

THE NEW SOUTH WALES BAR ASSOCIATION BAR COUNCIL

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

Thursday 10 July 2014 in the Boardroom of the New South Wales Bar Association at 4.30 pm

PRESENT: Hutley SC; Moses SC; McHugh SC; Temby QC; Street SC;

McGrath SC; Traill; Callan; Hunt; Gleeson; Hyde Page;

Dobraszczyk

APOLOGIES: Needham SC; Game SC; Toomey; Loukas SC; Walker;

Healey; Morris; Stone; Khandhar

IN ATTENDANCE: Executive Director; Deputy Executive Director; Director,

Professional Conduct; Executive Assistant

MINUTES

The minutes of the Bar Council meeting of 19 June 2014 were confirmed.

Minutes of the meeting of the Bar Council Executive held on 1 July 2014

Noted.

The Executive Director advised that the trade mark application made by Hendrik Jan Van Es to register the term and image 'Barristers' Wig' had now been withdrawn.

The Council noted that the Executive resolved at its meeting to refuse, pursuant to section 48(4)(b) of the *Legal Profession Act 2004*, to renew the local practising certificate for James Edward Barnett for the year commencing 1 July 2014.

MEMBERSHIP

The following were admitted as Class A – Local Practising Barrister – unless otherwise shown:

Melissa Brown – B
Loraine Byrnes – B
Jeh Coutinho – B
Elleanor Gillard – B
Dimity Kingsford-Smith
Erin McCabe – B
Sharon Newton – B
Kim Nightingale – B
Elizabeth Norman – B
Megan Robinson – B
Michael Watson – B
Julie Webb
Mark Wilson – B

Maurice Byers Chambers Edmund Barton Chambers 12 Selborne/Wentworth Frederick Jordan Chambers

UNSW

Level 22 Chambers

10 St James Hall Chambers

Waratah Chambers Banco Chambers

William Dean Chambers 11 Garfield Barwick Chambers William Owen Chambers

Queen's Square Chambers

FOR INFORMATION

Minutes of the Meeting of the Practice Development Committee held on 18 June 2014

Noted.

The following papers were circulated via e-mail prior to the Council meeting

- Law Council of Australia Inquiries & Consultations List 16 June 2014
- Law Council of Australia Inquiries & Consultations List 23 June 2014
- Email to the Bar Council dated 24 June 2014 from Deputy Executive Director 3
 June 2014 Sydney public hearing transcript Access to Justice Arrangements
- Email to the Bar Council dated 26 June 2014 from Deputy Executive Director –
 Report re proposed Motor Accidents Compensation Act Regulation costs
- Email to the Bar Council dated 30 June 2014 from Deputy Executive Director Bail media release – NSW Bar Association
- Law Council of Australia Inquiries & Consultations List 30 June 2014
- Email to the Bar Council dated 1 July 2014 from Deputy Executive Director Draft submission in response to NSWLRC Consultation paper on ADR
- Email to the Bar Council dated 3 July 2014 from Deputy Executive Director Meeting with Minister Perrottet
- Email to the Bar Council dated 7 July 2014 from Deputy Executive Director Transcript 7.30 report Friday 4 July 2014 – Bail

- Email to the Bar Council dated 7 July 2014 from Deputy Executive Director SMH piece re Cunneen SC and Royal Commission
- Law Council of Australia Inquiries and Consultations List 7 July 2014

The meeting closed at 5:00pm.
Confirmed as a correct record:
Jane Needham SC President
Date: