

# RECENT WORKERS' COMPENSATION CHANGES

## Examining the National Injury Insurance Scheme & "Byrne" Amendments

Presented by:

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Join us for this **dual presentation** to discuss the latest developments in the area of workers' compensation.

**Kevin Holyoak** presents 'Are reports of the "death" of *Byrne v PRQ* greatly exaggerated?: The new section 236B of the Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation Act 2003'.

Mark Twain famously stated that the reports of his death were greatly exaggerated. Can the same be said of *Byrne v PRQ*?

Section 236B of the WCRA is directed at a legislative reversal of the decision in *Byrne v People Resourcing (Qld) Pty Ltd & Anor*. These amendments declare void certain indemnities.

In this breakfast seminar Kevin Holyoak will examine whether the amendments made to the WCRA hit, or miss, their target. Issues which will be addressed include:

- the key steps in the outcome in *Byrne v PRQ*
- whether the amendments address these steps
- what may be affected by the amendments and what may not be

**Renee Eglinton** presents 'How serious personal injuries will now be dealt with in the workers' compensation arena'

In this breakfast seminar Renee Eglinton will provide an overview of the new Chapter 4A of *Workers' Compensation and Rehabilitation (National Injury Insurance Scheme) Amendment Act 2016* including relevant definitions, the insurer's liability for treatment, care and support payment and assessing support needs.

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7:30am INTRODUCTION & PRESENTATION  
8:45am CONCLUSION

\*Breakfast is included in the registration fee

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