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Westlaw Navigation

Thomson Reuters Westlaw homepage is US Centric. Running a search from the Westlaw homepage will return results from US Jurisdictions.

Firms and organisations outside of the US, may choose to have “International Materials” as the default homepage. Note that *International Materials* is a list of non US Jurisdictions.

To search for a specific Jurisdiction

- Browse to content under International Materials
- Select the Jurisdiction eg: United Kingdom
- Navigate Further, to the or content area you want to search.
- The Advanced Search Template fields change to reflect the different content databases

Search Methods on Westlaw

When you have located the content you want to search, you can use either the Global Search box or an Advanced search template.

The Global Search box can run a terms and connectors search or a plain language search. A search containing the AND operator, the OR operator, or quotation marks, without other Boolean syntax, is processed as a plain language search (similar to a Google search). This means that your results will include ones with concepts related to your terms, not just precise matches

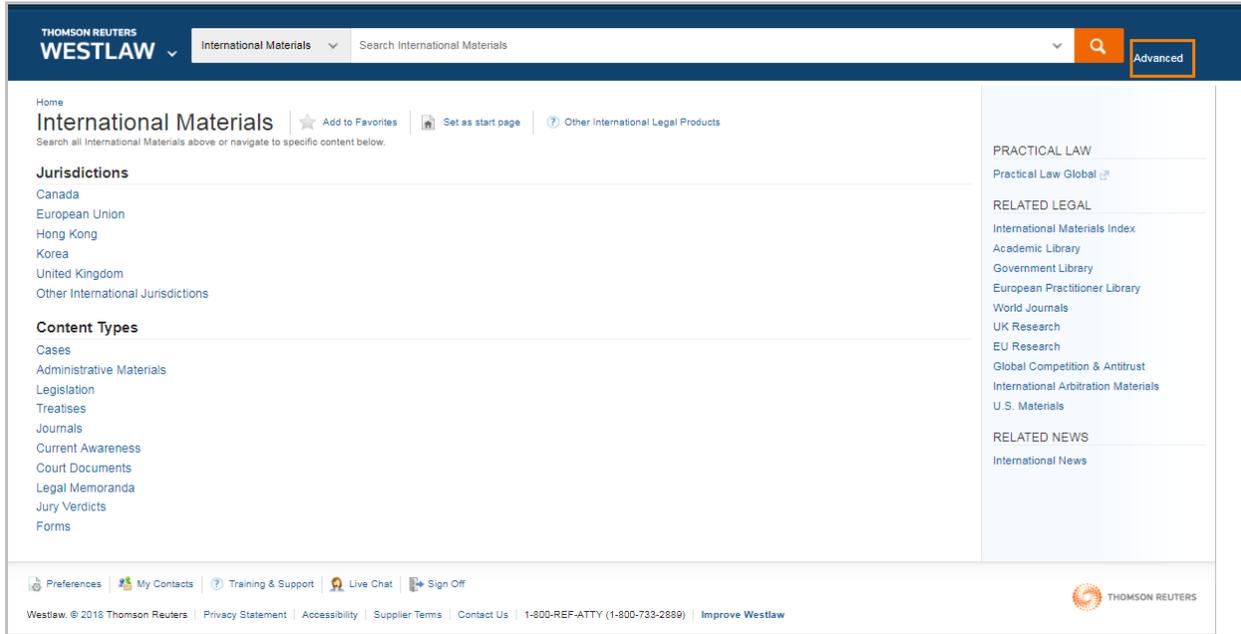
To direct Westlaw to run a search using AND, OR and phrase marks as a precise match Boolean Terms and Connectors query, do one of the following:

1. Use Advanced Search templates: Use *Advanced* on right hand side of the search icon
2. Add Boolean syntax. Add a proximity connector, expander, or field restriction to your search. For example, you can require that your terms appear in the same sentence or in the same paragraph.
Eg.1 hazard! /s waste /s dispos! Eg.2 wrongful! /5 terminat!
3. After running your search, click the link in the message displayed at the top of your search result to modify the result.

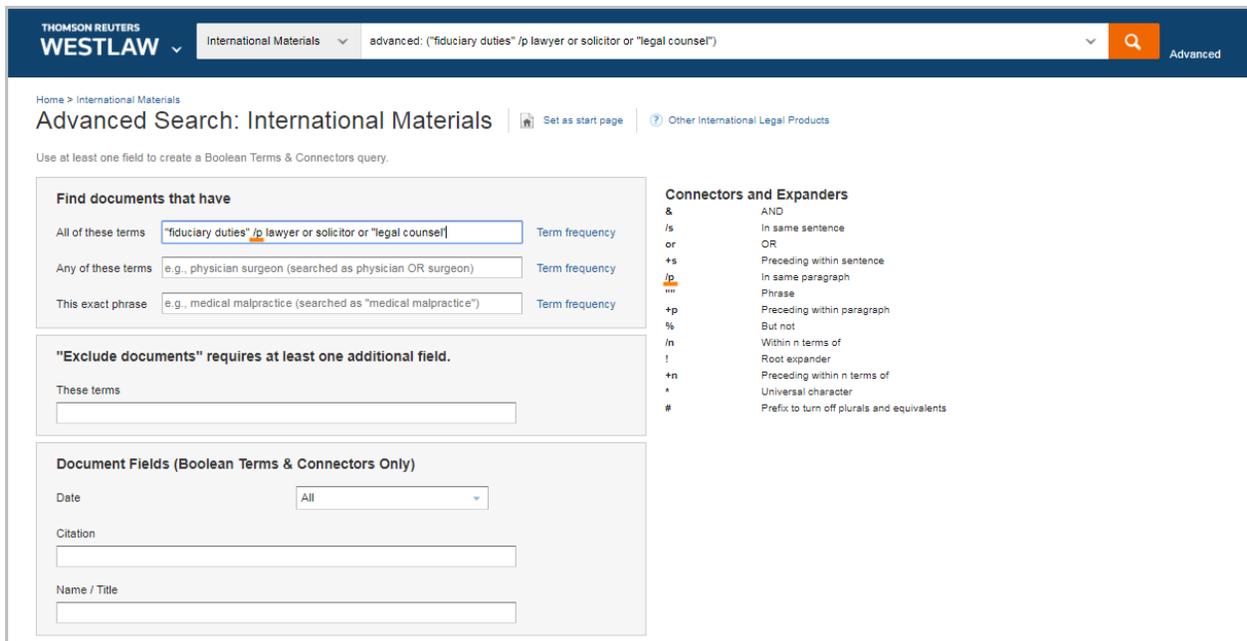
Search Examples

Key word search across International Materials

1. Navigate to International Materials
2. Click Advanced on far right to open the advances search template



3. Populate required fields
 Note: Connectors and Expanders are found on the right of search fields.
 I have used "" when searching for a phrase as well as /p which means *in the same paragraph*



4. Viewing Results:

Your results are displayed initially with a page named *Overview*. The Overview page is a summary page where the top result, based on relevance is displayed.

The page outlines how many results appeared, organised based on the content sets you searched. Your content sets are shown on the left side of the page with the number of results next to each category.

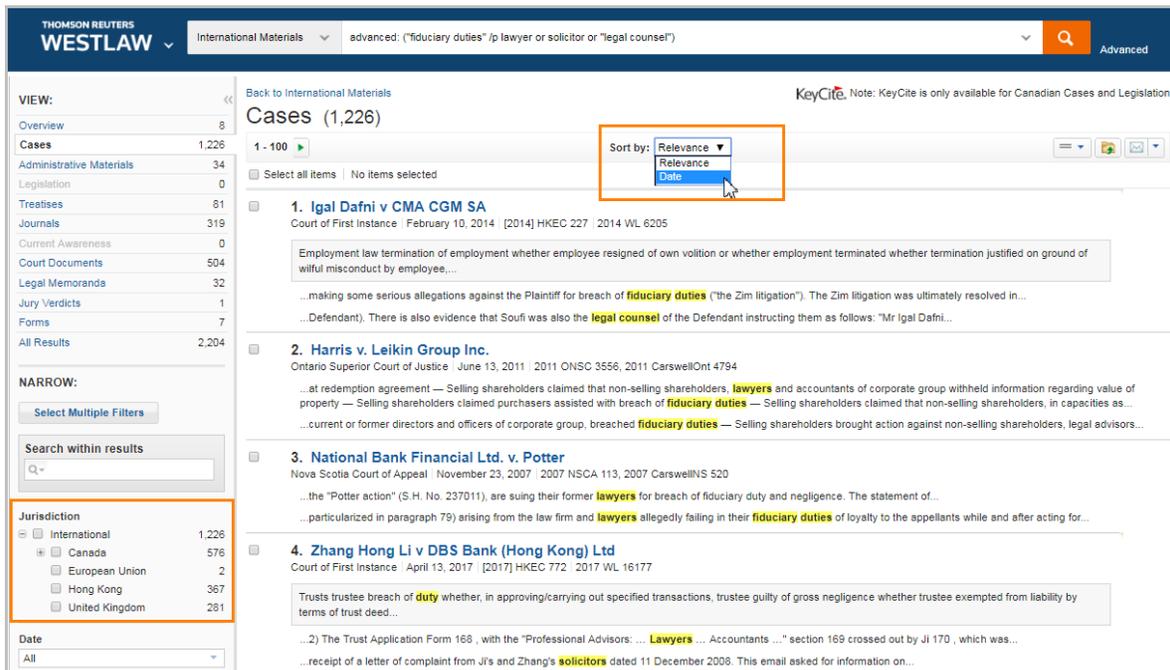
Click to an individual content set (For example: **Cases**) to see more results.

Note: To see a list of all search results, select **All Results**.



5. To refine your search result, you can:

- Sort results. Sort your results by relevance or date.
- Display Most Detail. Use the View Detail drop-down to choose the amount of information to display on the result list.
- Filter Results. Choose one of or more filters to narrow the search result. Filters depend on the content being viewed.
- Search within results. Narrow a search result by searching for terms within the result



Finding UK Legislation

1. Browse to UK Legislation by selecting the following International Materials > United Kingdom > United Kingdom Law in Force
2. Click Advanced on far right to open Legislation Search Template
3. Populate required fields
4. Note: use an "s" for section as per the example below
5. Select orange magnifying glass  to complete search
6. The section of the act is available, with a link to the Table of Authorities as an imaged PDF version. The PDF will also note the legislation flags of sections in force and repealed.



s. 5 Penalties for concealing offences or giving false information.
Criminal Law Act 1967 c. 58 | UK ST 1967 c. 58 Pt I s. 5 (Approx. 6 pages)

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Criminal Law Act 1967 c. 58
 Part I FELONY AND MISDEMEANOUR
 s. 5 Penalties for concealing offences or giving false information.

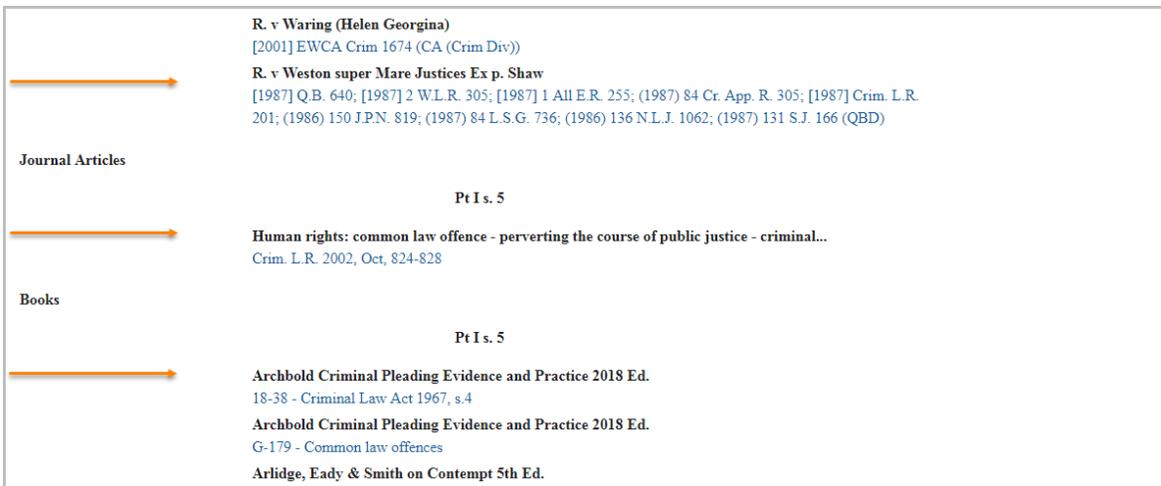
Superseded Legislation:
[Analysis \(Commencement Information\)](#)

This version in force from: **January 1, 2006 to present**

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5.—Penalties for concealing offences or giving false information.
 (1) Where a person has committed [a relevant offence]¹, any other person who, knowing or believing that the offence, or some [other relevant offence]² has been committed, and that he has information which might be of material assistance in securing the prosecution or conviction of an

7. The Analysis link will outline Table of Amendments, Commencement, Legislation Citing, Key Cases Citing, All Cases Citing, Journal Articles, Books Chapters(Treatises) related to this section



<p>Journal Articles</p>	<p>R. v Waring (Helen Georgina) [2001] EWCA Crim 1674 (CA (Crim Div))</p> <p>R. v Weston super Mare Justices Ex p. Shaw [1987] Q.B. 640; [1987] 2 W.L.R. 305; [1987] 1 All E.R. 255; (1987) 84 Cr. App. R. 305; [1987] Crim. L.R. 201; (1986) 150 J.P.N. 819; (1987) 84 L.S.G. 736; (1986) 136 N.L.J. 1062; (1987) 131 S.J. 166 (QBD)</p>
<p>Books</p>	<p>Pt I s. 5</p> <p>Human rights: common law offence - perverting the course of public justice - criminal... Crim. L.R. 2002, Oct, 824-828</p> <p>Pt I s. 5</p> <p>Archbold Criminal Pleading Evidence and Practice 2018 Ed. 18-38 - Criminal Law Act 1967, s.4</p> <p>Archbold Criminal Pleading Evidence and Practice 2018 Ed. G-179 - Common law offences</p> <p>Arlidge, Eady & Smith on Contempt 5th Ed.</p>

Finding UK Case Law

1. Browse to UK Case Law by selecting the following International Materials> United Kingdom > All United Kingdom Cases > Criminal Appeal Reports
2. Click Advanced on far right to open Legislation Search Template
3. Populate required fields and select orange magnifying glass  to complete search.

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Use at least one field to create a Boolean Terms & Connectors query.

Find documents that have

All of these terms [Term frequency](#)

Any of these terms [Term frequency](#)

This exact phrase [Term frequency](#)

Connectors and Expanders

& AND

/s In same sentence

or OR

+s Preceding within sentence

/p In same paragraph

"" Phrase

+p Preceding within paragraph

% But not

/n Within n terms of

! Root expander

+n Preceding within n terms of

* Universal character

Prefix to turn off plurals and equivalents

"Exclude documents" requires at least one additional field.

These terms

Document Fields (Boolean Terms & Connectors Only)

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Party Name

Citation

4. To find Parallel citations including reported versions, select **Analysis**. Note that content from the Incorporated Council of Law Reporting for England and Wales are not available on Westlaw, these will need to be sourced directly from ICLR database.

R. (on the application of AL) v Serious Fraud Office
Queen's Bench Divisional court | April 19, 2018 | [2018] 2 Cr. App. R. 13 (Approx. 51 pages)

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***170 R. (AL) v. Serious Fraud Office**

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Queen's Bench Divisional court
19 April 2018

[2018] EWHC 856 (Admin)
[2018] 2 Cr. App. R. 13
Lord Justice Holroyde and Mr Justice Green
9 March; 19 April 2018

[Analysis](#)

Bribery; Deferred prosecution agreements; Disclosure; Interview records; Privilege; Self-reporting; Serious Fraud Office; Subsidiary companies;

H1 Judicial review—Alternative remedy—Whether judicial review appropriate—Company suspecting employees paying bribes to secure contracts—Company reporting itself to Serious Fraud Office following review conducted by external lawyers—Indictment preferred against company but

R. (on the application of AL) v Serious Fraud Office
Divisional Court | April 19, 2018 | 2018 WL 01875209 (Approx. 16 pages)

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R. (on the application of AL) v Serious Fraud Office
Divisional Court
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Case Analysis

Where Reported [2018] EWHC 856 (Admin); [2018] 2 Cr. App. R. 13; [2018] Crim. L.R. 745; Official Transcript;

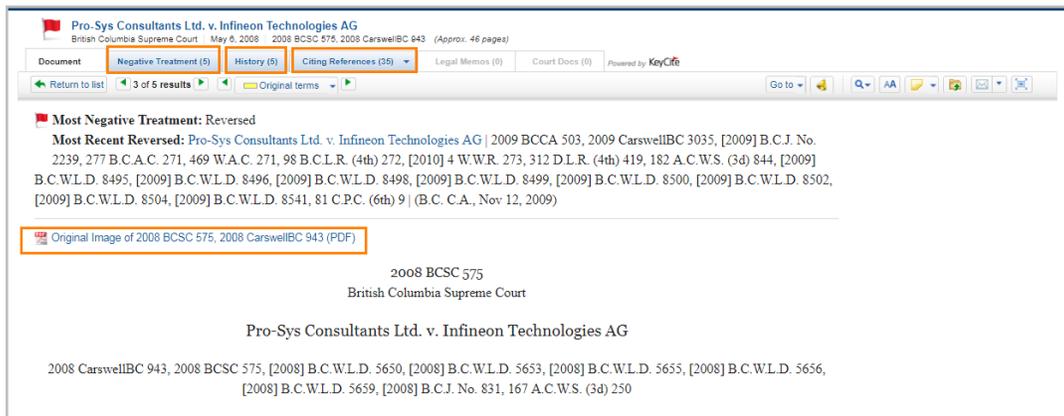
Case Digest
Subject: Criminal procedure
Keywords: Serious Fraud Office; Deferred prosecution agreements; Self-reporting; Bribery; Privilege; Subsidiary companies; Interview records; Disclosure
Summary: In judicial review proceedings, it was determined that the High Court was not the appropriate forum in which

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1. Browse to UK Case Law by selecting the following International Materials> Canada> Canadian Case
2. The imaged Judgment attached as a PDF is found on the top of the online judgment text.
3. Canadian Case Law uses KeyCite to provide case analysis information
Keycite information is found in the tabs above the Judgment, see the treatment of the case, litigation history of the case and links to citing references.
Once you have found a document upon which to base your legal argument, KeyCite Flags alert you to negative references or events that may impact the validity of that document.

-  Cases & Administrative Decisions - some negative treatment, but not reversed or overruled
-  Cases & Administrative Decisions - no longer good for at least one point of law

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Most Negative Treatment: Reversed
Most Recent Reversed: Pro-Sys Consultants Ltd. v. Infineon Technologies AG | 2009 BCCA 503, 2009 CarswellBC 3035, [2009] B.C.J. No. 2239, 277 B.C.A.C. 271, 469 W.A.C. 271, 98 B.C.L.R. (4th) 272, [2010] 4 W.W.R. 273, 312 D.L.R. (4th) 419, 182 A.C.W.S. (3d) 844, [2009] B.C.W.L.D. 8495, [2009] B.C.W.L.D. 8496, [2009] B.C.W.L.D. 8498, [2009] B.C.W.L.D. 8499, [2009] B.C.W.L.D. 8500, [2009] B.C.W.L.D. 8502, [2009] B.C.W.L.D. 8504, [2009] B.C.W.L.D. 8541, 81 C.P.C. (6th) 9 (B.C. C.A., Nov 12, 2009)

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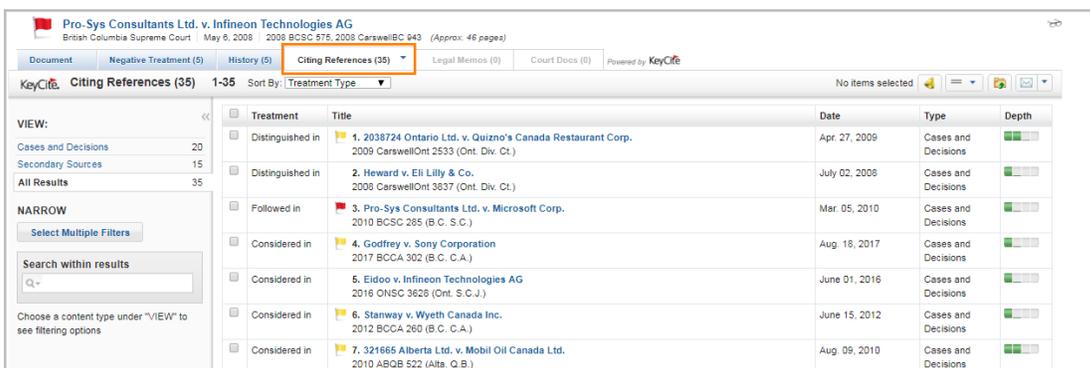
2008 BCSC 575
 British Columbia Supreme Court

Pro-Sys Consultants Ltd. v. Infineon Technologies AG

2008 CarswellBC 943, 2008 BCSC 575, [2008] B.C.W.L.D. 5650, [2008] B.C.W.L.D. 5653, [2008] B.C.W.L.D. 5655, [2008] B.C.W.L.D. 5656, [2008] B.C.W.L.D. 5659, [2008] B.C.J. No. 831, 167 A.C.W.S. (3d) 250

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Followed in	3. Pro-Sys Consultants Ltd. v. Microsoft Corp. 2010 BCSC 285 (B.C. S.C.)	Mar. 05, 2010	Cases and Decisions	
Considered in	4. Godfrey v. Sony Corporation 2017 BCCA 302 (B.C. C.A.)	Aug. 18, 2017	Cases and Decisions	
Considered in	5. Eldoo v. Infineon Technologies AG 2016 ONSC 3628 (Ont. S.C.J.)	June 01, 2016	Cases and Decisions	
Considered in	6. Stanway v. Wyeth Canada Inc. 2012 BCCA 260 (B.C. C.A.)	June 15, 2012	Cases and Decisions	
Considered in	7. 321665 Alberta Ltd. v. Mobil Oil Canada Ltd. 2010 ABOB 522 (Alta. Q.B.)	Aug. 09, 2010	Cases and Decisions	

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Current Sentencing Practice

Law & Practice of International Commercial Arbitration

Kerly's Law of Trade Marks and Trade Names

Palmer's Company Law

Renton and Brown's Criminal Procedure

Renton and Brown's Criminal Procedure Legislation

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Woodfall's Landlord and Tenant

2. Browse through the volumes, parts and chapters or select the Advanced Search Template to search across the text.

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- Chapter 5 - Assault, False Imprisonment and Malicious Prosecution

Part C - Assignment of Contractual Rights

- Chapter 6 - Assignment of Contractual Rights
 - Claim by an assignee under an equitable assignment
 - Claim by an assignee under a s.136 assignment
 - Defence by a debtor alleging that the chose assigned is in fact unassignable

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