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Instrument of Delegation

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

1. Pursuant to section 56(1) of the *Legal Profession Uniform Law Application Act 2014* (Vic) ("the Act"), I, Michael Keith McGarvie, **Victorian Legal Services Commissioner**, hereby delegate to the person for the time being holding, acting in, or performing the duties of the position of **Senior Dispute Resolution Officer**, being an employee referred to in section 59(1) of the Act, my functions duties and powers hereinafter specified, 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 269(1)
- Section 271

Division 2 – Preliminary assessment of complaints

- Section 276
- Section 278

Division 3 – Notifications to and submissions by respondents

- Section 279
- Section 280
- Section 281

Division 4 – Investigation of complaints

- Section 282(1)
- Section 283
- Section 284

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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)
- Section 293

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)

Part 5.6 of the Legal Profession Uniform Law (Victoria) - Appeal or Review

• Section 313(2)

Schedule 3 of the Legal Profession Uniform Law (Victoria) – Provisions Applying in Relation to Non-Participating Jurisdictions

Part 4 – Dispute Resolution and Professional Discipline

• Clause 14

Schedule 4 of the Legal Profession Uniform Law (Victoria) – Savings and Transitional Provisions

Division 7 – Dispute resolution and professional discipline

- Clause 26
- Clause 27

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Conditions

- In accordance with section 42A of the Interpretation of Legislation Act 1984 (Vic), this delegation does not
 prevent the discharge, exercise or performance by the Victorian Legal Services Commissioner (which
 expression in these conditions includes an acting Victorian Legal Services Commissioner) of the functions
 duties and powers herein delegated.
- In any particular case, where at any stage notice is given to the delegate by or on behalf of the Victorian Legal Services Commissioner, that the Victorian Legal Services Commissioner intends to discharge, exercise or perform the functions duties and powers herein delegated, the delegate shall not commence to discharge, exercise or perform those functions duties and powers, or shall cease to do so, as the case may be.