Instrument of Delegation

Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2014
Legal Profession Uniform Law (Victoria)

1. This instrument revokes the instrument of delegation conferred on the Victorian Bar Incorporated ABN 42 079 229 591 ("the Victorian Bar") by the Victorian Legal Services Commissioner pursuant to section 56(1) of the Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2014 (Vic) ("the Act") and dated 3 July 2015.

2. Pursuant to section 56(1) of the Act, Michael Keith McGarvie, Victorian Legal Services Commissioner, hereby delegate to the Victorian Bar, being a local professional association, my functions duties and powers hereinafter specified, as they relate to barristers, subject to the conditions specified herein:

Part 5.2 of the Legal Profession Uniform Law (Victoria) – Complaints

Division 1 – Making complaints and other matters about complaints

- Section 266(2) – only in respect of disciplinary matters that arise as a result of interactions between Victorian barristers
- Section 269(1)
- Section 271

Division 2 – Preliminary assessment of complaints

- Section 276
- Section 277 – only in respect of disciplinary matters that arise as a result of interactions between Victorian barristers
- Section 278 - but the recommendation can only be made to the Victorian Legal Services Board, not the Victorian Bar as delegate of the Victorian Legal Services Board,

Division 3 – Notifications to and submissions by respondents

- Section 279
- Section 280
- Section 281

Division 4 – Investigation of complaints

- Section 282
- Section 283 – only in respect of disciplinary matters that arise as a result of interactions between Victorian barristers
- Section 284
Part 5.3 of the Legal Profession Uniform Law (Victoria) – Consumer Matters

Division 2 – Provisions applicable to all consumer matters

• Section 286
• Section 287
• Section 288
• Section 289

Division 3 – Further provisions applicable to costs disputes

• Section 291(1)

Part 5.4 of the Legal Profession Uniform Law (Victoria) – Disciplinary Matters

Division 1 - Preliminary

• Section 297(2)

Part 5.5 of the Legal Profession Uniform Law (Victoria) – Compensation Orders

• Section 307(4)

Michael K McGarvie
Victorian Legal Services Commissioner

Signature

28.8.2015
Dated