


PRACTICE DIRECTION NUMBER 5 OF 2019

DISTRICT COURT OF QUEENSLAND

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME

1. On 1 July 2019, the name of the firm then known as Buckland Allen Criminal Lawyers Pty Ltd changed to Allen & Searing Criminal Lawyers Pty Ltd . The firm's service address has not changed.
2. On the basis that the name of the practice forms part of the address for service to which Rule 17(6) of the *Uniform Civil Procedure Rules (1999)* refers, a party to a proceeding who prior to 1 July 2019 had been represented by Buckland Allen Criminal Lawyers Pty Ltd, 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 Buckland Allen Criminal Lawyers Pty Ltd to Allen & Searing Criminal Lawyers Pty Ltd .
3. For the purposes of the *Uniform Civil Procedure Rules 1999*, as from and including 1 July 2019:
 - (a) service of a document addressed to "Buckland Allen Criminal Lawyers Pty Ltd" at the firm's address at Suite 30205, Level 2, 9 Lawson Street, Southport, Queensland, 4215, will be taken to be service upon "Allen & Searing Criminal Lawyers Pty Ltd " at that address; and
 - (b) a reference in a document filed prior to that date to "Buckland Allen Criminal Lawyers Pty Ltd is to be taken to be a reference to "Allen & Searing Criminal Lawyers Pty Ltd ".
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.


Chief Judge KJ O'Brien
22 July 2019