



PPS Reform Newsletter – December 2010

PPS at the Australian Finance Conference Seminar

David Bergman, Personal Property Securities (PPS) Registrar gave an information presentation to an Australian Equipment Lessors Association Seminar on 7 December 2010 in Sydney.

Wayne Bobbin, PPS Principal Legal Officer also attended the seminar to participate in a workshop. David provided an overview of the relevant aspects of the PPS Act and answered questions from the audience.

States and territories

During November, both [Tasmania](#) and [South Australia](#) introduced their PPS consequential amendments Bills. The only jurisdiction yet to introduce its consequential amendments is Western Australia, which is also yet to give a referral of power, although both of these matters are progressing.

Statutory licences

Under the PPS Act, the Commonwealth and the states and territories can legislate to declare that particular statutory licences are not personal property. The PPS Act does not apply where such a declaration is made. A statutory licence is a right, entitlement or authority to do something, which is created by statute.

A list of statutory licences that have been declared not to be personal property can be found on the [PPSR website](#) under [Frequently Asked Questions](#). This list is regularly updated.

Merry Christmas

The PPS team would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

The Attorney-General's Department has a mandatory shut down over the Christmas and New Year period from the 25th of December returning the 4th of January.

We're looking forward to 2011 which is going to be a big year for all involved in PPS reform.

NEWS IN BRIEF

PPS Road Show

The PPS Road Show will provide information on the PPS reform and its benefits for small to medium enterprises (SMEs). Planning for the Road Show has commenced and further information will be posted on the website as it becomes available. www.ppsr.gov.au.

PPS articles

The PPS Communications and Stakeholder Engagement Team can provide your organisation with a news byte or short article for publication. We are happy to tailor the information to your audience. If you are interested in an article for your publication please email us at enquiries@ppsr.gov.au

Forums

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PPS Business Process and IT User Forum

The last PPS Business Process and IT User Forum for the year was held Friday 10 December 2010 in Sydney.

The forum focused on the program schedule and the Business Process and IT User progress and readiness. The next PPS Business Process and IT User Forum will be 11 February 2011 in Melbourne.

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