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landtax llp

Critchleys and A B Edwards & Co are pleased to announce the formation of landtax llp on 1 March 2008. The result of a joint venture between Oxfordshire-based accountants Critchleys and tax specialists A B Edwards & Co, landtax llp will be providing specialist tax and strategic planning advice to landowners to protect the family assets from the ravages of Inheritance Tax and Capital Gains Tax. The business will be based at A B Edwards & Co's existing premises in Long Hanborough and will continue the ethos of providing a truly personal service with each client having a dedicated consultant looking after their affairs.

Robert Kirtland Managing Partner of Critchleys said: *"We are delighted to be working with Tony Edwards and his team of consultants to form this new business landatax llp will be one of the most experienced tax advisors to landowners in the country and a firm that can truly be called specialists. In this complex fiscal regime there is no substitute for the best advice, and landtax llp is uniquely placed to provide it. The association with Critchleys also allows the provision of a full range of accountancy services if required."*

Tony Edwards comments, *"I have enjoyed enormously being able to run a small specialist team but it has become apparent over the last few years that, moving forward, it is not tenable for us to continue to provide clients with the type of service they have come to expect without 'back office' support. The formation of landtax llp gives the opportunity to maintain the ethos of the existing practice but to give clients and staff the assurance of continuity in the future".*

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