



National Mining Law 2012

Crucial cases, legislative updates
and industry insights

16 & 17 May 2012, Stamford Plaza Brisbane

Program highlights

- Survey of access issues for mining and petroleum projects
- MRRT and the 1 July 2012 deadline: What are you telling your clients?
- The private delivery of rail and port infrastructure in Australia: A users guide
- Obtaining and coordinating access to rail and port infrastructure in Australia
- The regulation of collaborative (joint) venture activities in a competitive market
- Queensland stamp duties for transactions on exploration permits for minerals or petroleum
- National mines safety framework update
- PPSA: Impacts and implications for miners
- Negotiating and structuring joint ventures in mining
- Land Access: Tips and traps

Speakers

- **Robert Milbourne**, Partner, Norton Rose
- **Jonathan Fulcher**, Partner, HopgoodGanim
- **Tony Denholder**, Partner, Ashurst
- **Karla Fraser**, Partner, Allens Arthur Robinson
- **Trevor Pascall**, Tax Partner, KPMG
- **Jeremy Chenoweth**, Legal Manager – QLD, SANTOS
- **Aaron Anderson**, Partner & OHS Specialist, Norton Rose
- **Justin Byrne**, Special Counsel, HopgoodGanim
- **Jay Leary**, Partner, Freehills
- **Tarnya Fitzgibbon**, Partner, Cooper Grace Ward
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Wednesday, 16 May 2012

9:00	Introduction from the Chair Robert Milbourne , <i>Partner, Norton Rose</i>	11:45	Obtaining and coordinating access to rail and port infrastructure in Australia <ul style="list-style-type: none">User funding arrangements for railWill future port developments be undertaken under an access regime?Coordination within coal chains Jay Leary , <i>Partner, Freehills</i> ■ 0.75 CPD points in Professional Skills
9:15	Survey of access issues for mining and petroleum projects <p>Is access to land for mining in Queensland commercially viable, relative to other jurisdictions?</p> <p>Does the community support mining: surely it does, if the capital and income flows evident in the "2-speed" economy are evidence of anything.</p> <p>Wild rivers, strategic cropping land, tendering for acreage, native title, cultural heritage, ordinary land access, restricted land, environmentally sensitive areas, access to water, stakeholder backlash...the list goes on.</p> <p>This paper will put these issues on the table, and ask: what other laws might be in the pipeline which further affects access to land?</p> Jonathan Fulcher , <i>Partner, HopgoodGanim</i> ■ 0.75 CPD points in Professional Skills	12:30	Lunch
10:00	MRRT and the 1 July 2012 deadline: What are you telling your clients? <ul style="list-style-type: none">Don't pay anymore MRRT than you need toAscertaining your market value starting base: Sheltering your liability from future MRRT responsibilitiesCritical dates for lodgementBeing prepared for the changes Trevor Pascall , <i>Tax Partner, KPMG</i> ■ 0.75 CPD points in Professional Skills	1:30	The regulation of collaborative (joint) venture activities in a competitive market <ul style="list-style-type: none">The nature of a "joint venture"The impact of globalisationLessons from the West for the energy sector Jeremy Chenoweth , <i>Legal Manager – QLD, SANTOS</i> ■ 0.75 CPD points in Professional Skills
10:45	Morning tea	2:15	Queensland stamp duties for transactions on exploration permits for minerals or petroleum <ul style="list-style-type: none">Proposed changes in legislation – what will now be caught?Farm-insOptions to purchaseTaxable value issuesCorporate reconstruction exemption issuesInteraction with carbon pricing Justin Byrne , <i>Special Counsel, HopgoodGanim</i> ■ 0.75 CPD points in Professional Skills
11:00	The private delivery of rail and port infrastructure in Australia: A users guide <ul style="list-style-type: none">Securing the government mandate to buildObtaining tenure, including the compulsory acquisition of third party landRegulatory overview, including native title approvalsInterdependency of project documents and approvals Tony Denholder , <i>Partner, Ashurst</i> ■ 0.75 CPD points in Professional Skills	3:00	Afternoon tea
		3:15	National mines safety framework update <ul style="list-style-type: none">The progress of harmonisation of mine safety lawsModel mining regulations and associated codes of practiceThe interrelationship between the new harmonised WHS laws and the mining industry Aaron Anderson , <i>Partner & OHS Specialist, Norton Rose</i> ■ 0.75 CPD points in Professional Skills

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4:00 **PPSA: Impacts and implications for miners**

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Karla Fraser, Partner, Allens Arthur Robinson

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4:45 **Close of Conference**

WORKSHOP A

9:00 **Includes morning tea**

Negotiating and structuring joint ventures in mining

- An overview of emerging industry practice in joint venture structures
- Incorporated vs. unincorporated, considerations involving separate management companies and related entities (such as for marketing)
- Key terms and principles to consider, such as change of control, deadlock, dilution, dispute resolution
- Review of recent disputes involving joint ventures and lessons learned

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12:00 **Networking lunch for workshop delegates**

WORKSHOP B

1:00 **Includes afternoon tea**

Land Access: Tips and Traps

- Negotiations with landholders – what you need to know
- Potential liability of miners and the state in respect of damage to surrounding farms
- Facilitating interaction between the state and the land owners over disputes
- ADR before it's too late: Pragmatic solutions not protracted litigation
- Assuaging environmental concerns by minimizing the possibility of large scale damage
- Responding appropriately to an environmental incident
- Appropriate disposal of excess water

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