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CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

- Employed at the Director of Public Prosecutions (Qld) as a clerk from 1992 – 1996.
- Admitted as a Barrister of the Supreme Court of Queensland on 11 March 1996.
- Commenced practice at the private Bar on 11 November 1996.
- Appointed Senior Counsel on 31 October 2011.

**MAJOR AREAS OF PRACTICE**

- Administrative and Government Law.
- Appellate.
- Civil Confiscation of Criminal Profits.
- Criminal Law.
- Inquests/ Commissions of Inquiry/ Statutory Tribunals.
- Investigations.
- Professional Disciplinary.
- Regulatory Disputes (including Environment, Mining, OH&S).

**ANTI - DISCRIMINATION TRIBUNAL**

- Sessional Member of the Anti-Discrimination Tribunal (2006 - 2009).

**QUEENSLAND CIVIL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL**

- Sessional Member of Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal (“QCAT”) (2009 – 2011).

## **COMMISSIONS OF INQUIRY**

### ***Counsel Assisting***

- In 2011, I was appointed as a counsel assisting to the Queensland Floods Commission of Inquiry and conducted hearings in Brisbane and throughout regional Queensland in 2011 and 2012.

### ***Counsel for family members***

- In 2014, I was briefed to cross-examine The Hon Mark Arbib, The Hon Peter Garrett and The Hon Kevin Rudd on behalf of a family at the Royal Commission into the Home Insulation Programme

### ***Counsel for the State of Queensland***

- In 2015 and 2016 I appeared as senior counsel (leading Nicole Kefford and Janice Crawford) for the State of Queensland in the Barrett Adolescent Centre Commission of Inquiry.
- In 2016 I was senior counsel (leading Julie Sharp and Angus Scott) for the State of Queensland in the Queensland Review of Youth Detention.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW**

### ***New Acland Mine Stage 3***

- In 2015 I was briefed to conduct an administrative review for the Queensland Government of the Coordinator-General’s evaluation of the New Acland Coal Mine Stage 3 Expansion project environmental impact statement (‘EIS’) under Part 4 of the *State Development and Public Works Organisation Act 1971* (Qld) (‘SDPWO Act’) and the EIS evaluation report of 19 December 2014.

## **TASKFORCE ON ORGANISED CRIME LEGISLATION**

- Taskforce Member (as a representative of the Bar Association of Queensland).

## **WORKERS’ COMPENSATION USER GROUP – QUEENSLAND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS COMMISSION**

- Member.

## **INCORPORATED COUNCIL OF LAW REPORTING QUEENSLAND**

- Councillor

### **SUPREME COURT LIBRARY COMMITTEE**

- Member

### **QUEENSLAND BARRISTERS BOARD**

- Member elected by the Queensland Supreme Court (2003 and 2004).

### **BAR ASSOCIATION OF QUEENSLAND**

#### *Executive of the Bar Council*

- Member of the Executive - Honorary Treasurer (2011- 2014).

#### *Bar Council*

- Member (2009 – 2014).

#### *Criminal Law Committee*

- Chair.

#### *Professional Complaints Committee*

- Member.

#### *Annual Conference Organising Committee*

- Member.

### **LAW COUNCIL OF AUSTRALIA**

#### *Human Rights Committee*

- Member.

#### *Criminal Law Committee*

- Member.

### **QUEENSLAND COURT OF APPEAL PRO BONO SCHEME**

- Member.

### **BOND UNIVERSITY LAW ADVISORY BOARD**

- Member.

### **SUPREME COURT WHITE RIBBON DAY BREAKFAST ORGANISING COMMITTEE**

- Member.