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JANET MCDONALD APPOINTED AS IRC COMMISSIONER

Minister for Employee Relations, Damien Tudehope today announced the appointment of Ms Janet McDonald as a new Commissioner of the NSW Industrial Relations Commission (IRC).

Mr Tudehope congratulated Ms McDonald on her appointment.

"Ms McDonald brings a wealth of experience to the role. She has extensive legal experience as a litigator – 18 years as a solicitor and 14 years as a barrister involving industrial and workplace matters. Ms McDonald has briefed for significant cases in the IRC and played an active role in resolving disputes," Mr Tudehope said.

"I am delighted Ms McDonald has accepted this appointment. The experience she brings will serve the people of NSW well in this important position. I wish her every success in her new role."

The IRC hears industrial disputes and settles employment conditions and remuneration for employees primarily in the NSW public sector and local government.

Ms McDonald will commence her role as Commissioner on 29 August 2022.

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