

## **LOUISE McBRIDE**

### **COURT APPEARANCES IN REVENUE MATTERS (2007- DATE)**

Since joining the Bar in October 2006 Louise has appeared in the following Federal Government and New South Wales State Government Revenue cases:

#### **Federal Court**

- Sydney Refractive Surgery Centre Pty Limited v Commissioner of Taxation [2008] FCA 454, (2008) ALR 247(for the Taxpayer)
- Commissioner of Taxation v Sydney Refractive Surgery Centre Pty Ltd [2008] FCAFC 190 (for the Taxpayer)
- Epov v Commissioner of Taxation [2007] FCAFC 139 (for the Commissioner)
- Deputy Commissioner of Taxation v Holiday Coast Security Pty Limited (NSD 232/2007(for the Taxpayer) (the matter was settled following orders made by to Jacobsen J )
- JMB Beverages v Commissioner of Taxation,(Appeal set down for the 3 May 2010 (this case has received funding under the Federal Government's Test Case Litigation Program.)

#### **Federal Magistrates Court of Australia**

Deputy Commissioner of Taxation v Ross Richmond 2008 FMCA 1431(for the Taxpayer).

#### **District Court of New South Wales**

Deputy Commissioner of Taxation V Spios Bilos (No. 3857 of 2005) (for the Taxpayer)

#### **Local Court**

Commissioner of Taxation v Neil Smith (29 November 2006 Magistrate Bradd) (for the taxpayer)

Commissioner of Taxation v Kai Shuen Chan (27 February 2007 Magistrate O'Shane) for the taxpayer)

#### **Administrative Appeals Tribunal**

Salvatore Tomarchio v Commissioner of Taxation (Matter No 2007/3793-3794) (The Commissioner conceded the matter the day before the hearing on the basis of the Taxpayers submissions, a s. 42 C agreement was signed by the parties)

Pat Lergou v Commissioner of Taxation, Michael Lergou v Commissioner of Taxation, the Partnership (trading as Wild Rooster) v Commissioner of Taxation [2009] AATA 292.

Khoa The Anh Nguyen v Federal Commissioner of Taxation 18 October 2007 (the matter was conceded by the taxpayer on the day of the hearing. Louise was acting pro bono for the taxpayer on behalf of the New South Wales Bar Association legal assist program).

**Administrative Decisions Tribunal**

Lotten Pty Limited and ors v Chief Commissioner of State Revenue [2007] NSWADT 212 (for the Taxpayer)

Since coming to the Bar Louise has been briefed by the following firms in taxation matters:

Freehill's; Mallesons Stephen Jaques; Speed & Stracey, Gilbert + Tobin; Pigott Stinson Lawyers and Kemp Strang Lawyers.