## PRACTICE DIRECTION NUMBER 5 OF 2012

## SUPREME COURT OF QUEENSLAND

## NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME

- 1. As of 12 March 2012, the name of the firm currently known as McMahon Clarke Legal will change to McMahon Clarke. The firm's address will not change.
- 2. On the basis that the name of the firm forms part of the address for service as defined in Rule 17(6) of the *Uniform Civil Procedure Rules* (1999), a party to a proceeding who prior to 12 March 2012 has been, and continues thereafter to be, represented by McMahon Clarke Legal is hereby relieved of the obligation under Rule 17(5) to file and serve notice of change of the party's address for service consequent upon the change of name from McMahon Clarke Legal to McMahon Clarke.
- 3. For the purposes of the *Uniform Civil Procedure Rules* (1999), as from and including 12 March 2012:
  - (a) service of a document addressed to "McMahon Clarke Legal" at the firm's address at 62 Charlotte Street, Brisbane will be taken to be service upon "McMahon Clarke" at that address; and
  - (b) a reference in a document filed prior to that date to "McMahon Clarke Legal" is to be taken to be a reference to "McMahon Clarke".
- 4. It will not be necessary for the Registrar to place on the file for any proceeding referred to in paragraph 2, a copy of this practice direction or other notification of the change. The publication of the practice direction is itself deemed to be sufficient notification of the change.

Paul de Jersey
Chief Justice
8 March 2012