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525 Lonsdale St, Melbourne**Areas of Practice** Property Law / Commercial Law / Business Law / VCAT / Wills and Estates / Leasing Disputes / Building and Construction / Contract Disputes / Guardianship and Administration / Corporations**General profile** Susan has experience in commercial law, business law and property law, including matters relating to leases, easements, caveats and co-ownership, as well as handling planning, building and construction disputes and general contractual disputes.

Susan also has experience with disputed wills, probate and family maintenance applications and with guardianship administration matters. She has represented clients before licensing and disciplinary tribunals in relation to liquor licensing, among other things.

In addition Susan has experience in corporations matters including shareholder disputes and with securities such as mortgagee possession applications.

Susan appears in the Supreme Court, County Court, Magistrates' Court and in the Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal.

### **Previous occupation**

Before joining the Victorian Bar Susan practiced at the Northern Territory commercial bar after being managing partner and supervising commercial partner of De Silva Hebron in Darwin for many years and then as in house counsel at a large Northern Australian private consulting land survey firm.

### **Memberships and Associations**

Previously Chairman of the Racing Appeals Tribunal of the Northern Territory for several years.

Previously a Member of the Board of Darwin Community Legal Service Inc and the Northern Territory Legal Practitioners' Complaints Committee.