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Subject: Duel regulation of migration lawyers

Dear Mr Mundy,

I'm not sure whether I am too late; however I would like to add my support for the Law Council of Australia submissions on the dual regulation of migration lawyers.

I am both a migration agent and a barrister. I consider that the requirement for legal practitioners to undergo registration as migration agents operates as a significant disincentive for the profession to specialise in migration law, thereby reducing the availability of skilled migration advice and assistance to consumers.

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