

# Application Form

QLS form 1B (SR) version 2

## For Associate (Law Student) Membership of Queensland Law Society Legal Profession (Society) Rules 2007 [rule 11]

Enquiries **Membership Services** tel 07 3842 5883 info@qls.com.au www.qls.com.au

Complete the payment details (if applicable) and return this form to **Membership Services**  
Queensland Law Society GPO Box 1785 Brisbane Qld 4001 fax 07 3220 0616

### Details

Have you previously been a QLS member? yes  no

if yes, QLS membership #

Surname

Given name

Title (Mr, Mrs, Ms, etc)

Preferred name for nametag

Date of birth

Gender male  female

Residential address

Preferred mailing address

Residential phone number (include area code)

Mobile number

Email

Law school/PLT course at which enrolled

Campus address

Degree(s) to be obtained

Student number

Date commenced study

Expected date of completion (month/year)

Please refer to the Queensland Law Society's website, [www.qls.com.au](http://www.qls.com.au), for a copy of its privacy policy.

Queensland Law Society (QLS) is the peak professional body for the state's legal practitioners. We lead a profession of more than 7000 members from throughout Queensland.

QLS assists legal practitioners to continually improve their services, while monitoring their practices to ensure they meet the high standards set for the profession in Queensland.

### Declaration

- (i) I confirm that the above named details are true and correct and that I accept that should I have given false information that my membership could be terminated.
- (ii) I acknowledge that if I am accepted as a student member of the Society it is subject to the terms and conditions imposed by the Society upon student members.
- (iii) I confirm that I am a current enrolled student of a recognised law school or practical legal training course.

*Free student membership remains current as long as the criteria of these terms and conditions are fulfilled and shall be terminated at admission as a legal practitioner or ceasing to be a student.*

Signed

Date

### Payment

- option 1 – student member **FREE**
- option 2 – student member + Proctor **\$44** (incl GST)

Total membership fee \$

You may make payment by:

- payment in cash is attached (made personally at 179 Ann Street, Brisbane)
- my cheque payable to Queensland Law Society Inc is enclosed
- please debit my credit card (Diners Club is **not** accepted)
  - Visa  Mastercard  Amex

Card #

cardholder name

expiry date / /  amount \$

cardholder signature

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## Who we are

Queensland Law Society (QLS) is the peak professional body for solicitors in Queensland, with more than 8000 members and a growing associate (law student) membership.

The Society services the needs of its members, as well as meeting its statutory duties and obligations, and is proud of its high standards of accountability, integrity and professionalism.

As such, QLS is unique with both statutory and membership responsibilities.

Our statutory responsibilities include issuing practising certificates and maintaining the roll of solicitors, conducting audits of law firms, and investigating complaints referred by the Legal Services Commissioner.

The Society's principal responsibility is to its members. The advantage of membership is your access to benefits that will provide you with professional, commercial and easy access to a professional community in the course of your career.

These benefits, for solicitor members, include: access to information, publications, professional development, advice and counselling; access to complimentary and discounted services both from QLS and third-party providers.

Become a member and enjoy the opportunity to contribute to a respected and energetic professional organisation.

Be involved.

## Membership advantages

Become a member of Queensland Law Society and enjoy a connection to the greater profession, through being informed and by participating in seminars, conferences and events.

One of the greatest strengths of QLS student membership is access to information. As a member you will receive the following:

**full access to the QLS website** The QLS website is rich in information, resources, links to other legal sites and frequently used government and court forms.

**subscription to QLS Update** QLS Update delivers notices relevant to the profession every week via email.

**subscription to Legislation Update** Legislation Update is a comprehensive guide to changes in Queensland legislation and is available fortnightly via email.

**reduced rates to continuing legal education seminars and conferences** The Queensland Law Society conducts a comprehensive program of seminars and conferences. Associate (law student) members will have access to CLE programs at member rates.

**optional half price subscription to Proctor** Proctor is the Queensland legal profession's magazine. It is published by the QLS and all members receive it as part of their membership. Proctor provides a monthly selection of relevant legal articles written by leading practitioners, including case notes, information on legislation, and practical advice on a range of topics. It is a popular and respected publication, with a distinctive style and sense of humour. To subscribe, complete the payment details above.

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*Members not holding a current practising certificate or non full fee paying members are not entitled to vote at any meeting of the Society; vote at any election of office bearers or members of Council of the Society or hold office as an office bearer or member of the Council of the Society.*

*The library services are exclusively available to QLS members and staff working on their behalf, in the regular course of practice or employment in a government department or instrumentality that is involved in the practice of law. The library regretfully cannot assist with research or provide cases for study purposes, including Master of Law studies.*

This document will be a tax invoice for GST purposes when you make payment. Please retain a copy of this for GST records.