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A barrister answered one charge concerning their conduct.

A charge of professional misconduct contrary to Core Duty 5 of the Bar Standard Board's Handbook, Code of Conduct of the Bar of England and Wales (9th edition) as set out in the Bar Standards Board Handbook.

The barrister denied the charge.

At the hearing, both the BSB and the barrister were represented by counsel. Each party submitted written opening submissions.

The BSB called three live witnesses and the Barrister gave evidence.

Each party made full submissions on the facts and the law.

After deliberation, the Tribunal were not satisfied that the charge had been established and found the charge not proved and therefore the charge was dismissed.

The hearing lasted two days. There were no further applications.

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