

**VICTORIAN CIVIL AND ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL
ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION**

LEGAL PRACTICE LIST

VCAT REFERENCE NO. J70/2016

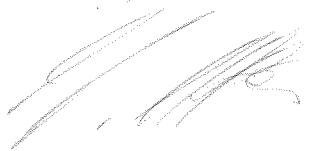
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| APPLICANT | Victorian Legal Services Board |
| RESPONDENT | Ms Lauren Godridge |
| WHERE HELD | Melbourne |
| BEFORE | Gerard Butcher, Senior Member |
| HEARING TYPE | Hearing |
| DATE OF HEARING | 25 May 2017 |
| DATE OF ORDER | 25 May 2017 |

FINDINGS

- 1 The Tribunal is satisfied that a ground for making an order under section 119 of the *Legal Profession Uniform Law* (the Uniform Law), namely that the respondent is not a fit and proper person to be employed or paid in connection with the practice of law or to be involved in the management of a law practice, has been established.
- 2 The Tribunal is satisfied that disqualification of the respondent for the purposes of the Uniform Law for a period of 10 years is justified.

ORDER

- 1 The respondent is a disqualified person within the meaning of the Uniform Law for a period of 10 years from the date of this order.
- 2 No order as to costs.


Gerard Butcher
Senior Member



APPEARANCES:

For Applicant

Ms Louise Watson, Solicitor

For Respondent

No appearance