakdown of Fees Issued Year To Date

For Fee Earner : Brian Sweeney (BS)

| Bill Date | Matter | Client Name | Entry Date | Invoice Ref | VAT Value |
|-----------|--------|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------|
|-----------|--------|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------|

KEYHOUSE Key Performance Indicators Data Date: 10/10/2016 10:17

By Fee Earner KPI Parameters

Financial Period : Apr 2009

For Fee Earner: Justin Phelan (JP) Soo Grabbit & Runne

Time Recording (Hours) **Fees Issued by Month** **Fees Year To Date**

| | | | |
|--|-----------------|---|----------|
| Fees Issued Apr | 20,806 | Fees Issued YTD (Jan 2009) | 83,067 |
| Fees Issued Mar | 25,193 | Fees Issued Last Year To Date | 0 |
| Outstanding Fees | 10,788 | Outstanding Fees Over 60 Days | 10,788 |
| Outstanding Invoices | 13,488 | Outstanding Invoices Over 60 Days | 13,488 |
| No. of Draft Invoices | 0 | Value of Draft Invoices | 0 |
| Recorded Hours (01/10/2009 - 31/10/2009) | 131 hrs 58 mins | WIP/Unbilled Time | 31,483 |
| No. of Unposted Time Entries | 0 | WIP/Value | WIP/Date |
| No. Open Active Matters/Cases | 38 | No. Active Matters/Cases Opened (01/10/2009 - 31/10/2009) | 14 |
| No. Matters Opened YTD (Jan 2009) | 14 | No. Cases With Statute (up to 31/10/2016) | 3 |
| No. Undertakings Not Discharged | 1 | No. Undertakings Not Discharged (up to 31/10/2016) | 1 |
| No. Overdue Actions | 8 | No. Total Actions (as of 01/10/2016) | 12 |
| No. High Priority OS Actions | 0 | | |

* Click on the values (Blue/Red) for Detailed Drill down

No. Cases/Matters By Department

Chapter 11: Accounts

Account Functions in the Case Diary

View the Matter Ledger

1. **Open** a case in the Case Diary.
2. Click on **A/C Ledger** on the Case Diary Navigation panel.
3. The following screen will appear.

| Date | Ref | Narrative | Billing A/c | Outlay A/c |
|-------------|---------|--|-------------|------------|
| 30 Jun 2011 | pc | Pd Registered Post | | 5.50 |
| 03 Jul 2011 | 5012368 | Pd Brady & Co Search Fees | | 57.50 |
| 12 Jul 2011 | pc | Pd Commissioner for Oaths swearing affidavit of debt | | 40.00 |

Note: For further information on the matter ledger see the SAM Accounts Manual.

Run a Report on client balances

1. **Open** a case in the Case Diary.
2. Click on **A/C Ledger** on the Case Diary Navigation panel.
3. Click on the **client balances** icon on the Home tab of the Ribbon. The following screen will appear.
4. It will default to the current client; select a different client from the drop-down list, if required.
5. A report will appear listing all matter balances for this client.

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Matter List
(Incl. Fwd Postings)

(Last Posting: 06/09/2012)

| HAL002 | Hire Banking Ltd | | | Billing A/c | Outlay A/c | Client Cur. | Client Dep. |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|-----|----|------------------------|-----------------|-------------|-------------|
| 0000 | 0000 Matter | GEN | AD | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 0001 | Debt Recovery - Jack Johnston | LIT | MV | 1,968.42 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 0002 | Debt Recovery - Mary Ascond | DEB | MV | 4,650.96 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Total Matters: 3 | | | | Total Balances: | 6,619.38 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

* = Billed

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How to set a reserve amount

1. **Open** a case in the Case Diary.
2. Click on **A/C Ledger** on the Case Diary Navigation panel.
3. Click on **Set Client Reserve** on the Home tab, and the following screen will appear.
4. **Input** an amount and a comment.
5. Click **OK**; the reserve amount will then appear on the matter ledger.

Set Client A/C Reserve

Reserve
6,000.00

Comment for Ledger
Reduced amount

Ok Cancel

How to add a comment

1. **Open** a case in the Case Diary.
2. Click on **A/C Ledger** on the Case Diary Navigation panel.
3. Click on the **Comment** icon on the Home tab.
4. Input a comment.
5. Click **OK**; the comment will then appear on the matter ledger.

Add Comment

Date
15 Nov 2014

Paying in Part Payments

Ok Cancel

How to Create a Cheque Request

1. **Open** a case in the Case Diary.
2. Click on **A/C Ledger** on the Case Diary Navigation panel.
3. Click on **Request Cheque** on the Home tab.
4. Input the following information:

Bank Select the required bank account from the drop-down list.

Date Today's date will be shown by default. Change as necessary.

Payee Input the Payee's name or select from the supplier drop-down list.

Value **Input** the amount of the cheque.

Fee Earner This will default to the current fee earner. Select a different fee earner from the drop-down list if required.

Third Party Check the box if this is a third party cheque.

Narrative **Input** a cheque narrative or click on the down arrow to pick from a list of narratives.

Notes **Input** a note to the Accounts Department if required.

Matter This will show the current case. To select a different case, click on the browse button for the matter list and **double-click** the required case.


Notify Release Check this box if you want an email to be sent to the Accounts Department when the cheque has been released.

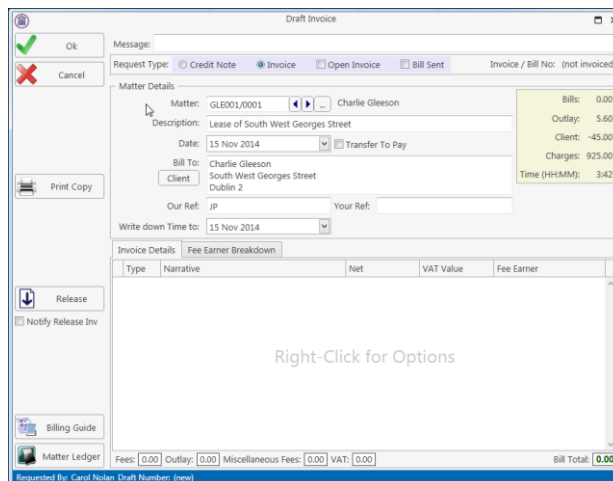
Ledger Narrative By default to the cheque narrative will be shown but it can be amended either manually or by selecting from the drop-down list.

5. To release the cheque to accounts click **Release**. Alternatively to hold the cheque in your cheque list click **OK**.

How to Create a Draft Invoice

10. **Open** a case in the Case Diary.
11. Click on **A/c Ledger** on the **Case Diary** Navigation panel.
12. Click on **Draft Invoice** on the Home tab while in **A/c Ledger**. A Draft Invoice screen will appear.

 **Note:** The current balances on the matter are displayed on the right of the screen.



Message

Input a message for the Accounts Department (optional)

Type

Invoice will be checked by default; select **Credit Note** if required.

Open Invoice

Check the box to create an open invoice.

Bill Sent

This box is to be checked when the bill is actually sent.

Matter

This will default to the current case; to change the case click on the browse button to bring up a matter list and double-click the required case.

Description

This will default to the matter description to amend click in the input box provided and amend.

Date

The date will default to today's date but may be changed.

Transfer to Pay

If this is checked, funds will be transferred from the client account to pay the bill.

Bill to

The client details will be shown by default, but the name and/or address may be changed. Click the **Client** button to

Client

Our Ref

This will default to the Fee Earner's initials, but may be amended if required.

Your Ref

Input a reference if applicable.

Write down time to

Today's date will be shown by default. You may choose a different date for the time to be written down to.

13. Insert the Bill Details: this can be done by importing time and outlays using the **Billing Guide Wizard** or by manually inputting fees and outlays.

See Chapter 10, above for particulars of how to use the Billing Guide wizard and manually adding time and outlay to a bill.

My Draft Invoices

How to View My Invoices

1. Click on **Search/Open** on the Navigation panel.
2. Select **My Invoices** on the Navigation panel to display a list of your draft invoices.

| Matter Code | Bill Date | Addressee | Address | Type | Total | Draft No. |
|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|------|----------|-----------|
| GLE001,0001 | 15 Nov 2014 | Charlie Gleeson | South West Georges Street Dublin 2 | I | 0.00 | 265 |
| GOR001,0001 | 15 Nov 2014 | Noreen Gorman | 22 North Circular Road Dublin 2 | I | 178.67 | 266 |
| GRE002,0002 | 15 Nov 2014 | Roger Greene | 33 Main Street Cork | I | 774.90 | 267 |
| GLE001,0001 | 15 Nov 2014 | Charlie Gleeson | South West Georges Street Dublin 2 | I | 1,143.36 | 268 |
| GLE001,0002 | 15 Nov 2014 | Charlie Gleeson | South West Georges Street Dublin 2 | I | 4,981.50 | 269 |
| BLA001,0001 | 29 Oct 2014 | Gordon T. Black | 23 Ellis Park, Rathmines, Dublin 6. | I | 0.00 | 264 |

How to Add a Draft Invoice

1. Click **Add** on the Home tab while viewing **My Invoices** as described above.
2. A draft Invoice will appear.
3. Complete as previously described in How to Create a Draft Invoice, p. 104 above.

How to Edit a Draft Invoice

1. Go to **My Invoices** as described above.
2. Either select the invoice to be edited and click the **Edit** icon on the Home tab or **double-click** the invoice in the list.
3. **Edit** the invoice as required.
4. Click **OK** to save the changes or click **Release** to save the change and send to Accounts for approval.

| Type | Narrative | Net | VAT Value | Fee Earner |
|------|---|--------|-----------|---------------|
| F | Attendance on client | 600.00 | 138.00 | Brian Sweeney |
| F | Letter to client re instructions and section 6... | 95.00 | 21.85 | Brian Sweeney |
| F | File Review re counsels fees and our fees | 42.50 | 9.78 | Brian Sweeney |
| F | Letter to Noel Common SC | 187.50 | 43.13 | Brian Sweeney |
| O | Pd Registered Post - letter to Landlord | 5.60 | 0.00 | Justin Phelan |

Fees: 925.00 Outlay: 5.60 Miscellaneous Fees: 0.00 VAT: 212.76 Bill Total: 1,143.36

How to Delete a Draft Bill

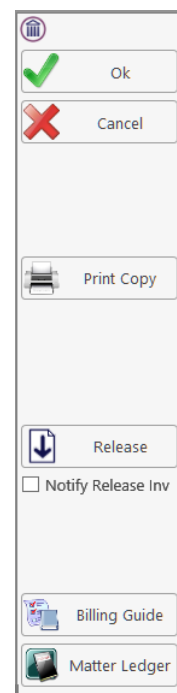
1. Go to **My Invoices** as described above and select the invoice which is to be deleted.
2. Click on **Delete** on the Home tab or press **Delete** on your keyboard; you will be asked to confirm the deletion.
3. Click **OK** to delete.

How to Release a Draft Bill to Accounts

1. Go to **My Invoices**.
2. **Double click** on the invoice to be released; the draft bill will appear.
3. Click on the **Release** button on the left-hand panel to send to Accounts for approval.

How to Print a Draft Bill

1. Go to **My Invoices**
2. **Double click** on the bill you want to Print; the draft bill will appear.
3. Click on the **Print Copy** button.
4. Click on **Print** located on the report toolbar to print the draft bill.



View Report

DOC PDF XLS

Type the text to find

Print

INVOICE
DRAFT

Charlie Gleeson 15 Nov 2014
South West Georges Street Dublin 2

Account Ref: GLE001 0001 Our Ref: JP
Invoice No: 0 Your Ref:

| Lease of South West Georges Street | Not Liabile to VAT € | Liabile to VAT € |
|--|----------------------|------------------|
| Attendance on client | | 600.00 |
| Letter to client re instructions and section 68 letter | | 95.00 |
| File Review re counsels fees and our fees | | 42.50 |
| Letter to Noel Common SC | | 187.50 |
| Pd Registered Post - letter to Landlord | 5.60 | |
| Subtotals | 5.60 | 925.00 |
| 925.00 @ 23.00 % VAT | | 212.76 |
| Add total not subject to VAT | | 5.60 |
| INVOICE TOTAL: | | 1,143.36 |

My Cheques

How to Create a Cheque Request

1. View **My Cheques** as described above.
2. Click **Add** on the Home tab.
3. Input the following information:

Bank Select from the drop-down list.

Date Today's date will be shown by default; change as required.

Payee Input the Payee's name or select a supplier from the drop-down list.

Value **Input** the amount of the cheque.

Fee Earner This will default to the current fee earner. Select a different fee earner from the drop-down list if required.

Third Party Check the box if this is a third party cheque.

Narrative **Input** a cheque narrative or click on the down arrow to pick from a list of narratives.

Notes **Input** a note to the Accounts Department if required.

Matter This will show the current case. To select a different case, click on the browse button for the matter list and **double-click** the required case.

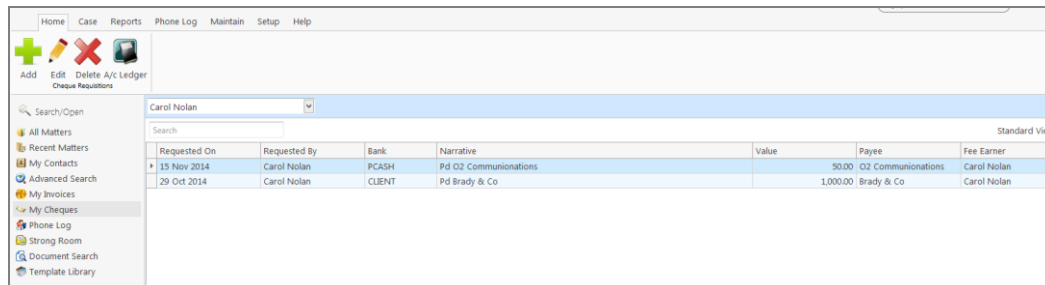
Notify Release Check this box if you want an email to be sent to the Accounts Department when the cheque has been released.

Ledger Narrative By default to the cheque narrative will be shown but it can be amended either manually or by selecting from the drop-down list.

4. To release the cheque to accounts click **Release**. Alternatively to hold the cheque in your cheque list click **OK**.

How to View My Cheques

1. Click on Search/Open on the Navigation.
2. Click on **My Cheques** on the Navigation panel. A list of your draft cheques will be displayed.



| Requested On | Requested By | Bank | Narrative | Value | Payee | Fee Earner |
|--------------|--------------|--------|-----------------------|----------|--------------------|-------------|
| 15 Nov 2014 | Carol Nolan | PCASH | Pd O2 Communionations | 50.00 | O2 Communionations | Carol Nolan |
| 29 Oct 2014 | Carol Nolan | CLIENT | Pd Brady & Co | 1,000.00 | Brady & Co | Carol Nolan |

3. To view the request, double click on the required line.

How to Edit a Cheque Request

1. View **My Cheques** as described above.
2. Select the cheque you want to edit.
3. Click **Edit** on the Home tab.
4. Make the required changes.
5. Click **OK** to save the changes or **Release** to save the changes and send to Accounts.

How to Delete a Cheque Request

1. View **My Cheques** as described above.
2. Select the cheque you want to delete.
3. Click **Delete** on the Home tab.

How to Release a Cheque Request

1. View **My Cheques** as described above.
2. **Double click** on the cheque you want to release.
3. Click on the **Release** button at the bottom right of the Cheque Request dialogue box.

How to view the A/C Ledger

1. View **My Cheques** as described above.
2. Click on the **A/c Ledger** icon on the Home tab. The accounts ledger will be displayed.



| Case: BLA001/0001 | | Gordon T. Black | | Tel: 01 4766666 | | |
|--------------------|---------|--|-------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------|
| | | RTA Walkinstown Crossroads, G. Black | | F/e: BS | | |
| Search | | | | | | |
| Date | Ref | Narrative | Billing A/c | Outlay A/c | Client Current | Deposit A/c |
| 12 May 2011 | pc | Stephen Keogh Senior Counsel Fees | | 3,230.00 | | |
| 30 Apr 2010 | pc | Pd Commissioner for Oaths | | 55.00 | | |
| 30 Mar 2010 | pc | Pd Swearing fees | | 24.00 | | |
| 02 May 2012 | Ld | Lodged fees | (73,800.00) | | | |
| 18 Apr 2012 | Inv 321 | Invoice: Fees:60000 Outlay:0 VAT:13800 | 73,800.00 | | | |
| 19 Jun 2010 | 5887 | Pd Mr Gordon T Black settlement less fees as agreed | | | 12,548.00 | |
| 20 Oct 2011 | 509818 | Pd cLIENT | | | 2,036.72 | |
| 30 Jul 2010 | 500178 | Pd Gordon T Black balance due to client | | | 375.30 | |
| 24 Apr 2010 | 2390 | Pd Dr Simon Young Medical Report | | 250.00 | | |
| 15 Mar 2010 | 2266 | Pd PIAB | | 50.00 | | |
| 12 May 2011 | 218 | Invoice: Fees:635 Outlay:379 VAT:133.35 | 1,147.35 | | | |
| 12 May 2011 | 218 | To Invoice 218 | | (55.00) | | |
| 12 May 2011 | 218 | To Invoice 218 | | (250.00) | | |
| 12 May 2011 | 218 | To Invoice 218 | | (24.00) | | |
| 12 May 2011 | 218 | To Invoice 218 | | (50.00) | | |
| 30 May 2010 | 1739 | Lodged settlement agreed | | | (13,750.00) | |
| 10 Jun 2010 | 1654 | Lodged on a/c fees & vat | | | (1,210.00) | |
| 20 Oct 2011 | 123456 | Lodged part payment on a/c | (1,000.00) | | | |
| 26 Oct 2011 | 1234545 | Bill from Airtricity | | 106.61 | | |
| 07 Aug 2015 | | FN: 500.00 Gordon T. Bl... Fees: 500.00 Outlay: 0.00 Vat: 0.00 | | | | |
| Client A/c Reserve | | | 0.00 | | | |
| | | | 147.35 | 3,336.61 | 0.02 | 0.00 |

Chapter 12: The Debt Ledger

How to View the Debt Ledger

1. **Open** a case in the **Case Diary**.
2. Click on **Debt Ledger** in the **Case diary** navigation panel. The Debt Ledger will be displayed.


How to add the original debt

1. **Open** a debt case in the **Case Diary**.
2. Click on **Debt Ledger** on the **Case diary** navigation panel. The following screen will appear.

The screenshot shows the Debt Ledger interface for case IBS001/0008. It includes a header with case details and a table of transactions. Summary statistics are shown at the top right.

| Matter Code | Date | Description | Method | Type | Payment | Principal Paid | Interest Paid | Cost Paid | Interest Due | Cost Due | Remitted | Held Date | Posting Ref | Reference |
|-------------|-------------|-------------------------------|--------|----------|----------|----------------|---------------|-----------|--------------|----------|----------|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| IBS001/0008 | 26 Aug 2008 | Court Fees | | Costs | 0.00 | 0.00 | | | | 60.00 | | | | 14 |
| IBS001/0008 | 26 Aug 2008 | Interest on 50,000.00 at 2... | | Interest | 0.00 | 0.00 | | | 2,652.05 | 0.00 | | | | 15 |
| IBS001/0008 | 26 Aug 2008 | | Cheque | Receipt | 5,000.00 | 5,000.00 | | | 0.00 | 0.00 | | 09 Sep 2008 | | 16 |
| IBS001/0008 | 26 Aug 2008 | | Cheque | Receipt | 600.00 | 600.00 | | | 0.00 | 0.00 | | 09 Sep 2008 | | 19 |

Summary statistics: Original Debt Amount: 50,000.00; Interest To-date: 2,652.05; Recoverable Cost To-date: 60.00; Total Collected To-date: 5,600.00; Outstanding: 47,112.05.

3. **Input** the Original Debt amount.
4. Click the check mark under the amount to  confirm.

Note the **Balance of Debt** will update automatically as postings are made.

How to Post a Payment

1. Click on **Debt Ledger** on the **Case diary** navigation panel.
2. Click **Post Payment**.

The screenshot shows the Post Payment dialog box with the following fields and values:

- Original Debt Amount: 50,000.00
- Interest To-date: 2,652.05
- Recoverable Cost To-date: 60.00
- Total Collected To-date: 5,600.00
- Outstanding: 47,112.05

Input the following information on the **Post Payment** dialogue box:

The screenshot shows a 'Post payment' dialog box with the following fields and values:

| | | | |
|------------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------|
| Matter Code | IBS001/0001 | | |
| Date | 15 Nov 2014 | | |
| Reference | 1425 | | |
| Type | Direct Payment | | |
| Payment Method | Cheque | | |
| Value | 305.00 | | |
| Principal Paid | 250.00 | Principal Status | Part Payment |
| Costs Paid | 50.00 | Costs Status | Part Payment |
| Interest Paid | 5.00 | Interest Status | Part Payment |
| Description Paid | 3 of 5 payments | | |

- Date The date will default to today's date; amend if required.
- Reference **Input** a reference.
- Type Select the **payment type** from the drop-down list.
- Payment Method Select the **payment method** from the drop-down list.
- Value **Input** the amount of the payment.
- Principal Paid **Input** the amount of the payment to be allocated to the principal.
- Principal Status Select the **Principal Status** applicable from the drop-down list.
- Costs Paid **Input** the amount of the payment to be allocated to costs.
- Costs Status Select the **Cost Status** applicable from the drop-down list.
- Interest Paid **Input** the amount of the payment to be allocated to interest.
- Interest Status Select a status from the drop-down list.
- Description **Input** a description for this payment.

3. Click **OK** to post the payment. The debt balance will update.

How to Post Costs

1. Click on **Debt Ledger** on the **Case diary** navigation panel.
2. Click on **Post Costs**.

3. Input the following information on the Post Costs dialogue box

Date The date will default to today's date amend if required.

Costs Input an amount for the cost or select from the drop-down list.

Description **Input** a description of the cost.

Charge cost to Client Check the box if the cost is chargeable to the client

Client Charge **Input** the amount of the cost chargeable to the client.

4. Click **Save** to post the cost, the balance will update.

How to Post Interest

1. Click on **Post Interest**.


2. Input the following information on the **Post Interest** dialogue box:

Term Select Monthly, Yearly etc. from the drop-down list.

Rate at **Input** the rate of interest

From **Input** the start date or click the down arrow to select from the calendar.

- To **Input** the end date or click the down arrow to select from the calendar.
- On **Input** the amount on which the interest is to be calculated.

 **Note:** Once the information is provided the interest will calculate automatically and will then be displayed in the Calculated Interest box.

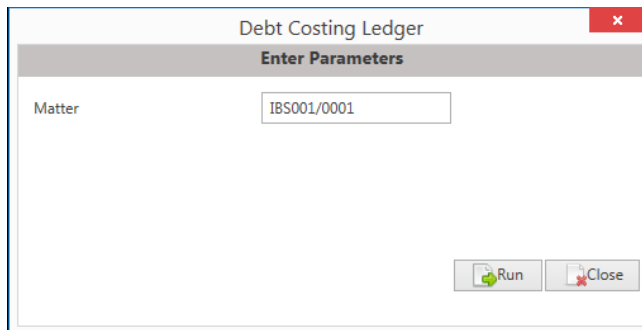
- Click **Save** to post the interest and the balance will automatically update.

How to Amend an Entry

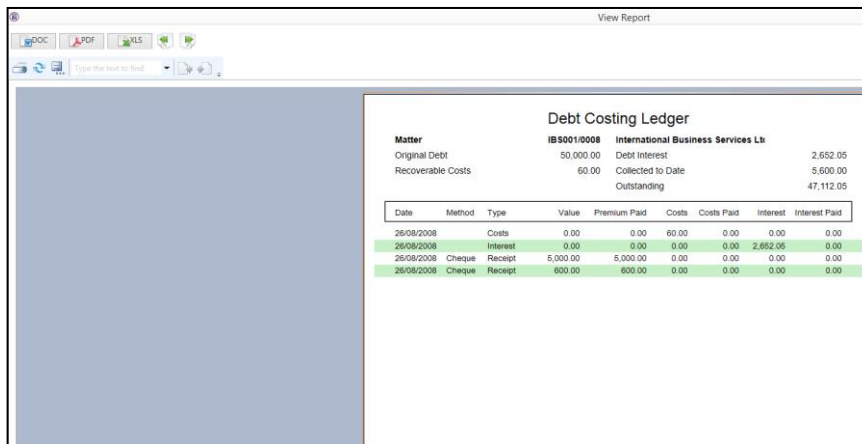
- Click **Debt Ledger** on the **Case diary** navigation panel.
- Double click on the entry you want to amend.
- Amend as required and click **Save** to post the change.

How to Print a Debt Ledger Report

- Click on **Debt Ledger** on the **Case diary** navigation panel.
- Click on **Print** on the Home tab. The following dialogue box will appear.



- Click on the Run Button a report will be generated see the following example.



| Matter | | IBS001/0008 | International Business Services Ltd | | | |
|-------------------|--|-------------|-------------------------------------|--|--|-----------|
| Original Debt | | 50,000.00 | Debt Interest | | | 2,652.05 |
| Recoverable Costs | | 60.00 | Collected to Date | | | 5,600.00 |
| | | | Outstanding | | | 47,112.05 |

| Date | Method | Type | Value | Premium Paid | Costs | Costs Paid | Interest | Interest Paid |
|------------|--------|----------|----------|--------------|-------|------------|----------|---------------|
| 28/08/2008 | | Costs | 0.00 | 0.00 | 60.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 28/08/2008 | | Interest | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 2,652.05 | 0.00 |
| 28/08/2008 | Cheque | Receipt | 5,000.00 | 5,000.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 28/08/2008 | Cheque | Receipt | 600.00 | 600.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

- Click **Print** on the Report Toolbar to send the report to the printer.

Chapter 13: The Reserve Ledger

The reserve ledger is used in litigation and medical negligence cases to make provision for awards of damages.

How to View the Reserve Ledger

1. **Open** a case in the **Case Diary**.
2. Click on **Reserve Ledger** on the **Case diary** Navigation panel. The Reserve Ledger will be displayed.

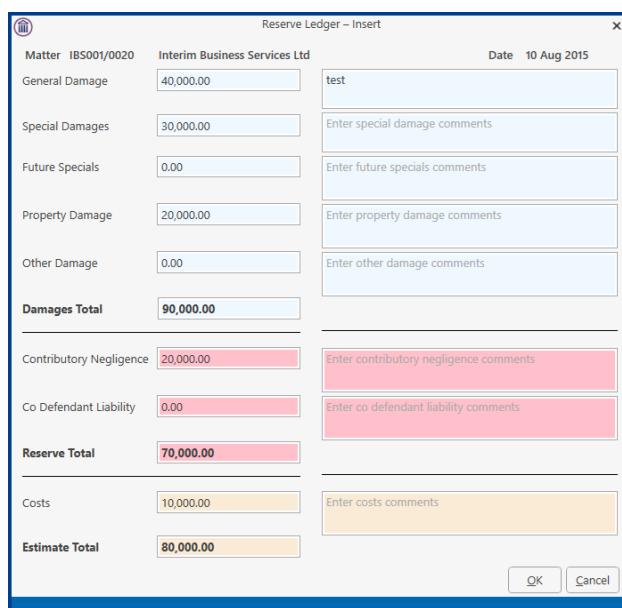


The screenshot shows the Reserve Ledger interface for case IBS001/0020, Interim Business Services Ltd. The table displays the following data:

| Date | General Damages | Special Damages | Future Specials | Property Damage | Other Damages | Contributory Negligence | Co Defendant Liability | Costs | General Comment | Special Comment | Future Comment | Property Comment | Other Comment | Contributory Comment | CoDefendant Comment | Costs Comment |
|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------|---------------|----------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| 08 Aug 2013 | 40,000.00 | 30,000.00 | 0.00 | 20,000.00 | 0.00 | 20,000.00 | 0.00 | 10,000.00 | test | | | | | | | |
| 08 Aug 2013 | 50,000.00 | 30,000.00 | 0.00 | 20,000.00 | 0.00 | 20,000.00 | 0.00 | 10,000.00 | | | | | | | | |
| 08 Aug 2013 | 50,000.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 20,000.00 | 0.00 | 20,000.00 | 0.00 | 10,000.00 | | | | | | | | |

How to Add an Entry

1. Click on **Reserve Ledger** on the **Case diary** Navigation panel.
2. Click **Add** on the Home tab. The **Reserve Ledger – Insert** dialogue box will appear.



The screenshot shows the 'Reserve Ledger – Insert' dialogue box. It contains the following fields and values:

- Matter: IBS001/0020, Interim Business Services Ltd, Date: 10 Aug 2015
- General Damage: 40,000.00, Comment: test
- Special Damages: 30,000.00, Comment: Enter special damage comments
- Future Specials: 0.00, Comment: Enter future specials comments
- Property Damage: 20,000.00, Comment: Enter property damage comments
- Other Damage: 0.00, Comment: Enter other damage comments
- Damages Total: 90,000.00
- Contributory Negligence: 20,000.00, Comment: Enter contributory negligence comments
- Co Defendant Liability: 0.00, Comment: Enter co defendant liability comments
- Reserve Total: 70,000.00
- Costs: 10,000.00, Comment: Enter costs comments
- Estimate Total: 80,000.00

Buttons: OK, Cancel

Input an estimated amount and description for each of the following that applies:

General Damages
Special Damages
Future Specials
Property Damage
Other Damage

Next, estimate, and input a description for, the following, which are expected to reduce the client's liability.

Contributory Negligence
Co Defendant Liability

Finally, input an estimate of the Costs.

The **Damages Total**, **Reserve Total** (Damages Total less Contributory Negligence and Co-Defendant Liability) and **Estimate Total** (Reserve Total plus Costs) will be calculated automatically.

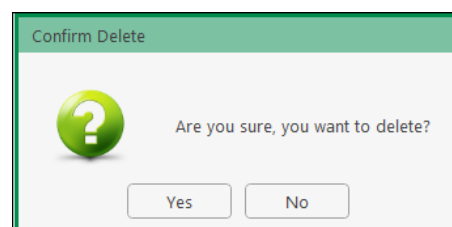
3. Click **OK** to add the entry.

How to Edit an Entry

1. Click **Reserve Ledger** on the **Case diary** Navigation panel.
2. Select the **entry** you want to edit, then click **Edit** on the Home tab. The **Reserve Ledger — Insert** dialogue box (see above) will appear.
3. Make the required changes.
4. Click **OK** to save the changes.

How to Delete an Entry

1. Click **Reserve Ledger** on the **Case diary** Navigation panel.
2. Select the **entry** you want to delete, then click **Delete** on the Home tab.
3. You will be asked to confirm the deletion.
4. Click **Yes** to confirm.



How to Print the Reserve Ledger

1. Click **Reserve Ledger** on the **Case diary** Navigation panel.
2. Click **Print** on the Home tab.
3. A report will run; to print the report, click the Print icon on the report toolbar.

Chapter 14: Phone Log

Viewing, Searching and Sorting the Phone Log

How to view the Phone Log

1. Click on **Search/Open** on the Navigation bar.
2. Click **Phone Log** on the Navigation panel.

| Case Code | Date | Name | Who | Message | Description |
|-------------|-------------|-------------------------|-----|--|---|
| TJF001/0001 | 06 Jul 2015 | TJ Fox | AM | Caller: PTSB - Branch Manager Branch Manager called to say a payment was rece... | Outstanding debt to PTSB Bank. |
| TJF001/0001 | 06 Jul 2015 | TJ Fox | CN | Spoke with solicitors for the Building Society to try and arrange a payment plan. T... | Outstanding debt to PTSB Bank. |
| BRE001/0001 | 03 Jul 2015 | Mike Breeze | CN | Caller: Mike Breeze Wants to discuss settlement options with Defendant. Wants to... | Broken left leg |
| FLY001/0002 | 03 Jul 2015 | Jack Flynn | CN | Caller: James Bay Draft Contracts are ready for review. | Purchase of 16 The Haystack, Terenure, Dublin 6 |
| SHM001/0001 | 02 Jul 2015 | Bart Simpson | CN | Called client to remind him to send back the papers | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarnham, Dublin 6 |
| FLY001/0001 | 02 Jul 2015 | Jack Flynn | CN | Called client to remind him to send back the papers | Sale of House at: 4 The Mews, Rathfarnham, Dublin 6 |
| BES001/0002 | 03 Feb 2015 | Business Time Limited | BS | Phone Call | Shareholding Agreement |
| BES001/0001 | 03 Dec 2014 | Business Time Limited | BS | Phone Call to Harold Worth | Lease of Unit 33, Eastgate Avenue, Dublin 12. |
| NOL001/0001 | 04 Sep 2014 | Paula Nolan | CN | test test test | Paula Nolan V Joe Smith |
| ABB001/0001 | 08 Aug 2014 | George J Abbott | MK | Telcon with etc; etc | Sale 45 Somersset Road, Dublin 6 |
| AIG001/0004 | 29 May 2014 | Allied Investment Group | BS | Sean enquired about third party cover. I informed him that the customer had com... | Mark Twain -> Hoover Services |
| AIG001/0003 | 29 May 2014 | Allied Investment Group | BS | Frank phoned Claims team to follow up on file details | Zara Kennedy -> Carl Indigo |
| AIG001/0002 | 27 May 2014 | Allied Investment Group | BS | Alan phoned regarding uncompleted claims form | Garry Barlow -> Herd Talent Services |
| BEC001/0006 | 20 May 2014 | Angela Beck | BS | Phone lender for redemption statement - Any note | 14 Windy Arbor, Surbiton, Surrey SU1 2WW |
| DUG001/0001 | 19 May 2014 | Paul Duggan | BS | Phone buyers' solicitors; check buyers' full names | 21 Clonard Village, Chiswick, London W5 8NN |
| BL0002/0001 | 19 May 2014 | David Bloggs | BS | Phone lender for redemption statement | 6 Hill Street, Cork, Surrey ST56 6Y |
| DUG001/0001 | 09 May 2014 | Paul Duggan | BS | Phone buyers' solicitors; check buyers' full names | 21 Clonard Village, Chiswick, London W5 8NN |
| DUG001/0001 | 07 May 2014 | Paul Duggan | BS | Phone lender for redemption statement | 21 Clonard Village, Chiswick, London W5 8NN |
| DUG001/0001 | 29 Apr 2014 | Allied Investment Group | BS | Phone Call to discuss potential damages and costs. | Noel Brown -> Jones Services Ltd |
| ABB002/0001 | 27 Mar 2014 | Abbie Lynch | BS | Type in here any conversation details Call from: Abbie Lynch Phone No: +353-87-8... | Commercial Lease - 5 Main Street, Donnybrook. |

3. The **Phone Log** will open displaying all recorded calls.



Tip to refresh the phone log click **Phone Log** on the Home tab.

Search the Phone Log

1. Open the Phone Log.
2. Click in the search box.
3. Input the search terms.
4. To clear the search, click the Clear button to the right of the search box.



How to Sort the Phone Log

1. Open the Phone Log.
2. To Sort by column click on a column heading, e.g. Name.
3. To clear the sort right, right-click on the column heading and select **Clear Sorting** from the pop-up menu.

| | |
|--|------------------------|
| | Sort Ascending |
| | Sort Descending |
| | Clear Sorting |
| | Group By This Column |
| | Show Group Panel |
| | Show Column Chooser |
| | Best Fit |
| | Best Fit (all columns) |
| | Filter Editor... |

How to Filter the Phone Log

1. Open the Phone Log
2. To filter move your mouse over the column heading until a pin appears.

| | Case Code | Date | Name | Who | Message |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----|---|
| ✓ | TJF001/0001 | 06 Jul 2015 | (Blank) | | Caller: PTSB - Branch Manager Branch Manager called t |
| ✓ | TJF001/0001 | 06 Jul 2015 | TJ Fox | | Spoke with solicitors for the Building Society to try and |
| ✓ | BRE001/0001 | 03 Jul 2015 | Mike | | Caller: Mike Breeze Wants to discuss settlement options |
| ✓ | FLY001/0002 | 03 Jul 2015 | Jack F | | Caller: James Bay Draft Contracts are ready for review. |
| ✓ | FLY001/0001 | 02 Jul 2015 | Jack F | | Called client to remind him to send back the papers |
| | SIM001/0001 | 02 Jul 2015 | Bart S | | Called client to remind him to send back the papers |
| | BES001/0002 | 03 Feb 2015 | Angela Beck | | Phone Call |
| ✓ | BES001/0001 | 03 Dec 2014 | Busine | | Phone Call to Harold Worth |
| ✓ | NOL001/0001 | 04 Sep 2014 | Paula | | test test test |
| ✓ | ABB001/0001 | 08 Aug 2014 | Georg | | Telcon with etc etc |
| ✓ | AIG001/0004 | 29 May 2014 | Allied | | Sean enquired about third party cover. I informed him t |
| ✓ | AIG001/0003 | 29 May 2014 | Allied | | Frank phoned Claims team to follow up on file details |
| ✓ | AIG001/0002 | 27 May 2014 | Allied | | Alan phoned regarding uncompleted claims form |
| ✓ | BEC001/0006 | 20 May 2014 | Angel | | Phone lender for redemption statement - Any note |
| ✓ | DUG001/0001 | 19 May 2014 | Paul D | | Phone buyers' solicitors, check buyers' full names |
| ✓ | BLO002/0001 | 19 May 2014 | David | | Phone lender for redemption statement |
| ✓ | DUG001/0001 | 09 May 2014 | Paul Duggan | BS | Phone buyers' solicitors, check buyers' full names |
| ✓ | DUG001/0001 | 07 May 2014 | Paul Duggan | BS | Phone lender for redemption statement |

3. Click on the pin to see a list of filter options click on the required filter.
4. To clear the filter, select **(All)** from the filter drop-down menu (alternatively, right-click the column heading and select **Clear Filter** from the pop-up menu).

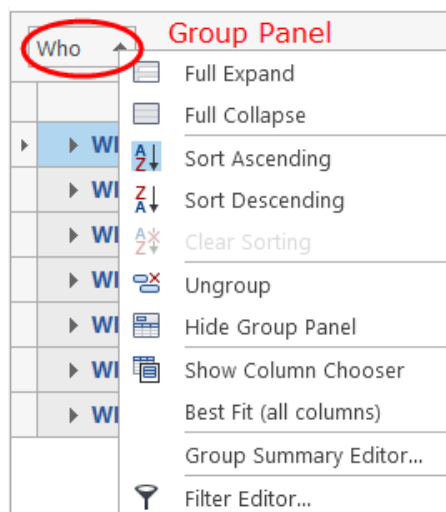
How to Group column headings in the Phone Log

1. Open the Phone Log.
2. Right-click on a column heading to see the pop-up menu.
3. Select **Group By This Column** from the menu. The following example shows the results.

| | Case Code | Name | Date | Message |
|-----|----------------|---------------|-------------|--|
| ▶ | Who: AM | | | |
| ▶ | Who: BS | | | |
| ▶ | Who: CN | | | |
| ▲ | Who: JP | | | |
| ✓ ! | BOU001/0001 | Claire Bourke | 24 Oct 2010 | Telephone Attendance |
| ✓ | BOU001/0001 | Claire Bourke | 17 Jul 2010 | Telephone Attendance |
| ✓ | SMI001/0001 | Smith & Green | 20 Jan 2011 | Caller: john smith - harry rang re contracts |
| ▶ | Who: MK | | | |
| ▶ | Who: MW | | | |
| ▶ | Who: SK | | | |

4. To remove the grouping, if the Group Panel is hidden, right-click on a column heading and select **Show Group Panel** from the pop-up menu.

- When the **Group Panel** is shown, right-click on the column name in the Group Panel.



- Select **Ungroup** from the pop-up menu.

How to add a phone message

- Open** the phone log.
- Click **Add** on the Phone Log tab.

Input the following details on the Add Phone Log dialogue box:

- | | |
|-----------|--|
| Case Code | By default this will be <i>ZZZZZ/ZZZZ</i> , which is used for messages that are not connected with a case. To select a case click on the browse button and search for the required case. |
| Date/Time | This will show the current date and time; amend if required. |

| | |
|----------|--|
| Priority | Select the priority of the message (High, Normal or Low). |
| Who | Who is the message for. You may select from the drop-down list. |
| Notify | To notify somebody else, in addition to the addressee of the message, select from the drop-down list. |
| Caller | Input the caller's name. |
| Message | Input the message. |
| Answered | Check this box only when the message has been answered; when it is checked, the message will not appear in the addressee's task list. |

3. Click **OK**. The message will appear in the selected person's task list.
4. To send an email click **Send Email**.

How to edit a phone message

1. In the phone log, select the message you want to amend.
2. Click **Edit** on the Phone Log tab.

Change Phone Log (1880)

Case: KEL002/0002 ... Sarah Kelly
Debt Collection

Date: 21 May 2014 14:41

Priority: High Normal Low

Who: Carol Nolan

Notify: Please Select Group

Caller: Louise Answered

Message
Caller: Louise
- PLS call urgent

Send Email Ok Cancel

3. Amend as required.
4. Click **OK** to save the changes.

How to delete a phone message

1. **Open** the phone log.
2. Select the message you want to delete.
3. Click **Delete** on the Phone Log tab. You will be asked to confirm the deletion.
4. Click **Yes**.

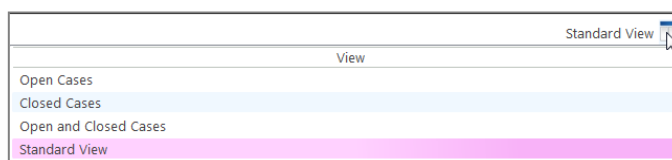
Note: If you delete a message it will be removed from the system completely.

Chapter 15: Closed Cases

How to Search for Closed Cases

1. Click on **Search/Open** on the Navigation panel.
2. Select **All Matters** on the Navigation panel.


3. Click the **View** icon on the right of the window. The Standard View is shown by default.



4. Select the required View
 - **Closed Cases** to search only closed cases
 - **Open Cases** to search only open cases.
 - **Open and Closed Cases** to search both lists.
5. Input a search term in the search box; the search will update as you type.

How to view the Archived Diary & Ledger of a closed case

1. Search for the closed case as described above.
2. Double click the required case to view the Case Diary.
3. Click on **A/C Ledger** on the Navigation panel to view the archived ledger.

 Note no amendments can be made in the Case Diary unless the case is reopened.

How to reopen a closed case

1. Search for the closed case as described above.
2. Double click to open in the case diary.
3. Click on **Current Case Details** on the Navigation panel, to see the Current Case Details screen.
4. Select the **Archive Tab** in Current Case Details.
5. Uncheck the box marked **Closed**. The case is now reopened.

| | | | |
|---|--------|----------------|---------------|
| Client Code | IBS001 | Description | Gary Nevi |
| Matter | 0020 | | |
| Matter | Admin | Case Associate | Other Details |
| | | | Archive |
| Closed Date: 16 Nov 2014 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Closed | | | |

How to close a Case

Before archiving a matter ensure that all balances are nil, all time is posted to the time ledger and all tasks in the case diary are marked as complete.

1. Click on **Search/Open** on the Navigation panel.
2. Select **All Matters** on the Navigation panel.
3. **Search** for the case in the normal way.
4. **Double click** to open in the Case Diary.
5. Click on **Current Case Details** on the Navigation panel, to view the Current Case Details screen.

Current Case Details

Client Code: FLY001 Description: Purchase of 16 The Haywain, Terenure, Dublin 6
 Matter: 0002

Matter Admin Additional Details Case Associate Archive Billing Details Permission Linked Cases

Fee Earner: Carol Nolan File Ref: FLY002/001
 Secretary: Anne Mellon Enter
 Partner: Stephen Keogh Enter
 Department: Conveyancing Enter
 Work Type: Purchase Mark as Important Statement
 Old Reference: FLY001/001 Branch: Dublin Office

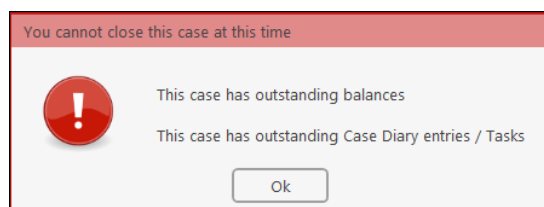
Case Plan & Status

Case Plan/Type: Property Purchase File Colour: Select file colour Clear
 Case Status: Loan approval received Record No: Enter record no

File Number: 362 OK Cancel

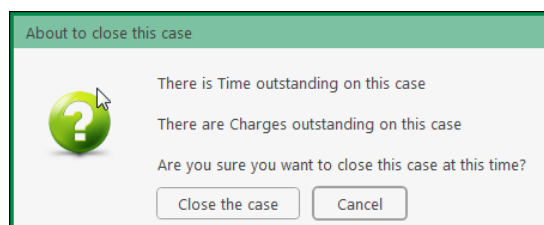
6. Select the **Archive Tab**.
7. Check the box marked **Closed**.

8. If the case cannot be closed because there are uncompleted tasks or there is an account balance, a warning message will be displayed, giving the reason why the case cannot be closed.



Or

If there is unposted time or there are charges outstanding, an alert message will be displayed. In this case, you may proceed with the closure of the case or **Cancel** it.

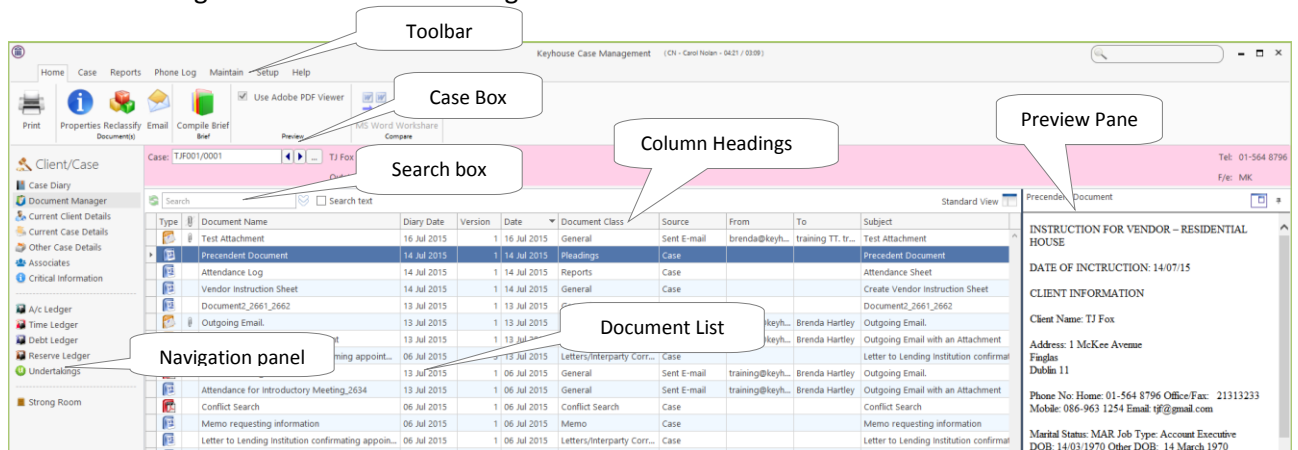


Chapter 16: Using the Document Manager and Brief Wizard

Document Manager

Getting around Document Manager

Below is an image of the Document manager window.

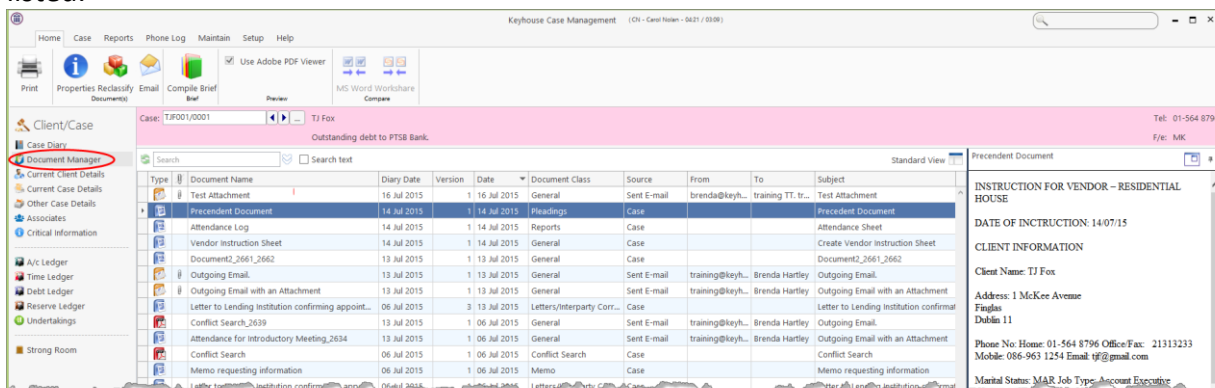


| Window area | Description |
|-----------------|---|
| Case Box | Input the case reference in this box or click the ... browse button and search for the required case. |
| Column Headings | Click the column headings to sort the list of documents by name, version, diary date, document date, document class, Source, From, To, Subject. |
| Document List | The list of documents in this case are displayed. |
| Preview Pane | The selected document is previewed in this window |
| Search box | Enter search text in this box |

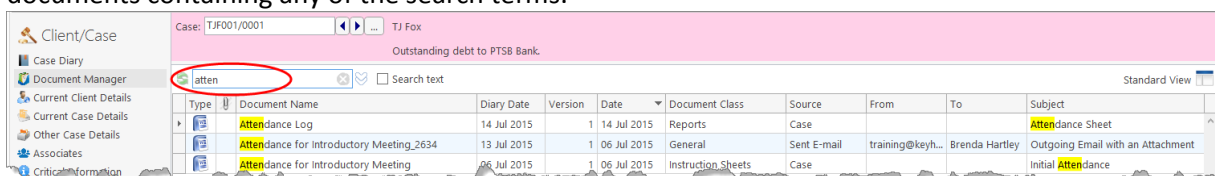
| Home tab | Description |
|--|---|
| | Print |
| | Show document properties |
| | Reclassify: change the document class |
| | Click to email current document |
| | Compile Brief: If no Brief currently exists, this button launches the Brief Wizard . If there is an existing Brief, this button opens the existing Brief in the Brief Maintenance window |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Use Adobe PDF Viewer | Tick to use Adobe Reader to preview document. |
| | Compare two documents using Word's Document Compare feature |
| | Compare two documents using WorkShare (if installed) |

How to search the Document Manager

1. **Open** a case in the case diary.
2. Click **Document Manager** on the Navigation panel. All the attachments in the case will be listed.



3. **Input** the search terms in the **Search** box. The search results will update in real time, showing all documents containing any of the search terms.



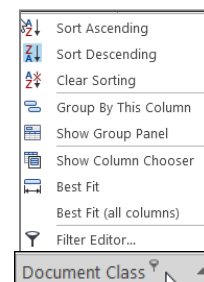
4. **Select** a document to see a preview. **Double click** to open the document.

How to Sort by Column Heading

1. Click a column heading to sort by that heading. Click again to reverse the sort order. See the example below the documents have been sorted alphabetically by **Document Class**.

| Type | Document Name | Diary Date | Version | Date | Document Class | Source | From | To | Subject |
|------|---|-------------|---------|-------------|----------------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------------|--|
| | Test Attachment | 16 Jul 2015 | 1 | 16 Jul 2015 | General | Sent E-mail | brenda@keyh... | training TT. tr... | Test Attachment |
| | Precedent Document | 14 Jul 2015 | 1 | 14 Jul 2015 | Pleadings | Case | | | Precedent Document |
| | Attendance Log | 14 Jul 2015 | 1 | 14 Jul 2015 | Reports | Case | | | Attendance Sheet |
| | Vendor Instruction Sheet | 14 Jul 2015 | 1 | 14 Jul 2015 | General | Case | | | Create Vendor Instruction Sheet |
| | Document2_2661_2662 | 13 Jul 2015 | 1 | 13 Jul 2015 | General | Case | | | Document2_2661_2662 |
| | Outgoing Email. | 13 Jul 2015 | 1 | 13 Jul 2015 | General | Sent E-mail | training@keyh... | Brenda Hartley | Outgoing Email. |
| | Outgoing Email with an Attachment | 13 Jul 2015 | 1 | 13 Jul 2015 | General | Sent E-mail | training@keyh... | Brenda Hartley | Outgoing Email with an Attachment |
| | Letter to Lending Institution confirming appoint... | 06 Jul 2015 | 3 | 13 Jul 2015 | Letters/Interparty Corr... | Case | | | Letter to Lending Institution confirma |
| | Conflict Search_2639 | 13 Jul 2015 | 1 | 06 Jul 2015 | General | Sent E-mail | training@keyh... | Brenda Hartley | Outgoing Email. |
| | Attendance for Introductory Meeting_2634 | 13 Jul 2015 | 1 | 06 Jul 2015 | General | Sent E-mail | training@keyh... | Brenda Hartley | Outgoing Email with an Attachment |

2. To remove the sort, **right-click** the column heading and choose **Clear Sorting** from the pop-up menu.



How to Filter Columns

1. Move your cursor to the column heading required, so that the **filter pin** appears.
2. Click the filter pin and select the required filter from the drop-down menu.

| Type | Document Name | Diary Date | Version | Date | Document Class | Source | From | To | Subj | |
|------|---|-------------|---------|-------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|---------|--------------------|--------|
| | Expenses Claim Form 2015 from 1st July2015 | 16 Jul 2015 | 1 | 30 Jun 2015 | General | (Blanks) | | keyh... | training TT. tr... | Test |
| | Test Attachment | 16 Jul 2015 | 1 | 16 Jul 2015 | General | (Non blanks) | | keyh... | training TT. tr... | Test |
| | Precedent Document | 14 Jul 2015 | 1 | 14 Jul 2015 | Pleadings | Client Letters | | | | Prec |
| | Attendance Log | 14 Jul 2015 | 1 | 14 Jul 2015 | Reports | Conflict Search | | | | Atter |
| | Vendor Instruction Sheet | 14 Jul 2015 | 1 | 14 Jul 2015 | General | General | | | | Atter |
| | Document2_2661_2662 | 13 Jul 2015 | 1 | 13 Jul 2015 | General | Instruction Sheets | | | | Cre |
| | Conflict Search_2639 | 13 Jul 2015 | 1 | 06 Jul 2015 | General | Letters/Interparty Correspondance | | | | Doc |
| | Outgoing Email. | 13 Jul 2015 | 1 | 13 Jul 2015 | General | Memo | | keyh... | Brenda Hartley | Outc |
| | Attendance for Introductory Meeting_2634 | 13 Jul 2015 | 1 | 06 Jul 2015 | General | Pleadings | | keyh... | Brenda Hartley | Outc |
| | Outgoing Email with an Attachment | 13 Jul 2015 | 1 | 13 Jul 2015 | General | Reports | | keyh... | Brenda Hartley | Outc |
| | Conflict Search | 06 Jul 2015 | 1 | 06 Jul 2015 | Conflict Search | Sent E-mail | training@keyh... | | Brenda Hartley | Outc |
| | Attendance for Introductory Meeting | 06 Jul 2015 | 1 | 06 Jul 2015 | Instruction Sheets | Case | | | | Conf |
| | Letter to Lending Institution confirming appoint... | 06 Jul 2015 | 3 | 13 Jul 2015 | Letters/Interparty Corr... | Case | | | | Initia |
| | Letter to Lending Institution confirming appoint... | 06 Jul 2015 | 1 | 06 Jul 2015 | Letters/Interparty Corr... | Case | | | | Lette |

3. To remove the filter, select **(All)** from the filter pin drop-down menu (alternatively right-click the column heading and select **Clear Filter** from the pop-up menu).

How to Group by Column

1. **Right-click** the column heading you want to group by, to show the pop-up menu.
2. Select **Group By This Column**. In the following example, the documents are grouped by document class.

| Type | Document Name | Version |
|---|---------------|---------|
| ▶ Document Class: Attendance Sheet | | |
| ▶ Document Class: Letters/Interparty Correspondance | | |
| ▶ Document Class: Medical Reports | | |

| | |
|-----|------------------------|
| ▲▼ | Sort Ascending |
| ▼▲ | Sort Descending |
| ▲▼* | Clear Sorting |
| 📁 | Group By This Column |
| 📁 | Show Group Panel |
| 📁 | Show Column Chooser |
| 📁 | Best Fit |
| 📁 | Best Fit (all columns) |
| 🔍 | Filter Editor... |

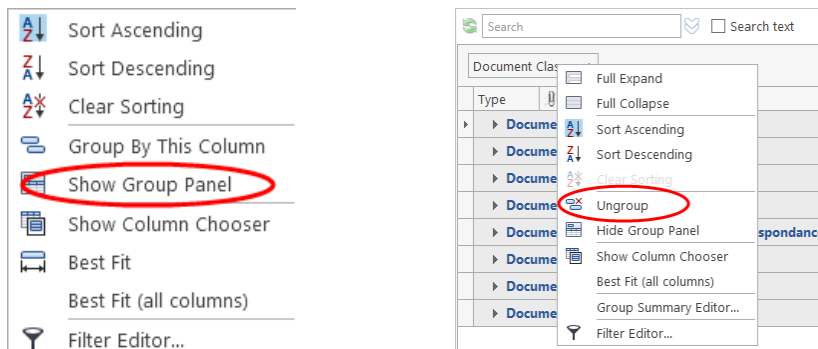
3. To **expand/collapse** a group click the **arrow** to the left.

| Type | Document Name | Version | Diary Date | Date | Source | From | To | Subject |
|---|---------------------------------|---------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|
| ▶ Document Class: Attendance Sheet | | | | | | | | |
| ▶ Document Class: Letters/Interparty Correspondance | | | | | | | | |
| | Letter to Client | 1 | 20 Apr 2010 | 29 Jan 2011 | Case | | | Letter to Client re advice |
| | Letter to Solicitor | 1 | 24 Apr 2010 | 29 Jan 2011 | Case | | | Letter to Land Registry |
| | Letter to Solicitor | 1 | 10 Jun 2010 | 29 Jan 2011 | Case | | | Letter to Solicitor |
| | letter from hospital consultant | 1 | 04 Jul 2011 | 04 Jul 2011 | Received E-m... | Martina Winte... | martina@keyh... | doctors report |
| | Letter to insurance company | 1 | 08 Oct 2014 | 23 Nov 2014 | Case | | | Letter to insurance compan |
| | Letter to Barrister | 1 | 13 Nov 2014 | 23 Nov 2014 | Case | | | Letter to Barrister |
| | Letter to Doctor | 1 | 23 Nov 2014 | 01 Oct 2014 | Case | | | Letter to Doctor |
| ▶ Document Class: Medical Reports | | | | | | | | |

4. It is possible to nest group levels: first group by one column heading, then right-click the next required column heading and click **Group By This Column**. In the following example, the documents are grouped first by **Document Class** and then by **Source**.

| Document Class: Letters/Interparty Correspondance | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------------------------|---|-------------|-------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| Source: Case | | | | | | | |
| | Letter to Client | 1 | 20 Apr 2010 | 29 Jan 2011 | | | Letter to Client re advice |
| | Letter to Solicitor | 1 | 24 Apr 2010 | 29 Jan 2011 | | | Letter to Land Registry |
| | Letter to Solicitor | 1 | 10 Jun 2010 | 29 Jan 2011 | | | Letter to Solicitor |
| | Letter to insurance company | 1 | 08 Oct 2014 | 23 Nov 2014 | | | Letter to insurance company |
| | Letter to Barrister | 1 | 13 Nov 2014 | 23 Nov 2014 | | | Letter to Barrister |
| | Letter to Doctor | 1 | 23 Nov 2014 | 01 Oct 2014 | | | Letter to Doctor |
| Source: Received E-mail | | | | | | | |
| | letter from hospital consultant | 1 | 04 Jul 2011 | 04 Jul 2011 | Martina Winte... | martina@keyh... | doctors report |

To remove the grouping, right-click in any column heading and select **Show Group Panel** from the pop-up menu. The group panel will contain each of the headings by which the documents are grouped (**Document Class** and **Source** in this example). Right-click each of these in turn and select **Ungroup** from the pop-up menu. **It is also possible to drag the heading back onto the Heading Row once the Show Group Panel is visible.**

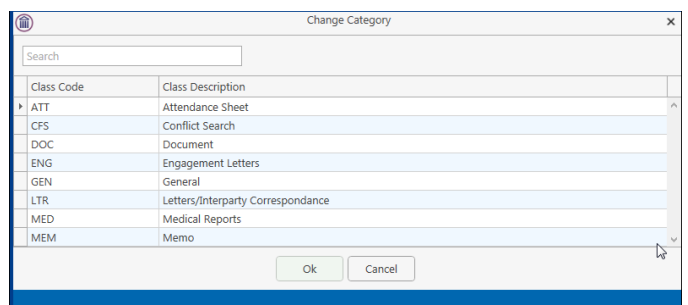


How to reclassify documents

1. Select the document or documents you want to reclassify and click **Reclassify** on the Home tab, to bring up a list of the available document categories.

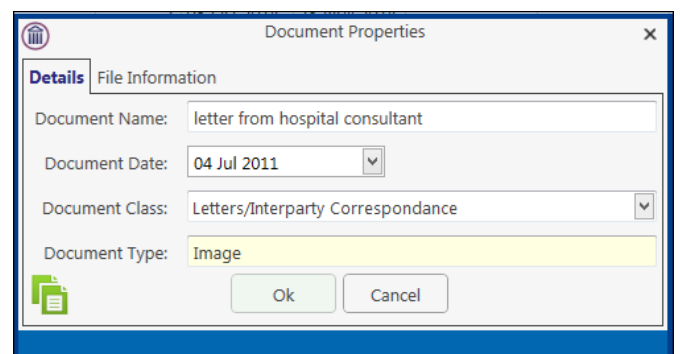
TIP: To select multiple documents: Hold down **CTRL** on your keyboard and click each of the documents to be selected.

2. **Search** for the required category, if necessary, and select it.
3. Click **OK**.



How to change the Document Properties


1. Select the document or documents whose properties you want to amend.
2. Click **Properties** on the Home tab, to show the Document Properties dialogue box.



3. You may amend the **Document Name, Date, Document Class** or **Type**. To change the Document Class, select from the drop-down list, which will show the available classes.
4. The properties on the **File Information** tab are read-only; you may copy the document name and path to the clipboard.

How to email Document(s)

1. Select the document or documents you want to email then click **Email** on the Home tab.

 **TIP:** To select multiple documents: Hold down **CTRL** on your keyboard and click each of the documents required.

2. Outlook will create a new email with the document(s) attached; complete the email as normal and send.

The Brief Wizard

This tool automates the task of generating a brief to counsel, saving you time. It amalgamates all the required documentation in chronological order into relevant sections, complete with a cover page, table of contents and pagination.

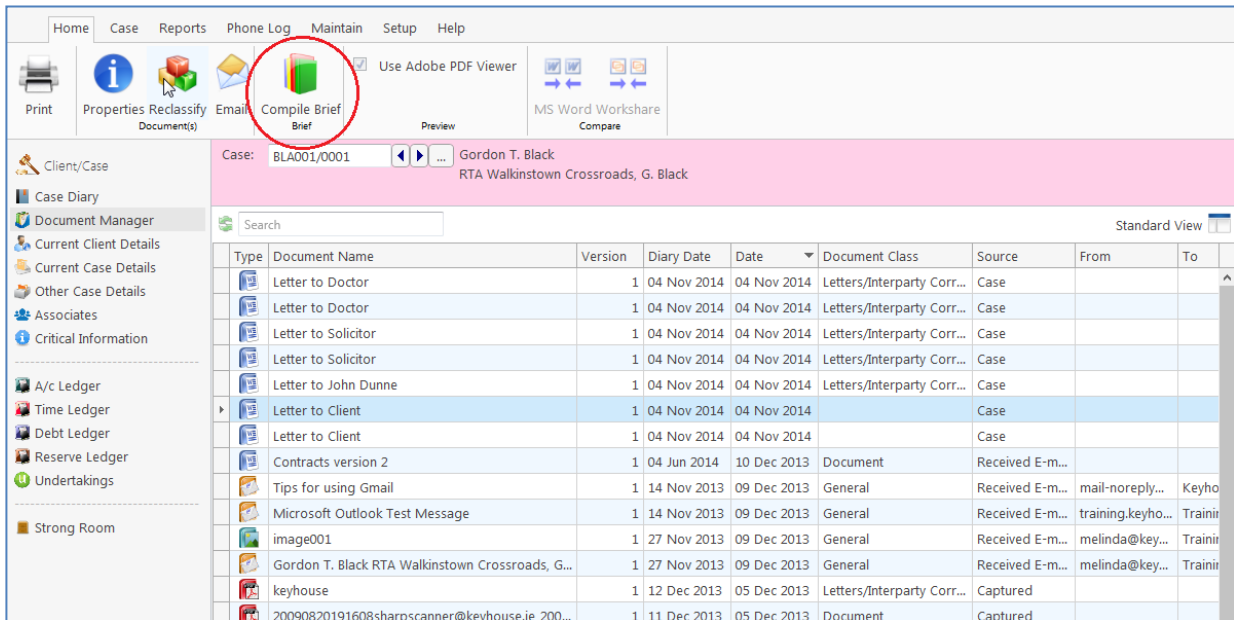
Important Steps for preparing your Brief

1. Review your documents in the **Document Manager** and ensure the necessary files are classified and the Document Date is correct as it will be in your brief.
2. If you cannot view or open a document from the Case Diary or Document Manager screen you will not be able to use this document in your brief.
3. Once you begin to generate your Brief you should not use your PC for any other purpose until the brief is completed. Several different programs will be used to generate the brief and running another program is likely to cause disruption to generation of the brief.
4. Please review the earlier part of this chapter (Document Manager, particularly p. 128 above) for details on how to rename and reclassify a document.

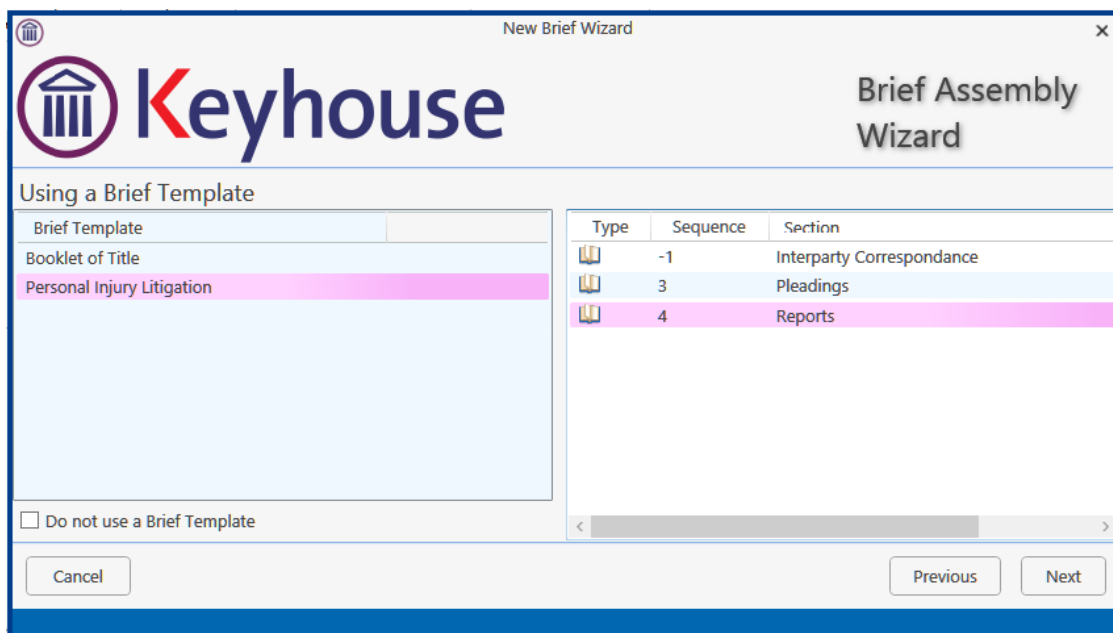
If you need assistance adding **Document Classes** please contact your Keyhouse administrator or casesupport@keyhouse.ie

Assembling a Brief

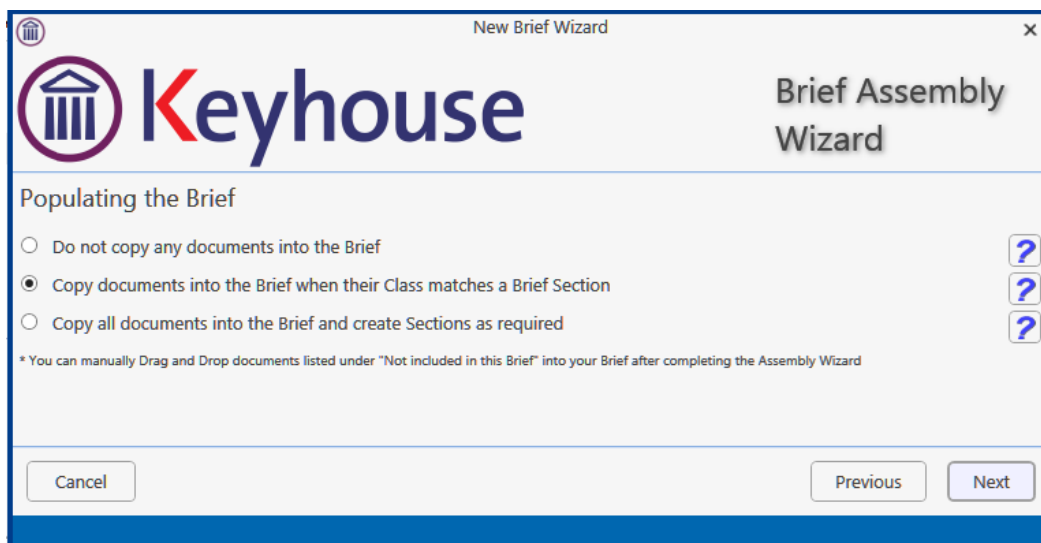
1. **Open** a case in the case diary.
2. Click **Document Manager** on the Navigation panel.



3. Click **Compile Brief** on the Document Manager Home tab.
4. The Brief Assembly Wizard will start with a welcome screen. Click **Next** to continue.
5. If Brief templates have been set up on the system, you may either select one or check **Do not use a Brief Template**.



6. There are three options for populating the brief with documents:

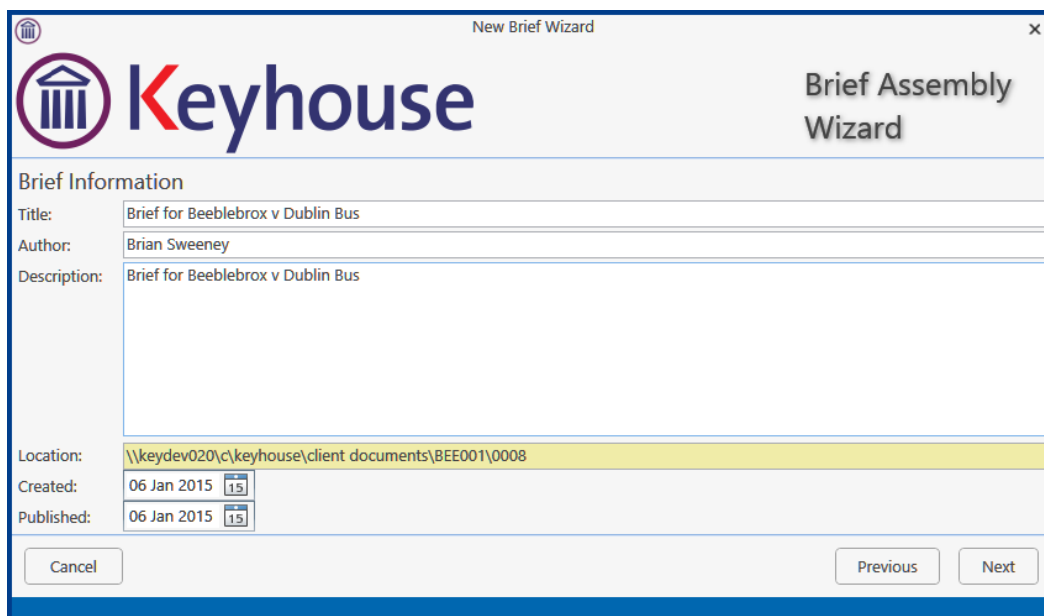


- **Do not copy any documents in the brief:** No documents will be added to the brief automatically but you will be able to drag and drop documents from the Section **Not included in this Brief** into the appropriate section.
- **Copy documents into the brief when their Class matches a brief section:** Any document whose Document Class matches a section of the Brief will automatically be copied into that section.
- **Copy all documents into the brief and create sections as required:** Sections will be created for each Document Class which applies.



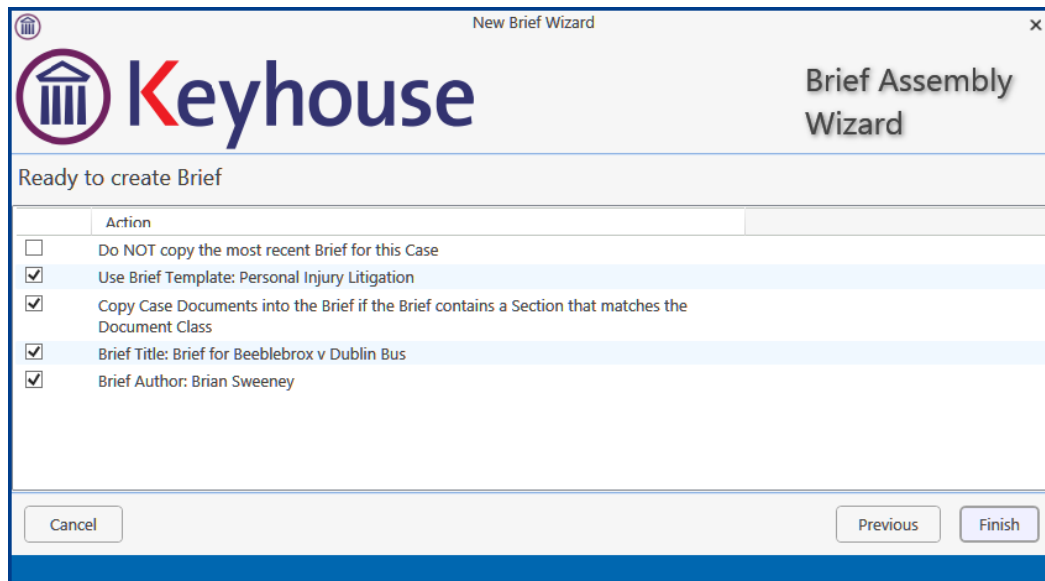
Tip: for further information on each option click the question mark icon beside it.

5. Click **Next** to continue to the **Brief Information** screen.

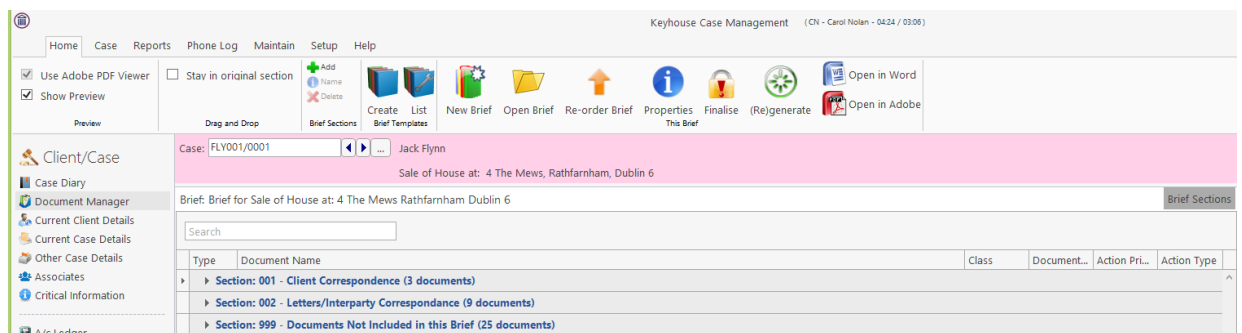


You may accept the default information or amend as required.

6. Click **Next** to continue to the final screen of the wizard, which will contain a summary of the options you have selected. You can make changes by checking and unchecking the boxes or click **Previous** to go back to an earlier screen.



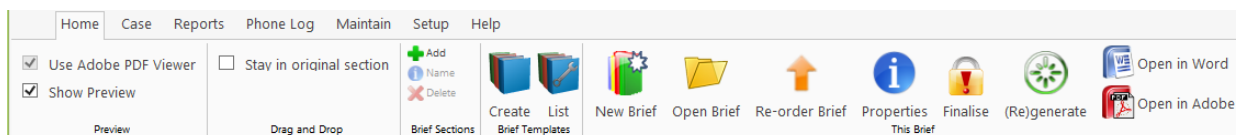
7. When you are satisfied, click **Finish**.



8. The sections in the brief will be displayed.

Brief Home tab

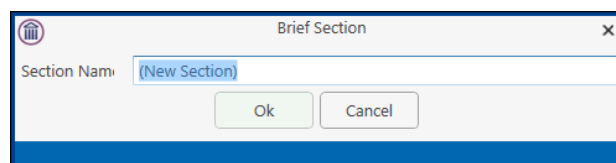
The Home tab in the Brief:



Brief Sections

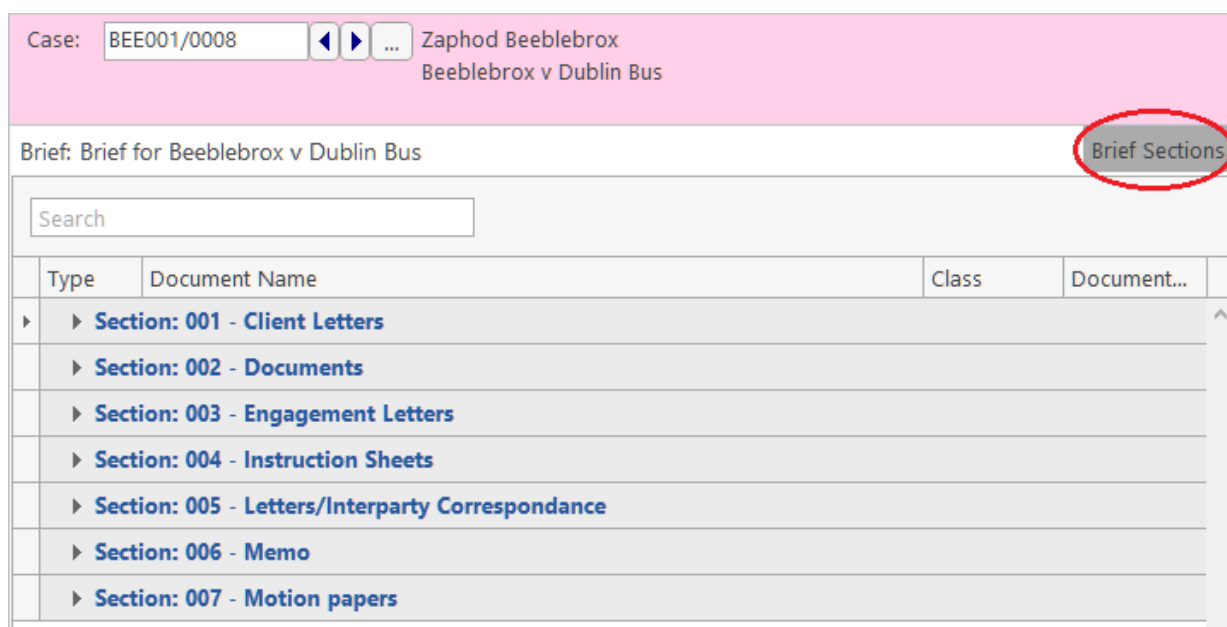
How to Add a Section

1. Click **Add** on the Home tab.
2. Name the new section.
3. Click **OK**.
4. The new section will appear in the **Section** list.




How to amend a Section Name

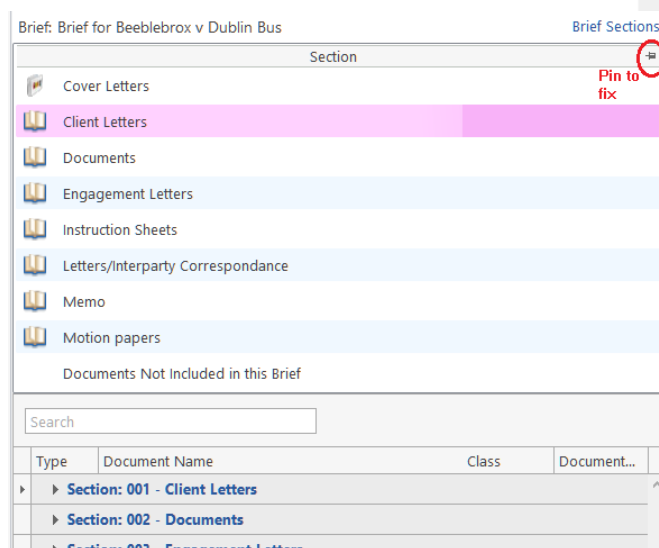
1. Click **Brief Sections** on the right of the brief screen



2. A list of sections will be expanded.

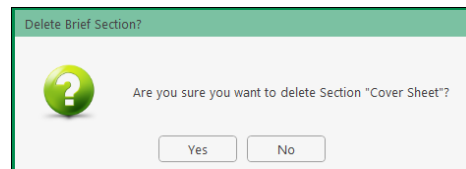
 **Tip:** To Show the list permanently click the pin.

3. Select the section you want to rename.
4. Click **Name** on the Home tab. Alternatively, right-click the section and choose **Section Name** from the pop-up menu.
5. Name the new section and click **OK** to confirm.



How to delete a Section

1. Click **Brief Sections** on the right of the brief screen (see How to amend a Section Name, p. 132 above).
2. Select the **Section** you want to delete.
3. Click **Delete** on the Home tab. Alternatively, right-click the Section and choose **Delete Section** from the pop-up menu.
4. A message will ask you to confirm the deletion.
5. Click **Yes**.



How to change the order of Sections

1. Click **Brief Sections** on the right of the brief screen (see How to amend a Section Name, p. 132 above)
2. Select the **section** you want to move.
3. Use the buttons in the **Move** section of the Home tab to change the position of the section in the brief.



Move the selected section **to the top** of the list of sections.

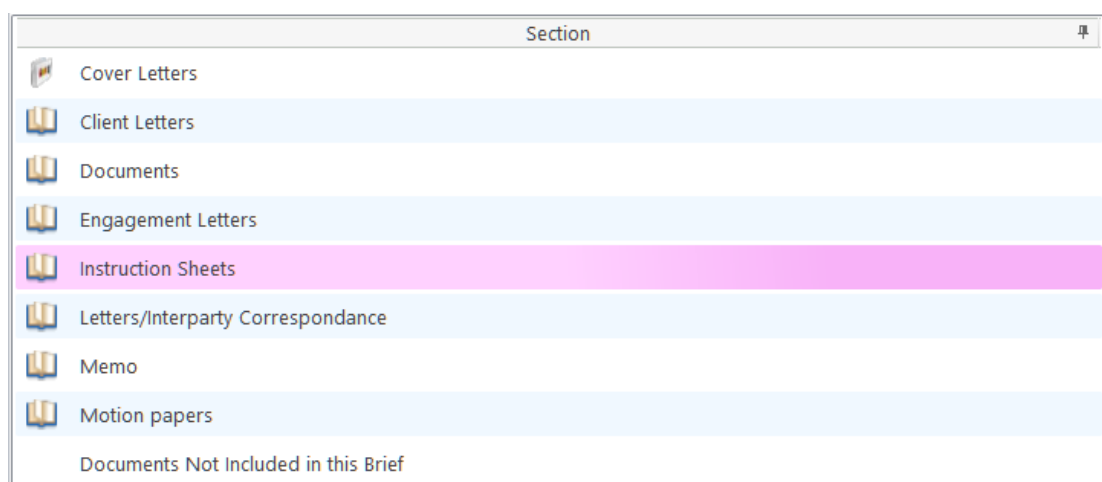
Move the selected section **up one position**.

Move the selected section **down one position**.

Move the selected section **to the bottom** of the list.

How to Move a document to a different section

1. Click **Brief Sections** on the right of the brief screen (see How to amend a Section Name, p. 132 above)
2. Pin the **Brief Sections** so that they remain visible.
3. In the lower part of the window open the section containing the document which you want to move, by clicking on the arrow to the left of the section.

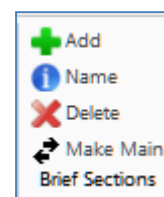


4. **Drag** the document to the upper part of the window and **drop** it into the required section. In the example above, one might select the document *Terms of Engagement* and drag it into *Instruction Sheets* (which is selected in the upper part of the window).

| Type | Document Name | Class | Document... |
|--|---------------------|-------------|-------------|
| ▶ Section: 001 - Client Letters | | | |
| ▶ Section: 002 - Documents | | | |
| ▶ Section: 003 - Engagement Letters | | | |
| | Terms of Engagement | Engageme... | 30 Sep 2014 |
| ▶ Section: 004 - Instruction Sheets | | | |
| ▶ Section: 005 - Letters/Interparty Correspondance | | | |

How to flag as a Cover or Main

1. Click **Brief Sections** on the right of the brief screen (see How to amend a Section Name, p. 132 above).
2. Select the section required.
3. If the section is already designated as a **Cover** section, Click **Make Main** on the Home tab to make it a **Main** section. This command toggles between **Make Main** and **Make Cover**, depending on how the selected section is designated.



Main sections are included in the Table of Contents; **Cover** sections are intended to contain cover letters and similar preliminary material.

Brief Options

Save current Brief as Template

1. Click **Create** on the *Brief Templates* section of the Home tab.
2. Edit the details in the dialogue box **Create a New Brief Template**

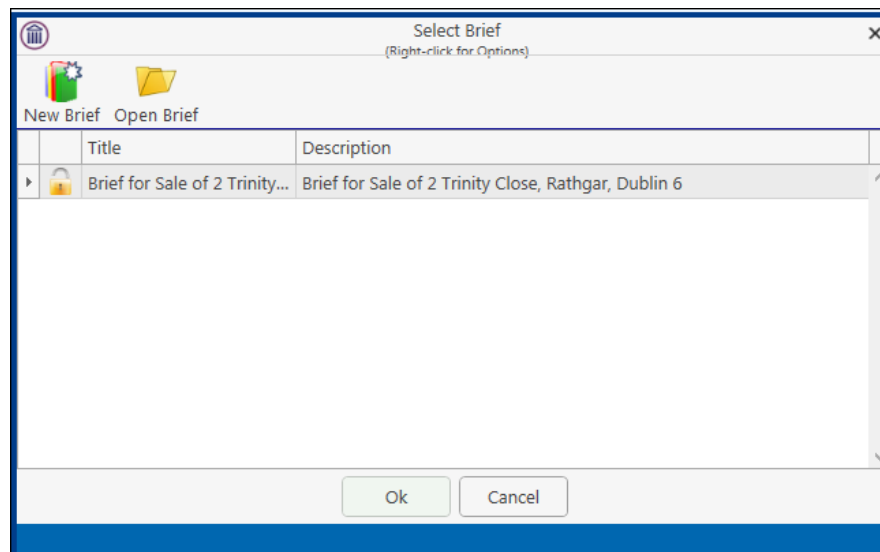
By default, the template title will be the same as the title of the Brief on which it is based. As it is to be

used as a template, it may be advisable to change it to something more generic.

3. Click OK.

How to Open a Brief

1. **Open** a case in the case diary.
2. Then click **Document Manager** on the Navigation panel to view the Document Manager.
3. Click **Compile Brief** on the Home tab in **Document Manager**. The **Select Brief** screen will appear.



4. Select the brief to open and click **Open Brief**.



Note if you are already working in the brief screen, you may click **Open Brief** on the Home tab.

Generate the Brief



Before you generate the Brief, if you have any Microsoft Office applications running (e.g. Word, Excel, Powerpoint etc), save your work and close the application(s).

FAILURE TO DO THIS MAY RESULT IN LOSS OF DATA.

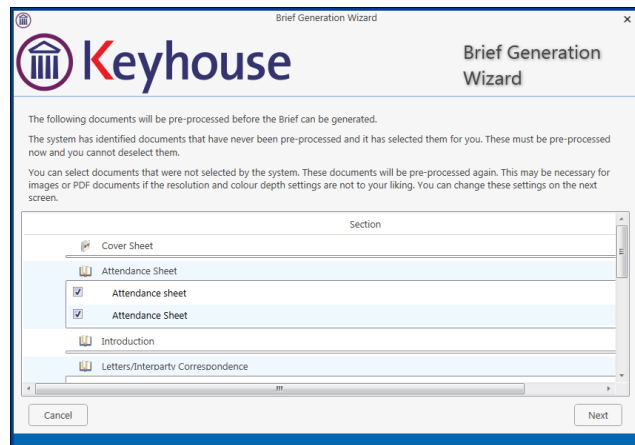


Once you begin to generate your Brief **you should not use your PC or laptop until the brief is completed**. Keyhouse calls on a number of programs during brief generation and trying to view/use another program will cause disruption to the brief.

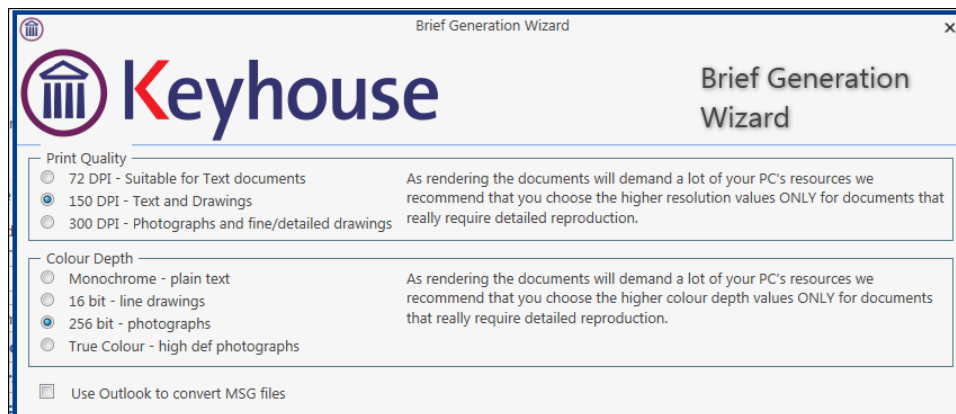
How to (Re) Generate a Brief

1. Click **(Re)Generate** on the Home tab.
2. The Brief Generation Wizard will start.

The system may select some documents for preprocessing and ask if you want to select others which have not automatically been selected. The automatically selected documents cannot be unselected but you may tag others for preprocessing by checking the box beside each.

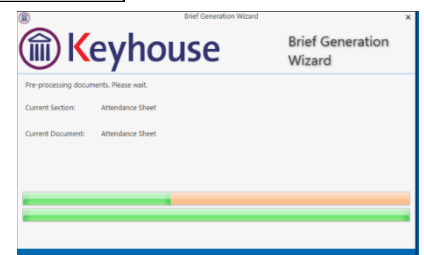


3. Click **Next**.
4. Select the **print quality** and **colour depth** required.

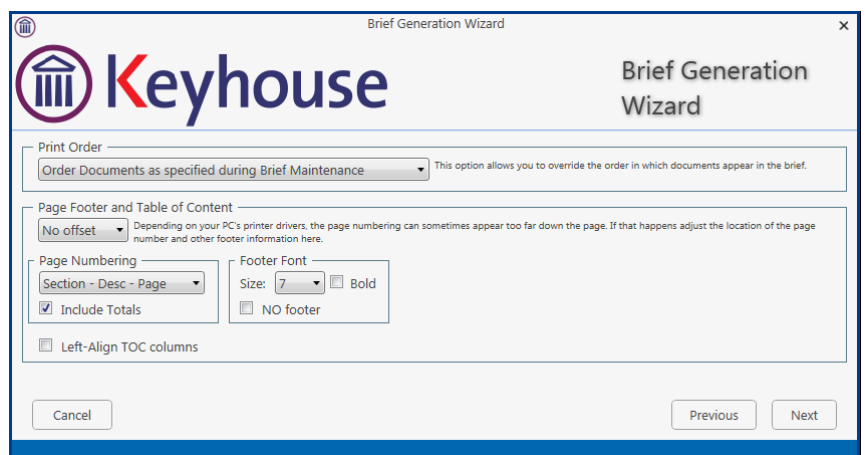


Check the box to use Outlook to convert MSG files.

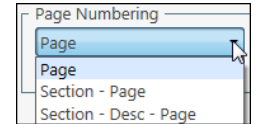
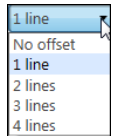
5. **Click Next**. A screen will show the progress of the document preprocessing.
6. When preprocessing has been completed, you will have the opportunity to set the print order of the brief, the contents and position of the footer and the alignment of columns in the table of contents.



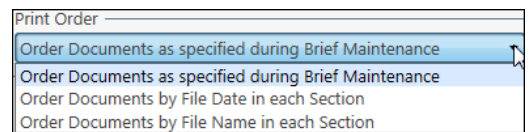
- The documents in each Section may be printed in ascending date order, in alphabetical order by filename or in the order in which they were added to the brief while it was being assembled or maintained.



- The footer offset is the minimum number of lines that must be maintained between the footer and the physical end of the page.
- The options for page numbering in the footer are:
 - **Page**: Only the page number is shown;
 - **Section – Page**: The section number and the page number are shown;
 - **Section – Desc – Page**: The section number and description, and the page number are shown.
 Check the box to include totals (e.g. “Page 5 of 158”).

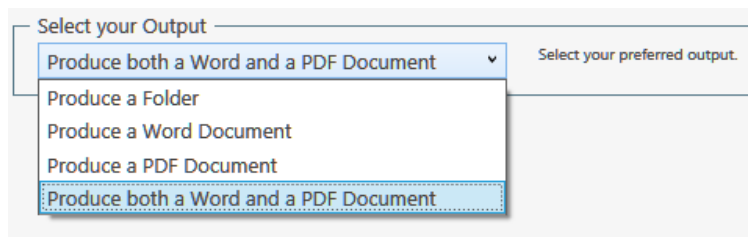


- You can set the footer font size and weight, or provide that there should be no footer.
- You may check the box to Left-Align the Table of Contents columns; if you leave the box unchecked, the page numbers will be right-aligned.



7. When you have selected the desired options for the print order of documents, the contents of the footer and the table of contents, click **Next**.

8. You will now choose the type of output. The options are a **Word** document, a **PDF**, or both of these. You may also choose to produce a folder of documents instead of a single document.



9. Click Finish. The brief will now be generated. This may take some time