

Traditional practice reaps long term benefits with PCLaw™



The Client

Frank Freeman Barrister & Solicitor is an established law firm in central Nelson, New Zealand, specialising in family law and conveyancing.

Founded by Frank Freeman in 1999, Frank is an admitted Barrister and Solicitor with over 30 years experience in the legal profession. He attributes the firm's success to its efficient and personalised service to a wide range of local and international clients.

The Challenge

"When I first opened my practice I was spending a significant amount of time on administrative tasks such as billing and time-recording", said Frank Freeman, Principal, Frank Freeman Barrister & Solicitor. "I was always searching for relevant files and then manually recording time on the front of each file. Come billing time, I had to go through each file and manually add up the figures, create a bill, the list goes on."

“ I knew I needed a solution that would streamline time-recording and billing matters so that I could focus on my clients instead of the administrative duties.

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Frank Freeman Barrister &
Solicitor





The Solution

The decision to implement PCLaw as the practice management software of choice for Frank came easily.

"PCLaw is Windows-based, reasonably priced (other systems are very expensive in comparison) and has an efficient time-recording system. It had everything I needed and such good value that suited me down to the ground."

"With PCLaw, I save an average of one and a half hours per day in time-recording and billing alone! It allows me to practice law efficiently and effectively, with client care a top priority. In addition, my office support is able to easily manage the accounting, my finances are visible, accurate and up-to-date so management of my practice is minimal effort."

"PCLaw has supported my practice and LexisNexis has been there every step of the way. The initial training was thorough and useful; the LexisNexis team is attentive and reliable."

"I certainly don't think PCLaw could be bettered. It is very easy to use and follow, does everything I want (plus more), and an excellent back-up service with LexisNexis if ever needed."

"I have recommended PCLaw to several of my colleagues and I know of at least five that are now using it – and have the same appreciation for it that I do."

PCLaw is a legal practice management solution designed for small firms. **PCLaw enables you to easily manage your practice and day-to-day activities from one platform**, including: matters, time tracking, expenses, calendar appointments and daily tasks. Moreover, the solution allows you to save and retrieve documents and emails, bill and collect payment from clients, settle payment vendors, reconcile bank statements, and manage trust accounts – all from a single source.

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