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### Rising Star

Law firm Read Roper and Read has appointed Avi Barr, the head of its leases for landlords department, as a partner. Barr, 31, set up the department in January 2009 to provide a web-based service for landlord and tenant work. He joined the firm, based in St Mary's Parsonage, Manchester, from Cobbetts. He joins Andrew Fairlie and Andrew Kay in the partnership. Senior partner Kay said: "We recognise the tremendous enthusiasm and capabilities that Avi has brought to the firm. His leases for landlords concept has enabled the firm to grow its client base significantly, despite the testing economic climate."

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