

# V-Learning The Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018 Update

Session Date & Time: Monday 8th November

10:00 to 12:00

**Objectives:** The Package Travel and Linked Travel Arrangements Regulations 2018 have changed since EU Exit. This session will provide a brief reminder of the content of the Regs and consider how EU Exit and Covid has affected the Regulations and the Travel Industry. In addition you will be provided with information about potential changes that BEIS have highlighted prior to their formal consultation in early 2022.

**Tutor:** Bruce Treloar

Bruce is Travel Law Lead Officer for CTSI and is regularly involved in delivering training and offering guidance to trading standards and industry. Bruce has been heavily involved with developments in the industry as a result of the Corona virus and also liaising the BEIS regarding potential law changes.



## **Programme:**

- Challenges with the Regulations (are breaches criminal or civil and what about using other legislation)
- A brief review of the actual definitions in the Regulations
- The Governments Global Travel Taskforce report. How will this affect enforcement and FCDO advice?
- The EU-UK Trade and Co-operation Agreement 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021
- What are the current approved, insolvency protection measures (including ATOL's)
- Just what is a Linked Travel Arrangement and how does it differ from a package?
- Let's consider our enforcement of the offences in the Regs and discuss the first prosecution!
- There are new offences for Travel Agents and the rules regarding Trust Accounts have also changed
- How Covid-19 has tested the Regulations, specifically refunding of packages and what about the, "frustration of contract" legal principle?
- Background on Part 8 the Enterprise Act 2002 and where it has been used by the CMA and Trading Standards
- Fake PCR Certificates and CPR investigations
- Refunding travellers when Companies collapse and BEIS intervention
- BEIS considerations for changes with the Regs, including LTA's, criminal
  offences for misdescribing holidays, registration for Organisers of nonflight holidays (like ATOL), a package holiday definition amendment, just
  what is a "super package" and whether "power of entry" will be made
  simpler for investigating breaches under the Consumer Rights Act.
- Updated August 2021 BEIS Guidance on the Regs, will it help?
- And finally, the Government require Airbnb operational changes

There will be plenty of time for you to ask questions and you are also welcome to submit these in advance.

CPD Hours: 2.0 hours

### Who should attend?

This session is aimed at any participant who wants to know more about the Regulations and how they work in practice now.

Fee & Booking: £50 plus VAT per delegate

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# What is V-Learning?

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No travelling costs and a real practical focus on the law makes this training incredible value for the individual learner and their employer. By limiting numbers we can allow you time to ask questions, both in advance and during the training.

# What our customers have said about Bruce's training

The tutor was very knowledgeable and explained the legislation well.

The practical examples included in the session and the fact that Bruce repeated the example on LTAs was very helpful.

The information we were given prior to the session was very helpful especially the 10 step document.

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