

"Public Inquiries & Parliamentary Hearings are a Risk Companies Cannot Ignore," *New Law Journal*

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Public inquiries and parliamentary hearings are a risk that companies cannot ignore. Partner Joanna Ludlam sets out how best to prepare for the spotlight in her latest article for *New Law Journal*.

Joanna explains why these forums for scrutiny are becoming “business as usual” for companies and what leaders must do to prepare. She notes that “the appetite for forensically investigating wrongdoing and demanding corporate responsibility has never been stronger.”

“The companies who are best positioned to withstand this [Scrutiny and the demand for accountability] will be those who are including public inquiries and parliamentary hearings risks on their risk registers ... this preparedness should be viewed as a core element of good corporate governance and legal strategy,” said Joanna.

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