

Queensland

Legal Profession Act 2007
[section 50]

Application for Grant of a Practising Certificate

Applications for practising certificates in Queensland are made in accordance with sections 24 and 50 of the *Legal Profession Act 2007* which, in general, requires all practitioners other than those fully employed as a government legal officer, to hold current practising certificates.

I, (first names in BLOCK LETTERS)
 (surname in BLOCK LETTERS)
wish to apply for a practising certificate for the year ending 30 June 20 .

Section A – Personal details

- 1 title *Mr Mrs Miss Ms Other (please specify)*
- 2 date of birth
- 3 gender male female
- 4 residential address:
 postcode
- 5 private phone number (include area code)
mobile phone number
- 6 personal email address (for business purposes)
- 7 please indicate if you suffer from any infirmity or illness that might affect your ability to practise

Section B – Admission details

8 **If your name is on the roll of persons admitted to the legal profession as a lawyer in Queensland:**

date of admission in Queensland

basis of admission in Queensland

<input type="checkbox"/> articles of clerkship	<input type="checkbox"/> associateship
<input type="checkbox"/> supervised traineeship	<input type="checkbox"/> legal practice course
<input type="checkbox"/> public service	<input type="checkbox"/> bar examinations

other (please specify)

9 **If you were admitted in another jurisdiction other than Queensland:**

details of admission to practise in another jurisdiction other than Queensland

state date of admission

basis of admission in other jurisdiction

<input type="checkbox"/> articles of clerkship	<input type="checkbox"/> associateship
<input type="checkbox"/> supervised traineeship	<input type="checkbox"/> legal practice course
<input type="checkbox"/> public service	<input type="checkbox"/> bar examinations

other (please specify)

10 academic qualifications (eg, LLB (Bond), BCom)

Section C – Employment details

Please complete the following details about your law practice or employer.

If associated with more than one law practice or employer, please append additional details.

11 law practice/employer

12 street address

13 postal address

14 document exchange address

15 telephone number (include area code)

16 facsimile number (include area code)



17 employment status

- (a) law practice
 partner sole practitioner legal practitioner director
 employee consultant
- (b) community legal centre
- (c) corporation
- (d) government
 government department government agency local government
- (e) judicial
- (f) locum tenens
- (g) teaching institution
- (h) retired
- (i) unemployed
- (j) other (please specify)

18 date of commencement in above status

19 do you intend to undertake free legal work for a corporation specified in section 6 of the *Legal Profession Regulation 2007* yes no

Section D – Indemnity rule

All applicants for a practising certificate must comply with the *Queensland Law Society Indemnity Rule 2005*.

20 I will comply with the *Queensland Law Society Indemnity Rule 2005*.

21 I am employed by a community legal centre/Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander legal service and am covered by professional indemnity insurance cover that complies with the *Legal Profession Act 2007* and is for at least \$1.5 million on any one claim.

Section E – Declaration and disclosure requirements

- 22 Have you been subject to any of the suitability matters mentioned in ss9 and 46 of the *Legal Profession Act 2007* which may affect your eligibility to hold a practising certificate? yes no

If 'yes', provide details

(If you have previously disclosed any such matter to the Society, you need only provide the date of the correspondence in which you did so)

- 23 Have you been subject to any 'show cause' event as defined in Schedule 2 of the *Legal Profession Act 2007* which may affect your eligibility to hold a practising certificate? yes no

If 'yes', have you provided a notice and statement as required by s68(1) of the *Legal Profession Act 2007* to the Society?

yes no

If 'yes', provide the date of the notice and statement

If 'no', provide a notice and statement (*attach to this form*)

- 24 Have you been disqualified from managing corporations under any law in place in Australia, including the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth)? yes no

If 'yes', provide details

The Law Society ('the Society') may use the personal information you have provided in this form for a number of purposes including:

- carrying out the Society's statutory obligations and duties
- updating and maintaining details relating to your practise of law, including publishing any of the details in any of the Society's publications
- providing you with important information about matters affecting your practising certificate and some of the services offered by the Society (such as educational and professional development programs)
- conducting research to identify the ongoing needs of the profession
- providing the details to members of the public through the Society's website search functions.

If you do not wish your details to be used for any one or more of the above purposes, you should advise the Records section of the Society, GPO Box 1785, Brisbane Qld 4001, in writing.

Further details about the Society's Privacy Statement, Plan and Code of Practice and the collection of personal information may be found on the Society's website, www.qls.com.au.

I declare that the information and particulars set forth in this form are true in substance and in fact.

signed

dated

Certain information from this form is recorded in the *Queensland Law Society Diary* and appears on our website www.qls.com.au.

In accordance with r18A, *Queensland Law Society Administration Rule 2005*, it is the responsibility of each solicitor to provide any change of address or place of employment to the Secretary of the Queensland Law Society in writing (GPO Box 1785 Brisbane 4001 or facsimile number 07 3220 0616 or email k.davis@qls.com.au) or you may amend the detail in your profile on our website.