## GRAHAM JOHN GIBSON RESUME



Academic Qualifications: B.A. LLB (Hons 2A)

University of Queensland, 1975

Professional Career: September 1976 – Commenced practice as Barrister

November 1989 – Appointed Queens Counsel

Principal areas of Practice: Contract, commercial, insurance, property (including planning

and environment), administrative law, appellate.

Appearances: High Court of Australia

Federal Court of Australia (appearances in all capital cities)

Supreme Court of Queensland, Supreme Court of New South Wales and Supreme Court of the Northern Territory of Australia.

Planning and Environment Court, Queensland

Land Court, Queensland

Some clients Represented in Court Proceedings:\*

Corporate Clients

Abacus Funds Management Limited

Abbot Point Bulkcoal Pty Ltd (wholly owned subsidiary of Glencore)

**ACE Insurance** 

Aria Property Group Ltd

**Armour Energy Limited** 

**Australand Limited** 

**BG** International Limited

BHP Billiton Minerals Pty Ltd

BM Alliance Coal Operations Pty Ltd (jointly owned by BHP Billiton Limited and Mitsubishi Development Pty Ltd)

Brisbane Airport Corporation Limited

**CGU** Insurance

Cliffs Australia Coal Pty Ltd and Cliffs Australia Washplant Operations Pty Ltd (both wholly owned subsidiaries of Cleveland Cliffs Inc.)

Dexus Funds Management Limited

Dexus Wholesale Property Limited

FKP Residential Developments Pty Ltd

Hope Island Resort Holdings Pty Ltd

JDV Limited (formerly Hartley Poynton Limited)

Macquarie Leisure Management Ltd

McArthur River Mining Pty Ltd (wholly owned subsidiary, Xstrata Zinc Ltd)

McConnell Dowell Constructors (Aust) Pty Ltd

Queensland Gas Company Limited (now QGC Pty Limited, subsidiary of BG Group plc)

Pauls Ltd (wholly owned subsidiary, Parmalat SpA)

Ross Neilson Properties Pty Ltd

SMM Solomon Limited (jointly owned by Sumitomo Metal Mining Co. Ltd and Japan Oil Gas and Metals National Corporation (JOGMEC))

Suncorp

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<sup>\*</sup> In alphabetical order. Clients for whom only Opinions have been provided are not included, for reasons of confidentiality.

St. Paul

Transmetro Corporation Limited

W.A. Stockwell Pty Ltd

Westpac Banking Corporation

Wilmar Sugar Australia Pty Ltd

Woolworths Limited

Governments, Government Departments and Agencies Commonwealth

Australian Competition and Consumer Commission

Australian Securities and Investments Commission

Civil Aviation Safety Authority

**Director of Public Prosecutions** 

Native Title Registrar

CEO, Customs

State

State of Queensland

Commissioner of Stamp Duties/Office of State Revenue

Environmental Protection Authority/Dept. of Environment and Resource Management

**Gladstone Ports Corporation** 

Queensland Police Service

Powerlink

**Queensland Treasury Corporation** 

SunWater

WorkCover Queensland

Local

Brisbane City Council

Gold Coast City Council

Logan City Council

Noosa Shire Council

Redland City Council

Sunshine Coast Regional Council

Professional Recognition:

Best Lawyers Australia:

- -2008-2022-Litigation
- 2013 Litigation Queensland Lawyer of the Year
- 2016 2022 Bet the Company litigation

Doyle's Guide

- 2013-2022 – Leading Planning and Environment Barristers

Speaker at numerous seminars and conferences addressing topics in fields including trade practices, evidence, vendor-purchaser, contract and administrative law.

**Professional Organisations:** 

Chair, Professional Indemnity/Professional Standards

Committee, Bar Association of Queensland

Past member of the Council and Executive of the Bar

Association of Queensland

Past Presenter, Australian Advocacy Institute Workshops

Other Organisations:

Member, Legal Practitioners Admissions Board

Former Chairman, Cancer Council Queensland

Former Board member, Cancer Council Australia

Former Member, Australian Institute of Company Directors

Tribunal Member, Motorsport Australia