

Taryn Ellerington

Senior Associate



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Qualifications

Master of Law & Legal Practice
Bachelor of Commerce

Areas of Expertise

Wills & Estate Planning
Estate Administration
Probate & Letters of Administration
Trusts
Family Law
Family Provision Claims
Conveyancing
Retail & Commercial Leasing
Corporate & Commercial



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Overview

Taryn is a Senior Associate with over ten years' experience working in general practice. While her broad experience encompasses property and family law, Taryn has a particular interest in estate planning, probate and administration work.

Taryn understands that each client and their circumstances are unique and takes a personal and responsive approach when assisting her clients. Taryn enjoys working collaboratively with her clients and their advisors to achieve desired outcomes and solid long-term relationships.

Her focus is on helping and guiding families through legal complexities and providing holistic advice on a wide range of matters.

Expertise

Wills & Estate Planning

- Taryn advises on estate planning strategies for individuals, couples and families and assist with the preparation of Will structures.
- Working closely with accountants, financial advisors and other professionals Taryn advises on aspects of estate planning that are not covered by a Will including jointly owned assets, superannuation interests and existing trust entitlements.

Planning for the Future

- Taryn advises on the importance of making an Enduring Power of Attorney and Appointment of Enduring Guardian (in NSW) to appoint an appropriate representative to assist with decision-making.
- In the event of a dispute regarding decision-making, Taryn assists with applications to the NSW Civil and Administrative Tribunal.

Probate and Estate administration

- Taryn has extensive experience with the formal process of identifying estate assets and applying for Probate and Letters of Administration for both simple and complex estates.
- Taryn will advise and assist executors to ensure compliance with their obligations and assist with the smooth and timely administration of estates.

Disputed Estates

- Taryn advises beneficiaries of their eligibility to bring a claim in an estate under the Succession Act (known as Family Provision claims) as well as executors in respect of their responsibility to defend such claims.
- Taryn also assists with reaching settlement in these matters having regard to the overall size of the estate and beneficiaries' circumstances.

Family Law

- Taryn assist with applications for divorce and obtaining Consent Orders in relation to financial and parenting matters.

Holistic Approach

- Taryn provides advice to clients about their commercial, business and personal affairs by drawing on her broad experience to identify issues and provide practical and strategic advice.