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Privacy Code of Practice: Legal Aid Commission

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Legal Aid Commission

Privacy Code of Practice

This is a code of practice made in accordance with Part 3 Division 1 of the Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998

1. Coverage

This code is intended to cover the Legal Aid Commission only, and only in relation to the collection of personal information relating to financially associated persons and dependants.

2. Interpretation

In this code:

'Commission' means the Legal Aid Commission of New South Wales.

'dependant' means any person who is financially dependant on the applicant for legal aid, whether or not they reside with the applicant.

'financially associated person' means any person from whom an applicant for legal aid usually receives financial support or who would be likely to financially assist the applicant in obtaining legal services.

'section' means a section of the Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act.

3. The code

Section 8

There is no intention to depart form the requirements of section 8.

Section 9

Compliance with section 9 is not required to the extent that personal information relating to a financially associated person or dependant is collected from an applicant for legal aid for the purpose of determining that applicant's eligibility for legal aid under the Commission's means test.

Section 10

Compliance with section 10 is not required to the extent that personal information relating to a financially associated person or dependant is collected from an applicant for legal aid for the purpose of determining that applicant's eligibility

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There is no intention to depart form the requirements of section 11.

Section 12

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There is no intention to depart form the requirements of section 12.

Section 13

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Section 14

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Section 15

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Section 16

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Section 17

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Section 18

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Section 19

There is no intention to depart form the requirements of section 19.