



## **PROFILE OF DAVID EPSTEIN FCA MAE MEWI CTA**

David is a consultant within the Forensic Accounting Services department and has over 20 years forensic accounting and dispute resolution experience. During this time he has gained significant experience of claims for consequential loss, breach of contract and warranty, fraud, compulsory purchase claim evaluation, personal injury for both Claimant and Defendant, matrimonial and professional negligence claims.

David has significant experience on valuations, professional negligence claims and business interruption claims, in particular, in the financial services sector, matrimonial disputes, personal injury claims and in the assessment of loss in compulsory purchase matters.

In over 40 years of practice, he has served a mixed clientele including limited companies and a large number of individuals, advising them generally on their business management, personal financial planning, taxation matters and investments.

David is an active member of the Kingston Smith Property Sector group having been involved in acting for and advising property related businesses both principals and professionals.

David has, on a number of occasions, been appointed by the President of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales to act as independent accountant as required by contracts and, since 1999, has acted on several occasions as single joint expert appointed by the Courts under the Civil Procedure Rules.

David has acted as Expert Witness and given evidence in the High Court on the conduct of independent and tied financial advisors.

David is an Accredited Expert Witness and has represented the acquiring authority to resolve disputes and losses arising from the acquisition of business premises to progress the Channel Tunnel Rail Link, the 2012 Olympic Games and other private developments across the UK. He has also acted for claimants such as fast food restaurants, wholesale and retail stationers and fashion retailers dispossessed by their local authority. His work involves quantifying loss of profits and business valuations across a range of industries.

David is a Founding Member of the Expert Witness Institute, a Member of the Academy of Experts, an associate of the Chartered Institute of Taxation and an elected committee member of the Compulsory Purchase Association.