

PRACTICE DIRECTION NUMBER 1 OF 2013

DISTRICT COURT OF QUEENSLAND

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME

1. As of 1 December 2012, the name of the firm previously known as Watson & Quinn Lawyers changed to Simpson Quinn Lawyers. The firm's address has not changed.
2. On the basis that the name of the firm forms part of the address for service to which Rule 17(6) of the *Uniform Civil Procedure Rules (1999)* refers, a party to a proceeding who prior to 1 December 2012 has been, and continues thereafter to be, represented by Watson & Quinn Lawyers, 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 Watson & Quinn Lawyers to Simpson Quinn Lawyers.
3. For the purposes of the *Uniform Civil Procedure Rules*, from 1 December 2012, the firm's name has been taken to be the name specified in para 1.
4. It will not be necessary for the Registrar to place on the file for any such proceeding, a copy of this practice direction or other notification of the change of name. The publication of the practice direction is itself deemed to be sufficient notification of the change.

Chief Judge PM Wolfe
24 January 2013