

**Application for exemption from statutory deposit (insufficient funds to enable deposit)**

**Section 85 Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2014**

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| To:            | <b>Statutory Deposit Account Officer, Victorian Legal Services Board</b> |
| Email:         | registry@lsbc.vic.gov.au   |
| From:          |  |
| Email address: |  |

Law practice name: \_\_\_\_\_

Entity No./Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Trust account name: \_\_\_\_\_

Trust account number: \_\_\_\_\_

ADI (bank) and branch: \_\_\_\_\_

*ADI means 'authorised deposit-taking institution' within the meaning of the Banking Act 1959 (Cth)*

Please provide the following information in relation to the trust account:

|   | Balance \$ | Date |
|---|------------|------|
| Bank statement balance for the most recent date at <b>COB</b> |            |      |
| Less unrepresented cheques                                    |            |      |
| Less impending trust payments                                 |            |      |
| Adjusted Balance  |            |      |
| Required Deposit Amount                                       |            |      |

Please provide the reason for the law practice being unable to deposit the required deposit amount:

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On the basis of the above information, the law practice applies for exemption from the requirement to deposit the amount required under section 85 of the *Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2014* by the 21<sup>st</sup> of the first month of the current quarter. I acknowledge that exemptions are granted on condition that the law practice deposits the required deposit amount with the Board if sufficient funds become available during the quarter, and such other conditions as the Board may consider appropriate, including that the Board may require a smaller deposit that is reasonable in the circumstances.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

*(Must be signed on behalf of the law practice by a principal or authorised associate of the practice)*