

# Court of Appeal hands down judgment in Disclosure and Barring Service v Tata Consultancy Services Ltd [2025] EWCA Civ 380- Stephen Cogley KC, Matthew Lavy KC and Iain Munro

The Court of Appeal has handed down judgment in [Disclosure and Barring Service v Tata Consultancy Services Ltd \[2025\] EWCA Civ 380](#). The decision provides a pithy summary of the principles of interpretation in the context of a condition precedent (with Coulson LJ giving the lead judgment and a concurring judgment from Lewison LJ). It will be of particular interest to parties and practitioners grappling with notification provisions and whether, in the absence of notice, rights are lost. [Stephen Cogley KC](#), [Matthew Lavy KC](#) and [Iain Munro](#) acted for the successful respondent.

Read the full judgment here: [DBS v Tata Consultancy Services Ltd \[2025\] EWCA 380](#).