

# The Lester Aldridge LLP Health & Safety Team



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Michael joined Lester Aldridge in 2001 and has, since that time, acted for the HSE and local authorities in relation to a number of prosecutions and enforcement notice appeals, as well as providing health & safety legal advice to the firm's other clients in non-contentious matters.

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