

MEDIA RELEASE

Harmers announces Shana Schreier-Joffe as new Managing Partner

31 August 2010 – Harmers Workplace Lawyers is delighted to announce the appointment of Shana Schreier-Joffe as the firm's new Managing Partner.

Ms Schreier-Joffe is a long-standing partner at Harmers and one of Australia's leading workplace lawyers with extensive experience across all areas of workplace law. She has acted as lead partner for a number of high-profile discrimination cases, and this year led the major case regarding Allco employee entitlements.

Michael Harmer, who established the firm 14 years ago with Margaret Diamond and Sandra Marks (both of whom are General Counsel at the firm), continues in his role as Chairman. Emma Pritchard, another long-standing partner, continues in her role as Chief Operations Officer, announced in June.

Harmers continues to build on its reputation as one of Australia's leading employment law firms, having recently been named "Employment Specialist Firm of the Year" in the ALB Australasian Law Awards for the fifth consecutive year. Pleasingly, the 30-strong Harmers legal team has had a very successful start to the new financial year.

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Note to editors:

About Harmers Workplace Lawyers

Harmers Workplace Lawyers was established in 1996 as a boutique employment law firm. Since then it has become one of Australia's leading employment and industrial law firms, with offices in Sydney, Melbourne and Brisbane. The firm has been awarded Australasian Legal Business's 'employment specialist firm of the year' for the past five years running.

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