## **PRACTICE DIRECTION NUMBER 17 OF 2013**

## SUPREME COURT OF QUEENSLAND

## NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME

- 1. On 31 October 2013, the name of the firm previously known as Bottoms English Lawyers (Atherton office) changed to Atherton Tablelands Law. The firm's address did 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 31 October 2013 was, and continued thereafter to be, represented by Bottoms English 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 Bottoms English Lawyers to Atherton Tablelands Law.
- 3. For the purposes of the Uniform Civil Procedure Rules, as from and including 31 October 2013:

(a) service of a document addressed to "Bottoms English Lawyers" at the firm's address at Suite 3, Level 1, 7 Herberton Road, Atherton, Queensland, 4883, will be taken to be service upon "Atherton Tablelands Law" at that address; and

(b) a reference in a document filed prior to that date to "Bottoms English Lawyers" is to be taken to be a reference to "Atherton Tablelands Law".

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 of name. The publication of the practice direction is itself deemed to be sufficient notification of the change.

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Paul de Jersey Chief Justice 4 November 2013