

Ronald Walker KC

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AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Professional Negligence, Insurance, Construction, Personal Injury, Industrial Disease, Health & Safety, Mediation, Arbitration, Group Litigation

JUDICAL APPOINTMENTS

Recorder 1986 | Deputy High Court Judge 1993

Ronald Walker K.C. has extensive recent experience of Group Litigation and disease cases, having acted for the DECC in the VWF litigation (AB v British Coal Corporation and others), subsequently in the Phurnacite litigation (Jones v DECC) and in the ongoing Coke Workers litigation (Pearce v DBEI). He practises mainly in the areas of Professional Negligence, Insurance, Building and Construction, and Personal Injury.

He has appeared in a number of leading cases including South Australia Asset Management Co v York Montague Ltd (SAAMCO), Jameson v CEGB, Bryce v Swan Hunter Group, Rahman v Arearose Ltd, Darby v National Trust, Watson v British Boxing Board of Control, Greene Wood & McLean v Templeton Insurance Ltd, Copley v Lawn, Wilkin-Shaw v Fuller, Risk v Rose Bruford College, Jamesd v White Lion Hotel.

He is an accredited mediator (ADR Group), a TECBAR accredited adjudicator, and acts as an arbitrator.

Industrial Disease

Ronald Walker K.C. appears regularly, for both claimants and defendants, in industrial disease litigation, including asbestos diseases, respiratory diseases, lung, bladder and skin cancers, HAVS and deafness

Reported cases in these areas include

- *Armstrong v British Coal Corporation (VWF)*
- *Jones v DECC (Phurnacite litigation)*
- *Pearce v DECC (Coke Workers litigation)*
- *Bryce v Swan Hunter Group*
- *Ballantine v Newalls Insulation*
- *Turner & Newall Ltd v Royal & Sun Alliance & Smith*

Appointments & Memberships

Accredited mediator and TECBAR adjudicator

PNBA; TECBAR; LCLCBA; PIBA

