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BIOGRAPHY

Anthony is Head of the firm's Reinsurance and Insurance Group and has specialised in insurance and reinsurance for more than 25 years. He has extensive experience in reinsurance and insurance litigation, arbitration and dispute resolution (including mediation) for a wide variety of UK and international insurers, reinsurers and intermediaries. Anthony has experience of handling disputes at all stages in the Courts and before arbitration panels.

On insurance, Anthony has experience in almost all classes of business including in particular: property, directors and officers liability, life, PA claims, business travel, medex, financial institutions, product liability, commercial lines and jeweller's block.

On reinsurance, he has a wide range of experience, including PA, major treaty disputes, reinsurance recoveries and run off problems. Anthony has also acted on numerous cases where disputes have arisen between intermediaries (such as brokers or coverholders) and insurers. Many of Anthony's cases have an international element and he receives regular instructions from international insurers and reinsurers.

ADMISSIONS

- England and Wales

RELATED CAPABILITIES

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The English Court has, for the first time, considered the meaning of a “catastrophe”, as well as how Hours Clauses work in the context of non-damage business interruption losses claimed under two Property Catastrophe Excess of Loss Reinsurance Treaties. While the Covid-19 pandemic may feel like a distant memory to some, disputes about the recovery of Covid-19 losses continue to trouble many reinsureds and reinsurers. The two key issues considered by the Commercial Court in determining appeals from arbitration awards made in *Unipol Re v Covéa* and *Markel v Gen Re* may bring welcome, and valuable, guidance to those in the reinsurance industry debating these terms. Those underwriting or purchasing “catastrophe” covers may also want to carefully consider this judgment and whether the Court’s approach to the meaning of that word aligns with their coverage expectations.

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