

Litigation & Dispute Resolution

Capability Statement

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Our litigation and dispute resolution team are highly sought after and experienced in advising and representing our clients to achieve the best outcomes possible.

We have represented clients in a range of personal and business matters and the litigation and resolution of those disputes. As such, our clients feel assured knowing that they are being fully supported by experienced litigators throughout the entire matter.

We offer trusted and realistic advice

We are client focused, energetic and experienced in the provision of legal services to individuals and businesses requiring litigation advice and representation in Court and during any alternative dispute resolution procedures.

We deliver positive outcomes

We have a strong technical background coupled with a keen commercial understanding giving us a strategic advantage.

We have a keen commercial understanding

We assert our clients' rights in and out of court, while at the same time observing our ethical obligations as lawyers. We maintain a focus on the commercial realities of the matter and our clients' desired outcomes.

Expertise

ADVISORY

Company and shareholders disputes

Appointment of liquidators, provisional liquidators and administrators

Lease disputes

Franchise disputes

Partnership disputes

Building disputes, commercial and residential

Employment and Industrial Relations disputes

Contract disputes, including sale and purchase of land or leasehold interests in land

Joint venture disputes

Trust disputes

Negligence claims

Trade practice or Australian Consumer Law claims

Debt recovery, statutory demands and setting aside of statutory demands

Injunctions

Insurance claims

Claims under superannuation policies

Family provision applications

Family matters

Estate matters, including disputing the validity of a will

Land resumption and compensation claims

Insolvency claims, including unfair preference, voidable transactions and compensation claims

Mediations and Alternative Dispute Resolution

Legal costs assessments including solicitor and client costs

Our Experience

Our litigation team are experienced across a broad array of legal disputes and effective resolution processes.

We carefully explain all available options to our clients and guide them towards the best commercial outcome, whether that be via court proceedings or alternative dispute resolution.

We take a pragmatic and strategic approach throughout the process that is also aligned with commercial objectives and realities and genuinely appreciate that litigation proceedings can be time consuming, stressful and costly.

Obtaining early advice is encouraged to ensure that interests are protected, costs are minimised and matters are resolved efficiently.

"Having worked with Hillhouse Legal Partners on a variety of matters since 2012, I have found them to be seasoned litigation practitioners who combine exceptional skill with sound judgement. I have appreciated their practical and realistic advice. They have always been honest and upfront about what can and cannot be achieved, making them easy to work with and trustworthy. The team at Hillhouse Legal Partners are approachable, friendly and experienced. I particularly appreciated their responsiveness to my questions and concerns. I would not hesitate to recommend them to others."

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Our Solutions

While we offer expert legal services in litigation and dispute resolutions, Hillhouse can also provide strategic practical advice across all legal specialities:

Corporate

- ◆ Corporate and Commercial
- ◆ Debt recovery, Insolvency and Restructuring
- ◆ Employment and Industrial Relations
- ◆ Intellectual property and Technology
- ◆ Litigation and Dispute Resolution
- ◆ Property and Projects

Sectors

- ◆ Agribusiness
- ◆ Building and Construction
- ◆ Government
- ◆ Health and Medical
- ◆ Hotels, Accommodation and Resorts
- ◆ Mining, Energy and Resources
- ◆ Retirement and Aged Care
- ◆ Technology and Startups

Private

We are trusted to provide a range of personal legal services for individuals and families, often across generations. We are able to assist you with the following personal legal services:

- ◆ Conveyancing
- ◆ Family law
- ◆ Wills, Estates and Trusts

Why Hillhouse:

Expert

Team capability with over 30 years' experience in litigation and dispute resolution law, allowing us to set an effective and efficient pathway to meet your objectives

Engaged

Client-focused partnership approach with direct senior-level lawyer client liaison and frequent open communication about progress

Commercial

We focus on the commercial realities of the matter and clients' desired outcomes

Specialist services

Full range of litigation and dispute resolution services to advance matters of any amount and complexity

Responsive

Highly responsive to our client's needs and the Court's requirements

Transparent

Working to agreed strategy with cost transparency and flexible fee options all within budget

See how we can assist you with the most efficient and effective legal solution. Contact us at 07 3220 1144 or email@hillhouse.com.au for an obligation free consultation and appraisal. As your legal partners, Hillhouse provides a diverse range of legal services delivered in a flexible way.

We understand our clients need legal support to suit their varied routine and locations. We always engage as needed, whether that be a meeting at your location or ours, by phone, email or video conferencing.

To see how we can meet your varying and changing needs, please review our full service offer at www.hillhouse.com.au.

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