

## **NOTICE**

### **Suspension**

On August 19, 2022, **Helmut Berndt**, a member of the Law Society of Alberta who lives and practiced in Edmonton, Alberta, was suspended pursuant to section 83(7) of the *Legal Profession Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. L-8 as a result of his conviction by the Court of Queen's Bench of Sexual Assault, Sexual Interference, Invite to Sexual Touching, and Sexual Exploitation. He was sentenced to imprisonment for a period of fourteen years.

As Mr. Berndt was not practicing before he was suspended, there is no custodian for his practice.

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