

DOUGLAS TIMMINS

Areas of Practice:

Criminal Law
Common Law
Equity
Family Law
Appeals from Local, District and Supreme Courts
Criminal matters before the Land & Environment Court

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Admitted to Practice: 20.11.64 as a Solicitor of the Supreme Court.

Admitted to Bar: 31.07.95 as a Barrister at Law.

*** Background and approach to the law attached.**

DOUG TIMMINS: BACKGROUND AND APPROACH TO THE LAW

Having played

- First grade Cricket with Parramatta and Manly.
- First grade Rugby with Parramatta.
- A grade Squash with Norths Rugby Club and Penrith Leagues Club.

I know: Winning is a lot better than losing!

Clients want to win their cases. So do I!

I understand that a case will only be won if there is very careful preparation and good presentation in the Court room. I want a happy client when the case has been completed.

I was admitted to practice as a Solicitor on 20.11.64. Since then I have been very successful in preparing and presenting cases in Criminal Law, Family Law, Common Law and Equity.

I am a great believer in the role of Solicitor Advocates.

I am also a great believer in the service that can be given to Solicitors and to their clients by Barristers with skill and ability.

I had over 30 years experience as a Solicitor during which period of time I spent most of my time as a Solicitor Advocate.

I was admitted to practice as a Barrister on 31.07.95.

I have a mixed practice. About 50% arising from Criminal Law work.

Whether it's a Local Court matter, or one finalised in the District Court or the Supreme Court, I have experienced winning with clients at all levels - from Murder to Traffic Matters.

Feel confident! I promise - I will look after you!

Whilst practising as a Solicitor I was a member of the Criminal Law Committee of the Law Society of NSW for 18 years.

At present I am a member of the Advisory Committees to the Specialist Accreditation Board in both Criminal Law and Advocacy.

I am Chair of the Criminal Law Advisory Committee.

Specialist accreditation is an important part of the role played by Solicitors in our legal system. Whilst practising as a Solicitor I was an accredited specialist in

- Criminal Law
- Advocacy
- Family Law

Your case is important to you! You are important to me!

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