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AREAS OF FOCUS

Global Disputes

Investigations & White Collar Defense

Financial Markets

Technology

OVERVIEW

Tim L'Estrange has a career of more than 30 years in private practice and as general counsel to one of Australia's top five-listed companies.

Tim has worked for global-listed companies and entities in a variety of jurisdictions. His broad experience in strategic litigation and corporate governance issues, combined with his intimate knowledge of the demands placed on boards, make him a valuable resource to clients who deal with complex disputes and regulatory challenges.

Prior to joining Jones Day in 2013, Tim was a senior executive with ANZ Bank, where he was successively group general counsel and company secretary, managing director of Europe and America, and global head of governance. During this time he was heavily involved in major M&A transactions, domestic and international litigation, and regulatory investigations, particularly with Australian and U.S. regulatory authorities.

More recently, Tim has represented boards and corporations in the Royal Commission into Banking and Financial Services, long-running claims arising from the collapse of the Bell group of companies, the prosecution of claims by the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA), coronial inquiries into workplace fatalities, regulatory advice into potential breaches of Australian Securities & Investments Commission (ASIC) reporting obligations, shareholder disputes, cross-border investigations, crisis management, and effective compliance and ethics programs.

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

- 2013 to 2021: Partner, Jones Day (Partner-in-Charge Melbourne 2018-2021)
- 2010 to 2013: Chairman, T I L'Estrange Group Pty Ltd (Governance Advisory) and L'Estrange Legal
- 2009 to 2010: Group General Manager, Governance, ANZ
- 2007 to 2009: Managing Director, Europe & America, ANZ
- 2003 to 2007: Group General Counsel & Company Secretary, ANZ
- 1987 to 2003: Partner, Allen Allen & Hemsley, now Allens Linklaters (including Managing Partner 1993-1996)

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- 2010 to 2013: Deputy President, Melbourne International Festival of the Arts Limited
- 1995 to 2003: Honorary Secretary, Court of Arbitration for Sport (CAS) Oceania Division



HONORS & DISTINCTIONS

Recognized in *Best Lawyers in Australia* (2022) for corporate/governance practice and insolvency and reorganization law

Member of an arbitration team recognized by *Global Arbitration Review* as one of the leading international arbitration law firms in the 2020 edition of the *GAR 30*

Recommended in *Asia Pacific Legal 500* (2014) for dispute resolution and restructuring & insolvency

EDUCATION

University of New South Wales (LL.B. and B.Comm. 1978)

BAR ADMISSIONS

Supreme Courts of New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland, and Western Australia; High Court of Australia

CLERKSHIPS

Law Clerk to Justice J.S. Lockhart, Federal Court of Australia (1979-1980)