



WESTLAW UK CASE LAW Quick Reference Guide



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COVERAGE

- Full text of The Law Reports 1865 onwards and other series of reports including: Weekly Law Reports 1953 onwards; Criminal Appeal Reports 1967 onwards; Fleet Street Reports 1966 onwards
- Full text of many Sweet & Maxwell / Thomson law reports
- Official archive of transcripts dating back to 1967

METHODS OF SEARCHING

Home Page

Type in the name of the case you require. Tick Cases from the drop down Options and click search.

Terms and connectors can be viewed via the information icon within the search box.

The screenshot displays the Westlaw Edge UK homepage. At the top, the Thomson Reuters logo and 'WESTLAW EDGE UK' are visible. Below the header, a navigation bar contains links for Cases, Legislation, Journals, Current Awareness, Index of Legal Terms, EU, and Law Books. A search bar is prominently featured, containing the text 'phelps'. To the right of the search bar is an information icon (i) and a dropdown menu labeled 'All content'. Two blue arrows point from the 'All content' dropdown to the 'Cases' option in the navigation bar. Below the search bar, a 'Browse by Topic' section lists various legal categories. A 'Content Types' filter is open, showing a list of options with 'Cases' selected. The 'Topics' section also lists various legal areas. The interface is clean and professional, with a blue and white color scheme.

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Find out more about the nature and effect of the Northern Ireland Protocol by reading our [Overview Article](#), authored by Daniel Greenberg.

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Browse by Topic

- Commercial
- Companies and partnerships
- Contract
- Crime

Content Types

- ☒ Cases
- ☐ Legislation
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- ☐ Litigation and dispute resolution
- ☐ Local government

Cases on the Toolbar

Click **Cases** on the top toolbar to search or browse across case content.

There are five sections:

- Cases Search - for searching for cases
- Courts - for browsing by court
- Law Reports - for browsing law reports
- Quantum Reports - to search for quantum reports on Kemp & Lawtel
- Cite & Print - enter citations to receive judgments, law reports or case analysis documents as appropriate


Cases Search

The search box allows you to search by Parties, Citation, Free Text or by Subject terms.

Document Type allows you to search Case Analysis, Law Reports and Judgments or all.

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Cases Search

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Show Terms and Connectors

CasesPending ActionsPermissions to Appeal

Parties

Citation


Free Text

Subject/Keyword

Document Type

All

More options

 Search

By clicking on **More Options**, additional fields are available such as Court and Judge. There are additional options for Pending Actions and Permissions to Appeal.

Cases

Pending Actions

Permissions to Appeal

Parties

Citation

Free Text

Subject/Keyword

Document Type

All

Full Text Law Reports

All

Term Defined

Authority

☐ Significant Cases

☐ Guidance Cases

Date

All

Legislation Title

Legislation Provision No.

Any

Court

Judge

Cases Cited (Party)

Cases Cited (Citation)

Legal Representatives

Any

Filter by Case Type

☐ Cases

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Hide options

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Law Reports

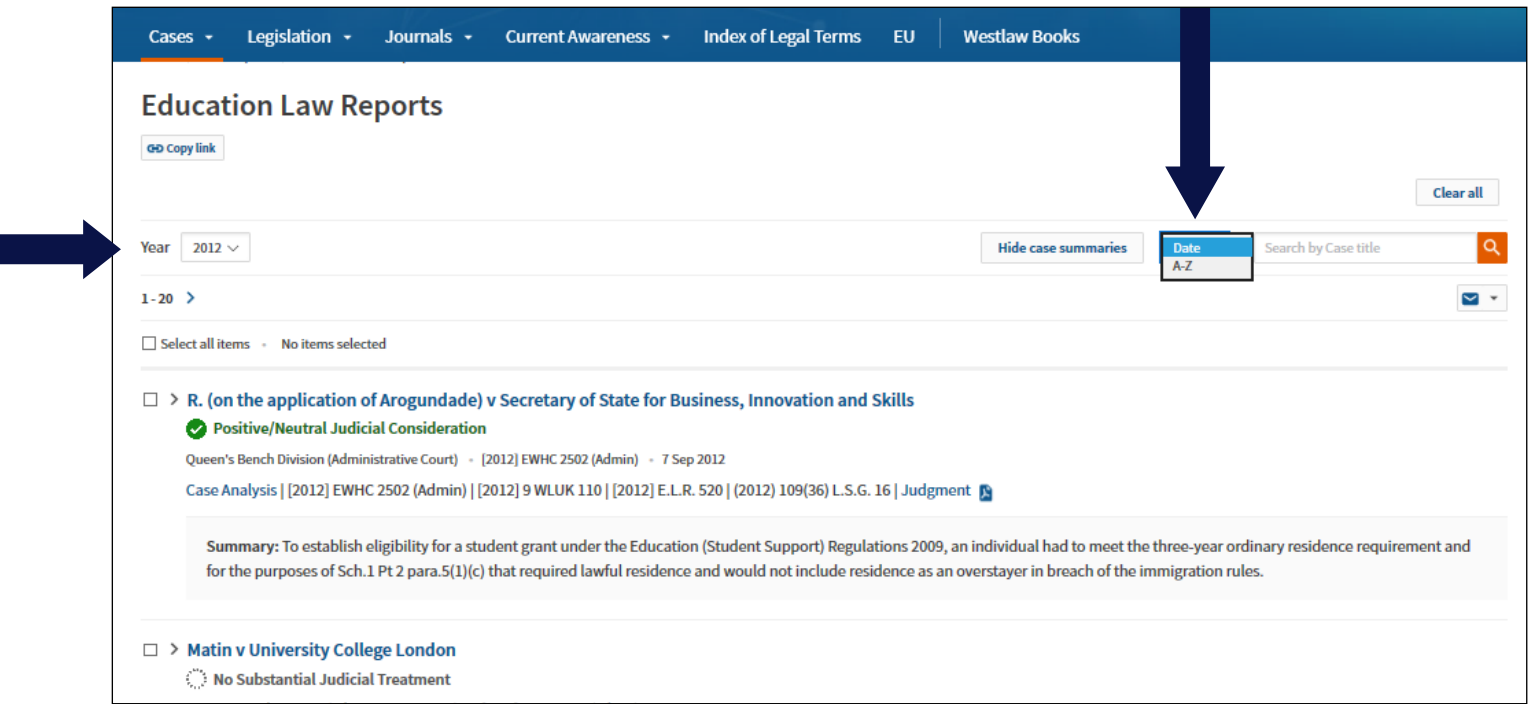
Here you can browse alphabetically by law report series title. Or you can search by law report series title.

If you want to browse, select a letter from the A-Z list. You can also opt to find titles that are in abstract form only, full text only or all reports.

A list of titles will then be displayed.



Click on the title you want to browse. The cases within that series are listed in date order. You can select a specific year and display in ether date order or in A-Z order.



EDITING RESULTS

If your initial Cases search retrieves too many hits you can use the filters on the left of the screen to narrow your search by Topic, Jurisdiction, Court, Date or Status (treatment).

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1. R. (on the application of Grinham) v Parole Board for England and Wales

Queen's Bench Division (Administrative Court)

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[2020] EWHC 2140 (Admin)

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4 Aug 2020

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No Substantial Judicial Treatment

Subject:

Penology and criminology

Keywords:

Breach; Fairness; Ill health; Oral hearings; Prisoners; Procedural irregularity; Release on licence; Return to custody

Case Analysis

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[2020] EWHC 2140 (Admin)

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[2020] 8 WLUK 12

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Judgment

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2. R. v Olatunji (Olayinka)

Court of Appeal (Criminal Division)

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[2020] EWCA Crim 1029

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28 Jul 2020

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No Substantial Judicial Treatment

Subject:

Sentencing; Animals

Keywords:

Dangerous dogs; Destruction orders; Restraining orders

Case Analysis

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[2020] EWCA Crim 1029

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[2020] 7 WLUK 516

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Judgment

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SEARCH RESULTS

A typical case will look like this:

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☐ advanced: (TI(pamela helen phelps v hillington london borough council))

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27 July 2000

Phelps v Hillingdon LBC

✓ Positive/Neutral Judicial Consideration

House of Lords - [2001] 2 A.C. 619

Subject: Education; Negligence

REVERSED

4 November 1998

Phelps v Hillingdon LBC

✗ Negative Judicial Consideration

Court of Appeal (Civil Division) - [1999] 1 W.L.R. 500

Subject: Negligence

REVERSED

23 September 1997

Phelps v Hillingdon LBC

✗ Negative Judicial Consideration

Queen's Bench Division - [1997] 9 WLUK 200

Subject: Education

On the left hand side you will see the following:

Case Analysis containing:

Case Digest - gives a summary of the case and decision.

Appellate History - details the history of the case.

Related Cases - contains a list of other cases between the same parties but on different points of law.

Other tabs include:

Law Reports - gives details of where the case has been reported with links to the full text where available.

Judgment - links to the judgment if available.


Primary References - includes details of key cases cited, all cases cited, key cases citing and all cases citing, key legislation cited and all legislation cited.

Commentary References - includes details of journal articles referring to the case with links to full text where available; details of Sweet & Maxwell books where the case is referred to.

Practical Law References - links to materials on Practical Law that refer to the case.

Case Analytics - includes a Precedent map and Treatment (for detailed breakdown of how the case has been treated).

On the right of the case you will see the status icon, a link to the graphical history and key reference information, such as details of where the case has been reported, names of the judge(s), counsel and solicitors.

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| Phelps v Hillingdon LBC Case Digest | |
| Case Digest Summary At the hearing of four appeals the question of the liability of the local educational authorities for their failure to provide adequate educational psychological services was raised. It was held that a person exercising a particular skill or profession, such as an educational psychologist, might owe a duty of care towards particular pupils where it could be foreseen that those pupils may be injured if due skill and care were not exercised in the performance of that duty. The LEA could be held vicariously liable for its employee's acts if there was no public policy reason why such liability should be recognised and the failure to discover dyslexia and take steps to ameliorate the severe results of the congenital |  Positive/Neutral Judicial Consideration View Graphical History Court House of Lords Judgment Date 27 July 2000 Where Reported [2001] 2 A.C. 619 |

PRINTING

The print icon is on the top right of the screen. There are basic and advanced options.

You will be shown a print dialogue box. Click on **Print**.

Printing can be collected at the Enquiry Point and costs 10 pence per page.

EMAILING

Select the email icon on the top right of the screen. There are basic and advanced options.

Enter your email address in the To box. Add a subject or note as appropriate. Click on **Email**.

SEARCH LANGUAGE

- &** Search terms in the same document
- or** Either search term or both terms
- %** Not containing terms
- " "** Search for an exact phrase within quotation marks
- /p** Terms in same paragraph
- /n** Within n terms of
- *** Universal character e.g. withdr*w will find withdraw or withdrew
- !** Search for terms with multiple endings e.g. employ! will find employee, employer or employed

HELP

For additional help, go to User Guides at the bottom of the screen.