

# Probate services

## Why choose us?

The advantage of using an accountant is that we can advise on income tax, capital gains tax and inheritance tax all together, helping us minimise your overall tax liability. We can work with the named executors or, if preferred, act as executors.

If you want to deal with some of the work yourself but would like some assistance with any aspect, we can help. We can also give advice on all tax issues relating to the estate and beneficiaries, and negotiate any final tax settlements with HMRC.

## Already a client?

Are you already a client of Larking Gowen?

For our existing clients, we have much of the information we need to deal with the estate on our files, which means we can process the probate application quickly and efficiently.

Bereavement is a difficult time for families, and at Larking Gowen we offer a probate service that covers the whole process of administering a deceased person's estate.

### What we can do

We'll work with you in administering the estate, which could include:

- Establishing the assets and liabilities as at the date of death.
- Preparing tax returns and computation.
- Application for Grant of Probate or Letters of Administration.
- Calling in assets and settling liabilities.
- Dealing with income tax and capital gains tax liabilities.
- Distribution to beneficiaries.
- Preparation of final estate accounts.

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