

## MEMBER (AM) IN THE GENERAL DIVISION OF THE ORDER OF AUSTRALIA

**Mr David Graham RUSSELL RFD QC, 95 North Quay, Brisbane Qld 4000**  
For service to the National Party of Australia and to politics, to taxation law and legal education, and to the community.

Federal President, National Party of Australia, 2005-2006; Vice-President, 1990-1995 and 1999-2005; Member, Federal Management Committee, since 1989; Chair, Policy Review Committee, 1993-2005; current Honorary Legal Adviser.

State President, National Party of Queensland, 1995-1999; Senior Vice-President, 1990-1995; Member, Honorary Legal Adviser, 2004-2008; Life Member 2003; Member, 1982-2008.

Served on numerous committees including as Member of the Finance Committee, 1990-1999, and the Policy Review Committee (subsequently Policy Standing Committee), 1984-2000; as Chairman, Policy Standing Committee/Policy Review Committee, 1985-1995; and as Joint Chairman, Coalition Policy Committee, 1993-1996. Member Liberal National Party of Queensland, since 2008; Member, State Council, since 2008; Member, Policy Standing Committee, since 2008.

Barrister-at-Law, since 1977; admitted to practice in New South Wales, Queensland, Victoria, Western Australia, the Northern Territory, the Australian Capital Territory, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea and the Courts of the Dubai International Financial Centre.

Appointed Queen's Counsel, 1986.

Listed Mediator and Arbitrator, World International Property Organisation, since 1994.

Fellow, Taxation Institute of Australia, since 1974; President, 1994-1995; Vice-President, 1991-1993; Life Member, 1996; Member of several committees including:

- National Executive Committee, 1991-2001.
- National Technical Committee, since 1991.
- Chairman, International Relations Committee, 1995-2001.
- Chairman, Queensland Legislation Committee, 1987-1990.

Member, Business Law Section, Law Council of Australia; Member, Intellectual Property Committee, since 1991; Member, Taxation Committee, since 1992.

President, Asia-Oceania Tax Consultants' Association, 1996-2000; Vice-President, 1993-1996; Honorary Adviser for Life, 2000.

Member, Australian Tax Research Foundation Board, since 1993.

Member, Advisory Editorial Board, *Australian Tax Practice*, since 1988.

Deputy Chairman, Sydney Branch, Society of Trust and Estate Practitioners, since 2007.

Co-Chair, the Australian Chapter of the International Section, New York State Bar Association, USA, since 2007.

Honorary Member, Taxation Institute of Hong Kong, since 2007.

Fellow, Australian Society of Certified Practising Accountants, 1995-2004.

Director, Russell Pastoral Company, since 1980.

Chairman, Logan Downs Pty Ltd, since 2004; Director, since 1973.

Chairman, Baldwins Pty Ltd, since 2004; Director, since 1976.

Executive Council Member, Winemakers Federation of Australia, 2004-2007; Member, Restructure Planning Committee, 2004-2006; Vice-President, Australian Regional Winemakers Forum/Small Winemakers Committee, 2004-2007.

President, Queensland Wine Industry Association, 2002-2004; Director, since 2001.

President, National Federation of Australia Japan Societies, 2001-2005; Committee Member, 2001-2008; Member, Australia-Japan: Friendship and Prosperity Advisory Group, 2007-2008.

President, Australia-Japan Society, Queensland, 1996-2001; Vice-President, 1995-1996; Member, Management Committee, since 1994; Member, 1970-1974 and since 1993; Life Member, since 1996.

State Councillor, Queensland Japan Chamber of Commerce and Industry, 1996-2003, Committee Member, Brisbane Branch, 1996-2003; Member, since 1996.

Adjunct Professor, T C Beirne School of Law, University of Queensland, 2001-2005.

Lecturer, Master of Laws Course, University of Queensland, 1984 and since 1992; Master of Business Administration Course, *International Tax Planning*, 1985-1986.

Member, Advisory Board, Key Centre for Ethics, Law, Justice and Governance, Griffith University, since 1999.

Member, Advisory Board, National Institute for Law, Ethics and Public Affairs, 1996-1998.

Examiner, Trade Practices Law, Queensland Barristers' Board, 1978-1981.

Awards/recognition include:

Reserve Force Decoration, long service award presented to officers in the Reserve elements of the Australian Defence Force.