

BROOKERS ACCIDENT COMPENSATION CASES ONLINE

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Brookers Accident Compensation Cases gives searchable access to all important decisions made on accident compensation in New Zealand since 1987.

This specialist case collection contains over 2,000 fully searchable full-text cases. Anyone who is required to provide professional advice on accident compensation or personal injury will require this database to ensure that they have undertaken the most comprehensive research possible.

The fact-specific nature of many accident compensation situations means the ability to search the full text of past decisions is essential.

The database also incorporates *Brookers Accident Compensation Reports*, a specialist accident compensation law report series which published cases over the period 1994-1997. A comprehensive headnote accompanies each case reported in the *Brookers Accident Compensation Reports* (BACR) series. BACR was published by Brookers with the consent of the New Zealand Law Society pursuant to section 12(3) of the New Zealand Council of Law Reporting Act 1938.

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Cases are selected to provide as complete coverage as possible of decisions on matters relevant to accident compensation in New Zealand. Decisions in the database are sourced from the following courts:

- Supreme Court
- Privy Council
- Court of Appeal
- High Court
- District Courts

SEARCH FEATURES

The ability to carry out a full text search of the database means subscribers can look for words and concepts related to a particular situation and which might not be identified in a summary of the case.

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- Case title
- Court
- Judge(s)
- Location
- Cases Cited
- Statutes and Regulations Cited
- Judgment Date

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