



The New South Wales Bar Association

PRACTISING CERTIFICATE RENEWALS 2011-12

20 June 2011

HAVE YOU LODGED YOUR PRACTISING CERTIFICATE RENEWAL APPLICATION BUT NOT YET ARRANGED YOUR PROFESSIONAL INDEMNITY INSURANCE?

As of today, the Association is still holding a large number of renewals of barristers who have not yet bound professional indemnity insurance. Practising certificates cannot be issued until the Association receives confirmation of **bound PII**. You cannot rely on the insurers notifying the Association that you have bound insurance as there have been instances where a person's name has been left off the lists sent to the Association. If you have your certificate of insurance and have not yet received your practising certificate please send a copy of the certificate to the Association.

If you have not yet arranged your insurance, please contact one of the four approved insurance providers immediately.

Contact details and particulars of available policies can be found via our website:
http://www.nswbar.asn.au/docs/professional/practice_nsw/pii_index.php

Please note that you will not be able to practise on and from 1 July 2011, (which includes undertaking chamber work) until such time as we have been able to process your application **completely** and issue your practising certificate.

Should you have any queries in relation to the above, please contact the Association's Certification Officer on ph 9232 4055, fax 9221 1149, or e-mail certification@nswbar.asn.au.