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Winterhill Largo promotion marks growing demand for debt recovery



Asset recovery and insolvency support group Winterhill Largo has promoted Nathan McQueen to the new role of head of operations at its expanding Wakefield-based national debt recovery division.

The appointment reflects a rising demand for the company's credit control services, from businesses that struggle to cope with debtors, as well as from administrators appointed in cases of company insolvencies.

McQueen, who has been promoted from his role as head of collections at Winterhill Largo and has worked for the company for four years, has 20 years' experience in the credit control industry. During his career he has set up credit control functions for some high-profile businesses including global sports brand, Head, and vehicle warranty provider, Car Care Plan.

Speaking about his promotion, he said: “As the economic downturn continues to take its toll we are seeing an increasing demand for our credit control services, particularly from companies whose credit controllers can no longer cope with the escalating numbers of late or non-paying debtors.”

He added: “Winterhill Largo offers help to organisations struggling with creditors by providing on-site training for credit controllers as well as offering a thorough overhaul of the business’s credit procedures and processes. We also provide an outsourced credit control service, which completely removes the whole headache of chasing debts for businesses and we are experiencing more and more demand for this service from a whole range of companies across the country.”

Neil Duckworth, Winterhill Largo chief executive said: “Nathan’s well-earned promotion reflects the expansion of our debt recovery division which is providing a valuable service to businesses in tough economic times.”

Winterhill Largo’s debt recovery division also carries out sales ledger assessment and debt collection work for insolvency practitioners, appointed when a company goes into administration.

Following a merger with debt recovery firm Largo in 2010 and the acquisition of surveyors and real estate practice David Currie & Co in July 2011, Winterhill Largo now operates from five UK offices in London, Blackburn, Manchester, Liverpool and Wakefield and employs over 60 staff.

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