

A close-up photograph of two hands shaking. The hand on the left is wearing a dark blue ribbed sweater with a white cuff. The hand on the right is wearing a light-colored, possibly white, sweater. The background is dark and out of focus.

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# Court of Protection Costs Services

Providing guidance when you need it most.

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**At Brough Partners we have expertise in providing a full range of professional Court of Protection costs services tailored to balance the needs of Professional Deputies and their legal teams appointed to act on behalf of a Protected Party.**

Our services are designed to meet your specific needs. We offer a comprehensive service, which includes all work from the preparation of the claim for costs in the relevant format to the acceptance of the court's assessment.

#### Services include:

- Deputyship Applications.
  - General Management Bills.
  - Trustee Applications.
  - Gifting Applications.
  - Statutory Will Applications.
  - Any other Applications within the Court of Protection.
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### **Why choose Brough Partners?**

We take great pride in the services we deliver. With strong in house expertise, we offer a friendly, efficient, and reliable service, remaining committed to securing only the best financial results for our clients.

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## What we offer

A quick turnaround of files without affecting the quality of our work. We aim to have a draft Bill of Costs prepared for your approval within 21 days or sooner.

- We can work from your paper files, electronic files, or access your system remotely if available. It is entirely up to you how you would like us to access and work from your files.
- We can prepare claims for costs within the traditional paper style Bill or the more recent electronic Bill.
- We will provide you with a list of any missing notes so that these can be located prior to submitting your file for assessment.
- We will re-calculate assessed Bills of Costs returned from the Court, and provide advice in relation to the reductions made, as well as the merits of pursuing an appeal at no additional cost.
- If required, we will support you with pursuing an informal or formal appeal to the SCCO following the assessment of the Bill of Costs.
- We offer excellent communication in keeping you updated from receipt of instructions until conclusion of the matter.



- We will organise and cover the costs for couriers to collect and return your files.
  - We offer bespoke training on various cost related issues to include but not limited to time recording, file keeping, and maximising recoverability.
  - We offer a supportive client experience and will deal with any queries or concerns raised promptly.
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## Our promise to you

At Brough Partners we are dedicated to going the extra mile for our clients.



## We do this by:

**Adding value** – providing a positive interaction and enhancing our client experience through open communication and a personalised service.

**Increasing benefits without increasing costs** – we offer tailored free training to advise on best working practices and address any key issues which may be affecting your overall recoveries.

**Acting promptly** – once you instruct us, we will get the bill drafting process started to avoid adding any further delays to the assessment process, which is already very lengthy due to the substantial backlog with the SCCO.

**Supporting our clients every step of the way** – we ensure that your dedicated Costs' Expert will support you throughout the whole process.

**Caring** – we will always adapt to meet our clients' changing and evolving needs.

**The right experience** – we are a team of dedicated, experienced, and approachable Costs' Experts specialising in Court of Protection.

**Confidence to deliver** – we pride ourselves on the work that we provide and remain committed to securing the very best results for our clients.

## Contact us

Need support with your COP costs law cases or have a query?  
For more information on how we can support you, get in touch:  
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