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OVERVIEW

Alex Parker is a lawyer in the Asset Management and Investment Funds practice group in Melbourne.

Alex has advised clients on a range of regulatory and compliance issues relevant to financial advisers, superannuation fund trustees, payment facility providers, fintechs, wholesale and retail fund managers, and other financial services entities.

PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND

Alex joined K&L Gates' graduate program in 2022 working in the Asset Management and Investment Funds, litigation and dispute resolution and labour, employment, workplace relations and safety groups, where she gained exposure to fintech, investment funds, payments, banking regulation and consumer financial services, complex disputes and workplace safety, employment and industrial relations matters for numerous clients in a variety of industries and sectors.

Alex has experience in financial services regulation in relation to Australian financial services licensing applications, variations and ongoing compliance obligations, product design and distribution obligations, ESG regulation and breach reporting requirements to Australian regulators.

EDUCATION

- Juris Doctor, Monash University, 2021
- Graduate Diploma of Secondary Teaching, University of Melbourne, 2016
- Bachelor of Arts, University of Melbourne, 2015

ADMISSIONS

- High Court of Australia
- Supreme Court of Victoria

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP *POWERED BY HUB*

- August 2026, Global Data Protection Insights
- 16 June 2026, An AFS Licensee First: Receiving an Order to Pay AU$2.5 Million for Cybersecurity Failures
- 1 August 2025, Australia: Climate-Related Transition Plans–Governing for Net Zero Across the Board
- 2 July 2025, Australia: Preparing for Australia's Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorism Financing ACT 2006: What Tranche 2 Entities Need to Know
- 16 December 2024, Directors' Responsibilities for Sustainability Reporting—ASIC's Views
- 30 October 2024, ASIC Enforcement for Sustainability Reporting Will be Different to Greenwashing
- 4 July 2022, Australia: BNPL: Credit or Not?
- 16 June 2022, Australia: New Greenwashing Guidance

AREAS OF FOCUS

- Asset Management and Investment Funds

REPRESENTATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Assisting two Australian super funds in their proposed merger via a successor fund transfer. This involves the conduct of due diligence, negotiating a raft of regulator clearances and preparing the transfer documentation for the merger.