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Areas of Practice

- Property and Superannuation
- Child and spouse financial support
- Divorce and De facto relationships
- Child disputes
- Hague Convention
- Domestic violence

Qualifications

- Bachelor of Laws
- Admitted to practice 1985 (NSW)
- Accredited Specialist in Family Law 1994
- Certified Mediator 2002

Memberships

Family Law Section of the Law Council Australia since 1996
Australian Mediation Association
Registered Family Dispute Resolution Practitioner, granted by the Australian Government

And in his spare time...

Les enjoys spending time with his daughter, travelling, attending sporting events, the theatre and cinema, and eating and drinking.

Les is a member of The Australian Turf Club, City Tattersall's Club, South Sydney Football Club, NSW Leagues Club, Bondi Icebergs Club – amongst others, showing his passion for sport.

Les Stubbs, Director of Family Law

Les Stubbs is one of the most experienced and senior family lawyers in Sydney. Les has practiced extensively in family law for nearly 30 years. He has now achieved 20 years as an accredited specialist in Family Law, having been one of the first accredited in NSW.

Les has a reputation for excelling in complex and “tough” cases. Les provides honest, accurate advice to solve problems arising from relationship breakdowns.

Les is experienced and effective in using the most appropriate alternative dispute resolution techniques. Les has been a qualified mediator for over 12 years, and a registered family dispute resolution practitioner who can assist in resolving financial and parenting disputes.

Les' experience in family law, property, and financial matters, enables him to help his clients find practical cost effective solutions to their problems.

Recent highlights include reported decisions of the Court concerning :

Cross jurisdictional disputes over property situated overseas, including throughout Asia, Europe, the USA, the Middle East, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea

Enforcement of, and challenges to, Binding Financial Agreements

Unravelling complex financial arrangements, involving multiple corporate interests, trusts, investments, estate interests, self managed superannuation funds, and involving third parties to the marriage

“Special” financial contributions by a party to high value pools of property

Urgent applications for financial support for spouses and children

Acting on claims upon rural and farming properties, including to protect them from claim

Urgent applications under the Hague Convention for the return of children both to and from Australia

Contested parenting proceedings involving allegations of domestic violence and of abuse of parents and children

Applications to relocate, and prevent relocations, overseas, interstate, and locally

Contested Applications for Divorce

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