

BTG Forensic

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BTG FORENSIC EXPANDS IN SCOTLAND



BTG Forensic, a division of Begbies Traynor Group plc, is continuing to grow its practice in Scotland with the appointment of Alex McLaren as director.

He was previously with HW forensic accountants in Glasgow where he was manager, specialising in criminal defence and fraud investigations, and his appointment comes within weeks of Peter Graham joining as partner.

McLaren's experience includes investigating and reporting in cases of false accounting, trading while insolvent, MTIC fraud, money laundering and employee theft. He qualified with Mackenzie & Mackenzie in 1995 and worked as a forensic accountant for AFS Forensics, RSM Bentley Jennison and Haines Watts Forensics (Scotland) Ltd.

"I'm delighted to be joining a specialist firm which is free from conflicts of interest and one which for that very reason is demonstrating significant growth in Scotland and the UK as a whole," he said.

Peter Graham, who heads the division in Scotland said: "Alex will play a key role in meeting the ever increasing demand from clients and potential clients for someone of his calibre and expertise in what is an expanding area of work amid the recession."

BTG Forensic has offices in Edinburgh, Glasgow, Aberdeen and Dundee. Ends

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