

# WORKCHOICES – THE NEW LANDSCAPE

## New Developments-Networking Event

*A briefing for Business Owners, Managers & Advisors*

16 - 17 November 2006  
Morgans at 401  
401 Collins Street, Melbourne

### Conference Summary

- ❖ Two-Day Conference at \$500.00 + GST for early birds (Book before 1st November 2006)
- ❖ 11 critical topics will be discussed
- ❖ Great networking opportunities
- ❖ CPD/ CLE Points

### Who should Attend?

This conference has been specially designed to meet the needs of a variety of managerial positions including:

- ❖ Business Consultants
- ❖ Operations Managers
- ❖ Company Directors
- ❖ Lawyers
- ❖ Finance Directors
- ❖ Accountants

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### Topics Include:

Reform of the Building Industry, Equal Opportunity, WorkChoices & the AIRC, The Building Construction Industry Improvement Act, Amendments to the Long Service Leave Act (Vic), Independent Contractors & Coping with Stress.

### Speakers Include:

**Ms Jenny Acton**

Senior Deputy President, AIRC

**Ms Larissa Anelman**

Barrister

**Mr Tim Donaghey**

Barrister

**Ms Amanda Evans**

Human Resources Advisor, Nike Australia

**Ms Ruth Frenzel**

HR Manager, Moonee Valley Racing

**Mr John Lloyd**

Commissioner, Australian Building and Construction Commission

**Mr Jesse Maddison**

CFMEU

**Mr Gerard Nelson**

Director, Australian Workplace Strategies

**Mr Ken Phillips**

Agency Contracting Services

**Professor Marilyn Pittard**

Faculty of Law, Monash University

Consultant, Clayton Utz Lawyers

**Ms Louise Pullia**

Human Resources Director, Nike Australia

**Ms Fiona Smith**

Chairperson, EOCV

**Ms Fiona Taylor**

Director, Barakaya

**IRCA CONFERENCE – DAY ONE**  
*Thursday, 16 November 2006*

9.00 Registration and Coffee  
9.30 Opening Remarks

**REFORM OF THE BUILDING INDUSTRY**

9.45 Speaker: **Mr John Lloyd**  
Commissioner  
Australian Building and Construction Commission  
10.30 Morning Tea

**REMEDIES FOR WRONGFUL DISMISSAL FROM WORK**

11.00 Speaker: **Ms Larissa Andelman**  
Barrister

**WORKCHOICES AND THE AIRC**

11.45 Speaker: **Ms Jenny Acton**  
Senior Deputy President, AIRC  
12.30 Lunch

**UNFAIR DISMISSAL**

2.00 Speaker: **Professor Marilyn Pittard**  
Faculty of Law, Monash University Consultant,  
Clayton Utz Lawyers

**BUILDING CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY IMPROVEMENT ACT**

2.45 Speaker: **Mr Jesse Maddison**  
CFMEU  
3.30 Afternoon Tea

**LITIGATION TRENDS UNDER THE WORKCHOICES REFORMS**

4.30 Speaker: **Mr Tim Donaghey**  
Barrister

**IRCA CONFERENCE – DAY TWO**  
*Friday, 17 November 2006*

9.00 Registration and Coffee  
9.30 Opening Remarks

**LONG SERVICE LEAVE ACT (VIC)**

9.45 Speaker: **Ms Ruth Frenzel**  
HR Manager  
Moonee Valley Racing  
10.30 Morning Tea

**INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS**

11.00 Speaker: **Mr Ken Phillips**  
Agency Contracting Services

**HR STRATEGIC PLANNING**

11.45 Speaker: **Mr Gerard Nelson**  
Director, Australian Workplace Strategies  
**Ms Louise Pullia**  
Human Resources Director, Nike Australia  
**Ms Amanda Evans**  
Human Resources Advisor, Nike Australia  
12.30 Lunch

**COPING WITH STRESS AND INFORMATION OVERLOAD**

2.00 Speaker: **Ms Fiona Taylor**  
Director, Barakaya

**WORKCHOICES AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY**

2.45 Speaker: **Ms Fiona Smith**  
Chairperson, EOCV  
3.30 Afternoon Tea/Closing Remarks

CONFIRMATION OF FEE PAYMENT (Early Birds- \$500 + GST. Normal- \$600 + GST.)

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