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### **New office for the Administrative Appeals Chamber in Cardiff**

The Administrative Appeals Chamber of the Upper Tribunal has set up an office in the Cardiff Civil Justice Centre. This replaces the earlier interim arrangement under which the contact point in Wales was in Newport.

Appeals, or applications for permission to appeal, from a decision of the Special Educational Needs Tribunal in Wales (SENT Wales) or the Mental Health Review Tribunal in Wales (MHRT Wales) should be lodged with the Office of the Administrative Appeals Chamber at Cardiff Civil Justice Centre. Oral hearings in SENT Wales and MHRT Wales cases will normally take place at regional venues in Wales.

There are other cases where applications and appeals may be lodged in Wales (where the applicant or appellant is resident in Wales or the decision sought to be challenged was taken in Wales). The appeals and applications falling into this category are:

- Appeals and applications for permission to appeal from First-tier Tribunal (Social Entitlement Chamber)
- Appeals and applications for permission to appeal from First-tier Tribunal (Health, Education and Social Care Chamber)
- Appeals and applications for permission to appeal from First-tier Tribunal (War Pensions, Armed Forces and Compensation Chamber)
- Applications for Judicial Review challenging a decision of a First-tier Tribunal

The address of the Cardiff office is: Administrative Appeals Chamber of the Upper Tribunal, Cardiff Civil Justice Centre, 2 Park Street, Cardiff, CF10 1ET. The Office Manager is Simon Jenkins who can be contacted on 02920 376521.

More information on the work of the Upper Tribunal (Administrative Appeals Chamber) can be found at [www.administrativeappeals.tribunals.gov.uk](http://www.administrativeappeals.tribunals.gov.uk).

