

Dean Guidolin



Dean Guidolin practises in commercial law with a particular emphasis on corporations and securities

QUALIFICATIONS

Bachelor of Commerce
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COMMERCIAL LAW

Appellate | Banking & Finance | Bankruptcy | Class Actions | Contractual Disputes | Consumer Law | Corporations & Securities | Equity & Trusts | Insurance | Real Property

TORT LAW

Product Liability | Professional Negligence

PUBLIC LAW

Aged Care | Commissions & Inquiries

Dean also has significant expertise in equity and trusts, shareholders disputes, property (real and personal), trade practices, professional negligence and economic torts.

Dean regularly appears in the Supreme Court, Federal Court and in appellate jurisdictions. Dean has also appeared at State and Federal Commissions of Inquiry, Regulatory Examinations & Inquiries and Parliamentary Inquiries. Dean has extensive experience in all aspects of trusts, fraud, corruption and tracing cases.

Dean has experience in class actions, having acted for Powercor Ltd in respect of the Western Districts Black Saturday bushfires and for the non-executive directors in The Great Southern Class actions.

Recent Cases

CLASS ACTIONS

[*Perry & Anor v Powercor Australia Limited*\[2011\] VSC 308 \(4 July 2011\)](#) – Western Districts Black Saturday Class Actions

[*Clarke & Ors v Great Southern Finance Pty Ltd \(in liq\) & Ors \(Ruling No 1\)*\[2012\] VSC 295 \(29 June 2012\)](#) – Great Southern Agribusiness Class Actions

Clarke (as trustee of the Clarke Family Trust) & Ors v Great Southern Finance Pty Ltd (Receivers and Managers Appointed) (in liquidation) & Ors (Ruling No 3) [2014] VSC 584

Clarke (as trustee of the Clarke Family Trust) & Ors v Great Southern Finance Pty Ltd (Receivers and Managers Appointed) (in liquidation) & Ors [2014] VSC 516

APPELLATE

Alexander & Anor v. Burne & Ors [2015] NSWCA 377

[*Vermillion Resources Pty Ltd v Gibbins Investments Pty Ltd \(2011\) 86 ACSR 246*](#)

Powercor Australia Ltd v. Perry (2011) 33 VR 548

[*Bora Homes Australia v Aim Site Hire Pty Ltd* \[2013\] FCA 23](#)

McWhinney v. Melbourne Health (2011) 31 VR 285

[*CEPU v Australian Competition and Consumer Commission \(2007\) 162 FCR 466*](#)

[*Shaw v Yarranova Pty Ltd & Anor* \[2011\] VSCA 55 \(3 March 2011\)](#)

CORPORATIONS LAW AND EQUITY AND TRUSTS

Alexander & Anor v. Burne & Ors [2015] NSWSC 345

Presbyterian Church of Victoria Trusts Corporation v. Anstee & Ors[2014] VSC 426

Ninety First Lieutenant Pty Ltd v. Gateway Concepts Pty Ltd[2014] VSC 85

Alexander & Anor v. Burne & Ors[2013] NSWSC 1953

Sharp & Anor v. Rata International Pty Ltd & Ors[2013] VSC 328 (24 June 2013)

Sitzler Savage Pty Ltd v. Northern Mining Holdings Pty Ltd & Anor[2012] VSC 104

[*Gibbins Investments Pty Ltd v Savage* \(2011\) 84 ACSR 1](#)

[*Krok v Szaintop Homes Pty Ltd & Ors \(No 1\)*\[2011\] VSC 16 \(8 February 2011\)](#)

[*Tropicana Limited v Australasia Corporate Services Pty Ltd*\[2011\] FCA 684 \(16 June 2011\)](#)

[*Mercury Brands Group Pty Ltd \(Subject to Deed of Company Arrangement\) v Mercury Brands Group Pty Ltd \(No 2\) & Ors*\[2010\] FCA 1140 \(21 October 2010\)](#)

[*Mercury Brands Group Pty Ltd \(Subject to Deed of Company Arrangement\) v Mercury Brands Group Pty Ltd & Ors*\[2010\] FCA 583 \(17 June 2010\)](#)

[*Wesley Mission Melbourne Ltd v Commissioner of State Revenue*\[2004\] VCAT 419 \(19 March 2004\)](#)

TRADE PRACTICES

[*ACCC v IPM Operation and Maintenance Loy Yang Pty Ltd \(No 2\)*\[2007\] 59 AILR 100-621](#)

ACCC v IPM Operation and Maintenance Loy Yang Pty Ltd (2006) 157 FCR 162

[*ACCC v The CFMEU*\[2007\] ATPR 42-140](#)

[*ACCC v Edison Mission Operations and Maintenance Loy Yang Pty Ltd*\[2006\] FCA 853 \(7 April 2006\)](#)

[*CEPU v Corke Instrument Engineering \(Australia\) Pty Ltd \(No 2\)*\[2005\] FCA 800 \(8 June 2005\)](#)

[*CEPU v Corke Instrument Engineering \(Australia\) Pty Ltd* \(2005\) 223 ALR 480](#)

PROPERTY AND COMMERCIAL LAW

Architecture HQ Pty Ltd v Propertyline Pty Ltd [2015] FCA 686 (29 June 2015)

Geopec Pty Ltd v BMS Group Pty Ltd [2015] VCAT 12 (7 January 2015)

[*Shaw v Yarranova Pty Ltd & Anor*\[2010\] VSC 567 \(13 December 2010\)](#)

[*Underwood v CGP \(Aust\) Pty Ltd*\[2010\] VCC 1150 \(5 November 2010\)](#)

[*Reece Pty Ltd v Southwell & Ors*\[2010\] VCC 86 \(1 March 2010\)](#)

[*Open Door Pub Co Pty Ltd v Stefanidakis*\[2008\] VCC 1300 \(30 October 2008\)](#)

[*Skyllas v Skyllas*\[2007\] VCC 1266 \(19 October 2007\)](#)

[*Blue Cross Properties \(Toorak\) Pty Ltd v Mackie & Staff Pty Ltd & Ors*\[2007\] VSC 304 \(24 August 2007\)](#)

[*Dharmalingham v Registrar of Titles* \[2006\] V Conv R 54-718](#)

[*Perpetual Trustees Victoria Limited v Pilcher* \[2005\] VSC 244 \(23 June 2005\)](#)

[*Montaigne Pty Ltd v Nerana at Nicholson Pty Ltd* \[2004\] VSC 116 \(1 April 2004\)](#)

PROFESSIONAL NEGLIGENCE

[*Baxter v Clark & Toop \(Legal Practice\)* \[2008\] VCAT 117 \(23 January 2008\)](#)

[*Mathiasz v Ken Smith and Associates \(Legal Practice\)* \[2006\] VCAT 416 \(17 March 2006\)](#)

[*National Food Corporation Ltd v Silberman \(Legal Practice\)* \[2007\] VCAT 2480 \(20 December 2007\)](#)

[*Lydiard Financial Services Pty Ltd v Moran* \[2005\] VSC 184 \(30 May 2005\)](#)

[*Todarello Consolidated Investments Pty Ltd v Finch & Magistrates' Court of Victoria* \[2007\] VSC 492 \(30 November 2007\)](#)

INQUIRIES

2014 – 2015: Appeared for Individuals and Unions in the Royal Commission into Trade Union Governance & Corruption:

The AWU Workplace Reform Association case study;

Cleanevent case study;

Paid education leave case study;

Chicquita Mushrooms case study;

Unibuilt case study;

Australian Jockeys' Association case study;

Australian Netball Players Association case study;

Industry 2020 case study;

Protection of claims of client-legal privilege and without prejudice privilege on behalf of the CEPU and the AWU.

2007-2008: Upper House Inquiry into the Lotteries Licence Review for the State of Victoria (Department of Premier and Cabinet).

Memberships

Cycling Australia's selection and disciplinary review panel in respect of World Championships, Olympic and Paralympic Athlete selections