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## Labour Law Seminar Series

# The New Bullying Jurisdiction of the FWC

**Tuesday 29 April 2014** 5.30–6.30 pm followed by refreshments

**Commissioner Barbara Deegan** Fair Work Commission

**Sparke Helmore Theatre 2** ANU College of Law, Building 6A, Fellows Rd,  
The Australian National University



During this presentation, Commissioner Deegan will identify and discuss the relevant legislative provisions, provide some preliminary observations on the new jurisdiction, and explain the case management model that the Commission has adopted to deal with anti-bullying applications.

Commissioner Barbara Deegan holds a law degree from the University of Tasmania. After a time in private practice, and then a period with a TAFE teachers' organisation, she joined the Australian Public Service in the Department of Employment and Industrial Relations.

She held the position of Assistant Secretary of the Legal Services Group of the Department of Industrial Relations for a number of years before being appointed as the Principal Registrar of the Australian Industrial Relations Commission.

Subsequently she became the Australian Government's representative at the International Labour Organisation in

Geneva, and was appointed as a Commissioner with the Australian Industrial Relations Commission in 1996. From 1 July 2009 she was a Commissioner of Fair Work Australia. On 1 January 2013 she became a Commissioner of the Fair Work Commission. Since May 2010 she has also held a dual appointment to the Tasmanian Industrial Commission.

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