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- The Law Institute of Victoria - (03) 9607 9311
- The Law Society of South Australia - (08) 8229 0200
- The Law Society of Tasmania - (03) 6234 4133
- The Law Society of the Northern Territory – (08) 8981 5104

If you cannot afford an attorney the Legal Aid Commission may be able to assist you. They can be contacted at:

- Victoria – 1300 792 387 or at <http://www.legalaid.vic.gov.au/>
- South Australia - 1300 366 424 or at <http://www.lsc.sa.gov.au>
- Tasmania – 1300 366 611 or at <http://www.legalaid.tas.gov.au/>
- Northern Territory - 1800 019 343 or at <https://www.legalaid.nt.gov.au/>

The following guidelines may be helpful:

Contact several attorneys, briefly describe the nature of the services you desire, and find out the attorney's qualifications and experience. Ask for a written schedule of fees charged for the services you need. Do not turn over documents or funds until you are certain the attorney understands your legal needs and will handle your case.

When dealing with your attorney find out how the attorney plans to represent you. Ask specific questions and expect the attorney to explain the legal process and the legal activities planned on your behalf, in a language you understand. Have your attorney analyze your case and give you the positive and negative aspects and probable outcome. Tell the attorney every relevant fact needed to represent your interests. Ask your attorney to keep you advised of the process of your case according to a pre-established schedule. Request copies of all letters and documents prepared on your behalf.

If the services of your attorney prove unsatisfactory, contact the following agencies:

- Legal Services of Victoria - (03) 9679 8001 or at <http://www.lsc.vic.gov.au/>
- SA Legal Practitioners Conduct Board - (08) 8212 7924 or at <http://www.legalcomplaints.com.au/>
- Legal Ombudsman of Tasmania – (03) 6226 3000 or at <http://www.lpbt.com.au/>
- Law Society of the Northern Territory – (08) 8981 5104 or at <http://lawsocietynt.asn.au>

## VICTORIA

City	Attorney/Firm	Address	Contact details	Fields of Practice
Melbourne	Arnold Bloch Leibler	Level 21 333 Collins Street	Tel: (03) 9229 9999 Web: <a href="http://www.abl.com.au/">www.abl.com.au/</a>	Criminal Law
Melbourne	Ashurst Australia	Level 26, 181 William Street	Tel: (03) 9679 3000 Web: <a href="http://www.ashurst.com/en/locations/australia/melbourne">www.ashurst.com/en/locations/australia/melbourne</a>	Immigration
Melbourne	Auditore Specialist Family Lawyers	Level 4 271 William Street	Tel: (03) 9670 9677	Australian and International family law cases (including marriage de facto and same sex relationships).
Melbourne	Aust Migration & Settlement Services	Shop 7, 401 St Kilda Road,	Tel: (03) 9654 8611 Web: <a href="http://www.austmss.com.au">www.austmss.com.au</a>	Immigration
Melbourne	Baker & Armstrong	Level 2 150 Queen Street	Tel: (03) 9642 2688	Criminal Law
Melbourne	Beckwith Cleverdon Rees	294 Collins Street	Tel: (03) 9654 2466	Criminal Law
Melbourne	DLA Piper	Level 21 140 Williams Street	Tel: (03) 9274-5000 Web: <a href="http://www.dlapiper.com/en/australia/locations/melbourne">www.dlapiper.com/en/australia/locations/melbourne</a>	Wills, Probate, Estate Planning
Melbourne	Doogue & O'Brien	Level 5 221 Queen Street	Tel: (03) 9670 5111	Criminal Law
Melbourne	Fla Partners	Level 1 221 Queen Street	Tel: (03) 9670 8221	Criminal Law
Melbourne	Foley's List	Owen Dixon Chambers East Room 9 – Ground Floor 205 William Street	Tel: (03) 9225 7777 Web: <a href="http://www.foleys.com.au">www.foleys.com.au</a>	Practicing in all areas of law.
Melbourne	Fragomen	Level 26, 500 Collins Street	Tel: (03) 9613 9333 Web: <a href="http://www.fragomen.com">http://www.fragomen.com</a>	U.S., Australian and other countries immigration and visa services.
Melbourne	Galbally & O'Bryan	259 William Street	Tel: (03) 9602 2533 Web: <a href="http://www.galballyobryan.com.au/">www.galballyobryan.com.au/</a>	Criminal Law
Melbourne	Hannan Tew Lawyers	Level 17, 31 Queen Street	Tel: (03) 9016 0484 Web: <a href="https://www.hannantew.com.au">https://www.hannantew.com.au</a>	Immigration

Melbourne	Holding Redlich	Level 8, 555 Bourke Street	Tel: (03) 9321 9999 Web: <a href="http://www.holdingredlich.com.au">www.holdingredlich.com.au</a>	Wills, Probate, Estate Planning
Melbourne	KCL Law	Level 4 555 Lonsdale Street	Tel: (03) 8600 8888	Family Law
Carlton	LAC Lawyers	16/233 Cardigan St, Carlton	Tel: 1300 734 638	Family Law
Carlton North	Lygon Street Legal Services	585 Lygon Street	Tel: (03) 9387 8757	Criminal Law
Dandenong	Macpherson & Kelley	40-42 Scott Street	Tel: (03) 9794 2600 Web: <a href="http://www.mk.com.au">www.mk.com.au</a>	Family Law
Melbourne	Mahonys	419 Collins Street	Tel: (03) 9602 1766	Criminal Law
Melbourne	Marshalls, Dent and Wilmoth	Level 21 570 Burke Street	Tel: (03) 9670 5000 Web: <a href="https://mdlaw.com.au">https://mdlaw.com.au</a>	Family Law
Carlton	Maurice Blackburn	Level 1 380 La Trobe Street	Tel: (03) 9605 2700 Web: <a href="http://www.mauriceblackburn.com.au/">www.mauriceblackburn.com.au/</a>	Family Law
Melbourne	McNab McNab & Starke Lawyers	Level 10 552 Lonsdale Street	Tel: (03) 9670 9691 Web: <a href="https://www.mcnabstarke.com.au/">https://www.mcnabstarke.com.au/</a>	Family Law
Melbourne	Nevett Ford	Level 4, 525 Collins Street	Tel: (03) 9614 7111 Web: <a href="https://www.nevettford.com.au/">https://www.nevettford.com.au/</a>	Family Law
Melbourne	Slater & Gordon	485 La Trobe Street	Tel: 1800 555 777 Web: <a href="https://www.slatergordon.com.au/">https://www.slatergordon.com.au/</a>	Family Law
Melbourne	Thompson Greer	Level 39 525 Collins Street	Tel: (03) 8080 3500 Web: <a href="https://www.tglaw.com.au/">https://www.tglaw.com.au/</a>	Wills, Probate, Estate Planning
Melbourne	White Cleland	2/552 Lonsdale Street	Tel: (03) 9783 2323 Web: <a href="http://www.whitecleland.com.au">www.whitecleland.com.au</a>	Family Law
Templestow & Heights	William James Keough	P.O. Box 2132	Tel: (03) 9852 0003 Mobile: 0414 821 425	Family Law

## **SOUTH AUSTRALIA**

City	Attorney/Firm	Address	Contact details	Fields of Practice
Adelaide	Andersons	53/69 Franklin Street	Tel: (08) 8238 6666 Web: <a href="http://www.andersons.com.au/">http://www.andersons.com.au/</a>	Family Law

Adelaide	Caldicott Lawyers	53 Wright Street	Tel: (08) 8110 7900 Web: <a href="https://www.caldicottlawyers.com.au/">https://www.caldicottlawyers.com.au/</a>	Criminal Law
Adelaide	Stanley & Co Lawyers	Level 3 74 Pirie Street	Tel: (08) 7001 6135 Web: <a href="https://www.stanlaw.com.au/">https://www.stanlaw.com.au/</a>	Legal Aid for criminal charges and family law matters
Adelaide	Woods & Co Lawyers Pty Ltd	11-13 Bentham Street	Tel: (08) 8311 3111	Criminal and Traffic Law

## **TASMANIA**

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Tasmania (All)	The Law Society of Tasmania		Tel: (03) 6234 4133	To search for a lawyer in various fields of practice
Tasmania (All)	Legal Aid Commission of Tasmania		Tel: 1300 366 611 Web: <a href="http://www.legalaid.tas.gov.au">www.legalaid.tas.gov.au</a>	To search for a lawyer in various fields of practice
Launceston	Bishops Barristers & Solicitors	19 Paterson Street, Launceston	Tel: (03) 6334 1667 Web: <a href="https://www.bishops.com.au/">https://www.bishops.com.au/</a>	Family Law
Hobart	Ogilvie Jennings	4/39 Murray Street	Tel: (03) 6235 0800 Web: <a href="http://www.ogilviejennings.com.au/">www.ogilviejennings.com.au/</a>	Criminal Law

## **NORTHERN TERRITORY**

City	Attorney/Firm	Address	Contact details	Fields of Practice
Darwin	Halfpennys	3/69 Smith Street	Tel: (08) 8942 8888 Web: <a href="http://www.halfpennys.com.au">www.halfpennys.com.au</a>	Family Law
Darwin	Maurice Blackburn Lawyers	1/60 Smith Street	Tel: (08) 8914 2300 Web: <a href="http://www.mauriceblackburn.com.au/">www.mauriceblackburn.com.au/</a>	Personal Injury & Compensation
Darwin	Ward Keller	7/22 Mitchell Street	Tel: (08) 8946 2999 Web: <a href="https://m.wardkeller.com.au/#/">https://m.wardkeller.com.au/#/</a>	Family Law , Worker's compensation, Wills, and other areas of law
Darwin	Withnalls Lawyers	22 Harry Chan Ave	Tel: (08) 8941 1896 Web: <a href="https://www.withnalls.com/">https://www.withnalls.com/</a>	Family Law, Wills & Estates, Accident & Injury, Police & Criminal matters