
CORPORATE INSOLVENCY & PERSONAL BANKRUPTCY



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About us

Nevile & Co. is a Melbourne-based law firm established more than 45 years ago. Our office is conveniently located in the city's Central Business District, opposite the Grand Hyatt Hotel in Collins Street. We also have affiliate offices in Sydney and Brisbane.

Our lawyers and local clientele reflect the diverse nation we live in, and we have a significant offshore client base in countries around the world. As a result, Nevile & Co. provides services in a variety of languages, including Mandarin, Cantonese, Indonesian, and Spanish. We can also offer legal services in other languages as required.

To make things even easier, Nevile & Co. has overseas representatives based in Shanghai and Jakarta. Our lawyers also regularly travel from Melbourne to China, Indonesia and New Zealand, as well as interstate. You can communicate with us via telephone, email, Skype, WeChat or WhatsApp. Clients in China have the additional option of phoning our Melbourne office direct at local call rates.

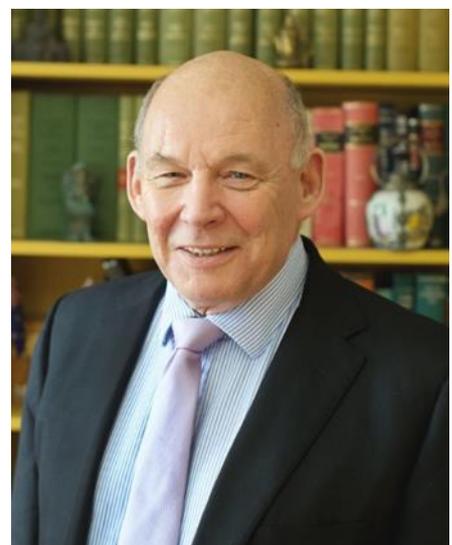
We look forward to helping you.

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Dealing with Personal and Corporate Insolvency

Corporate Insolvency

If your company is facing increasing financial pressure, seeking the immediate assistance of independent and experienced professionals is the key to moving through a difficult financial period.

It would be rare that there were no workable strategies left to keep the business 'alive' and trading. If the situation is however dire, then there is still very good reason to seek help to ensure that the flow on effects of insolvency are minimised.

Nevile & Co. has an experienced team of Lawyers and Advisors who can make recommendations on such matters as:

1. Asset protection;
2. Handling staff redundancies;
3. Capital raising;
4. Dealing with your bank, the ATO and creditors; and
5. Providing timely advice on your statutory responsibilities with respect to your ongoing business operations.

Nevile & Co.'s, 'Restructuring and Insolvency' team is a phone call away. Our first meeting with you is on a '*no charge, no obligation*' basis.

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Business/Corporate Restructuring

The team at Nevile & Co. are not only experienced lawyers, but also have extensive hands-on business management experience in for example; hospitality, aerospace, aviation, property development, agriculture, manufacturing, and TV production, to name but just a few of the businesses run by some of our team members.

If you need timely professional advice on for example; asset restructuring, business partnership structures, business succession advice; divestment of underperforming assets; sourcing business finance for a specific commercial opportunity; downsizing/upsizing business operations; these are all examples of the types of activities upon which Nevile & Co. have successfully advised our clients.



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Personal Bankruptcy

If you are facing a situation where it appears impossible to meet your existing financial obligations, there are alternatives which may result in you not having to declare bankruptcy. Neville & Co. can provide professional advice about the best way to deal with your financial situation.

We at Neville & Co. pride ourselves on being ethical and honest in our dealings with you and your creditors. We can assist you in your negotiations with creditors, or can negotiate on your behalf.



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The Team at Neville & Co.

Securing your interest (Personal Property Security Register)

If your company is delivering substantial amounts of stock on credit terms to your customers, then it is vital to secure your interest in those goods to protect against the potential insolvency of your customer. In most cases where a security interest is not registered, and your customer becomes insolvent, you will not be able to recover the goods which have been supplied to them on credit terms.

We at Nevile & Co. can advise you on the process of securing your title to goods supplied to your customers through the Federal Government's Personal Property Security Register (PPSR) and develop suitable procedures so that your company can undertake the ongoing management of the PPSR.



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Services

1. **Commercial & Corporate:** Planning on, or already, doing business in Australia? Then you may need advice on agreements, business structures, intellectual property and taxation. We can help you navigate the relevant laws and regulations, as well as provide ongoing legal support.
2. **Litigation:** We offer representation in all courts and tribunals. For more details, or to see our full range of services, please consult the Nevile & Co. website – neville.com.au.
3. **Business acquisitions sales and start-ups:** Buying or establishing a business can be a daunting process. We can also provide referrals to reputable business brokers. We have extensive experience with start-ups and may be able to offer more flexible fee arrangements in some cases.
4. **Residential Property and Strata Developments:** We handle conveyancing and other legal matters relating to houses, townhouses and apartments, as well as residential strata developments and land subdivision. For overseas buyers we can also provide advice on Foreign Investment Review Board regulations and the vacancy provisions.
5. **Commercial Property and Development** – Purchasing or selling an office building, warehouse, hotel or any other kind of commercial property? Our team is well positioned to advise on commercial properties and can enlist planning experts or other consultants as required. We can assist with due diligence working with your accountant.
6. **Estate Planning & Wills:** We can assist you with all aspects related Estate planning including making an Australian Will, Enduring Powers of Attorney, Probate, Letters of Administration.
7. **Family Law:** We understand that separation and divorce is a difficult time of great upheaval. Our practitioners are here to guide you through the process as smoothly as possible, towards the next stage of your life. The end of a marriage isn't always the end of the relationship. Our team is equipped to deal with custody and child support issues, as well as any other family law matters that might arise.

8. **Migration:** If you're considering a move to Australia, timely and accurate information is essential. Nevile & Co. assists with business, work, investor and family visas, including advice on which investments you need to qualify for business migration. There is also a range of other visas for specific purposes.
9. **Not-For-Profit Organisations & Charities:** We undertake work for client organisations in the Not-for-Profit sector. Our experience includes acting for unincorporated and incorporated associations, charitable trust, charities, community organisations, Not-for-Profit organisations.
10. **Investments:** Nevile & Co. can help you identify, evaluate and purchase a wide range of investments. This includes providing you with referrals to estate agents, accountants, financial planners, builders, agricultural experts and a range of other consultants capable of producing independent due diligence reports.

We look forward to being of service to you.



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