

GREGORY KEITH BURTON, SC, FCI Arb, MIAMA

Senior counsel (equivalent to QC in NSW); commercial arbitrator, mediator, expert determiner, early neutral evaluator (accredited/listed with various statutory, Court and private panels); author.

BCL (Oxon), BA (Hons), LLB (Hons) (Syd); Senior Counsel (SC) from September 2004; barrister (NSW, Qld, High Ct, Fed Cts, Ireland); barrister and solicitor (Vic, ACT, WA, NT); reciprocal recognition all Australian jurisdictions; Dip Intl Arbn (CI Arb) Sept 2012, Fellowship CI Arb December 2012.

Senior Counsel since September 2004; barrister in private practice since 1989; solicitor (corporate and finance), Freehills (now Herbert Smith Freehills) (1980-83); Associate to Hon Justice Sir William Deane, High Court (1984-85); senior adviser to federal shadow Attorney-General John Spender QC MP (1986); lecturer in law, Australian National University (1987-88).

Practice areas (trial and appellate): commercial/equity, corporate, finance, securities, insolvency, insurance, property (including intellectual property), IT, trusts, torts/negligence and professional liability, contracts/sale of goods and services, competition law, succession/probate, associations, constitutional and administrative law, ADR.

ADR qualifications and experience:

LEADR and IAMA mediation and arbitration qualifications and IAMA grading 1993/94, NMAS mediation accreditation from inception; LEADR Advanced Mediator Panel; ACDC and ACICA panels; listed with Supreme Court, District Court, NSW Bar Association; registered for farm debt mediation, retail tenancy mediation
Many hundreds of hours of commercial and other mediations in above practice areas and also employment, personal injury and public law
Numerous court-appointed District Court arbitrations while those lists were active, both commercial and Philadelphia

A number of private commercial arbitrations in commercial/securities, finance and IT;
A number of auDA domain name determinations as single member and chair of two
3-panel decisions
Chair of dispute panels currently and in past for large private and educational
organisations.

Former member NSW Bar Association professional conduct committee and current
member *Bar News* committee.

Procurator (retained general counsel) Presbyterian Church of Australia (in NSW from
2002, federally from 2004, WA from 2005, Queensland from 2006).

Founding and current editor, Journal of Banking and Finance Law and Practice from
1990

Co-editor, Weaver and Craigie's The Law Relating to Banker and Customer in
Australia (primary responsibility for re-issue of work in 2003);

Title editor and contributor, *Finance, Banking and Securities* in The Laws of
Australia

Banking and Finance editor, Australasian Dispute Resolution Service (reissued
2007)

Personal property contributor, Australian Legal Dictionary

Editor, Directions in Finance Law (Butterworths, 1990)

Author:

"Negotiability: Set-Offs and Counter-Claims", in Burton (ed), Directions in
Finance Law (1990)

Australian Financial Transactions Law (Butterworths, 1991)

"Trusts", in Australian Commentary on Halsbury's Laws of England (1992)

"Bills of exchange and other negotiable instruments", in Halsbury's Laws of
Australia (1992 and subsequent updates and reissues to current)

"Set-off", in The Laws of Australia (1993 and subsequent updates) and The
Principles of Equity (1996 and 2nd ed 2002)

"Arbitration in Australia", in Comparative Law Yearbook of International Business 1994 (Kluwer/CILS, Vienna)

Articles, notes and seminar presentations on aspects of banking, finance, equity, corporate securities, commercial and corporate law, ADR, public law and private international law.

Director, Australian Elizabethan Theatre Trust (from 1994); member various research, charitable and political institutes; interests (as time permits) politics, world affairs and the arts, reading, writing, sport, languages, travel.

Education: Lindfield Public, Artarmon Opportunity Classes, scholarship to Trinity Grammar (dux of each year and various prizes), scholarships and prizes (including Geddes Prize and Roper Prize in Equity and Commercial Law) in law, English, history and government, University Medal in History, University of Sydney, Editorial Committee, Sydney Law Review, 1978-1979, Oxford University postgraduate bursary and Keble College awards.

Member: New South Wales Bar Association; Business Law Section, Law Council of Australia; Banking and Financial Services Law Association; Commercial Law Association (Fellow level); Australian Institute of Administrative Law; Centre for Independent Studies; Institute of Public Affairs; Sydney Institute; International Biographical Association (Life Fellow); Centre for International Legal Studies Vienna (Hon Member).