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**TIM CASTLE – BARRISTER**

**DOB: 29 September 1949**

**Positional Highlights – at a glance**

- **Barrister (Victoria University - 1968-72: LLB)**
- **1973: Admitted as Barrister and Solicitor, Supreme Court of New Zealand**
- **1974: Marshal** to High Court Judge; on criminal circuit in England (Leeds; Durham)
- **1975-1989:** Litigation partner in Wellington law firm
- **1986:** Admitted as solicitor of the Supreme Court, Victoria, Australia
- **1989 – present Commenced practice as barrister sole: Wellington**
- **1990:** Admitted as barrister: NSW
- **1991:** Admitted as barrister: Victoria, Australia
- **1990-1993: Chairman:** 1993 New Zealand Law Society Triennial Conference Organising Committee
- **1993-1995: Counsel Assisting (and Commissioner for some hearings) –** Royal Commission of Inquiry into the Courts in Fiji
- **1993** Admitted as barrister: Fiji
- **1991-present: Judge** of the Court of Arbitration for Sport (based in Lausanne, Switzerland with regional registries in Sydney and New York). First CAS appointee from Oceania
- **1995 -2000 First Vice-President/Chairman** NZ Olympic Committee  
**Board Member**, NZ Olympic Committee
- **1995 Chairman:** Athletics NZ Task Force
- **1995-present Member:** Australia and New Zealand Sports Law Association
- **1996 Member:** Ministerial Transitional Committee for High Performance Sport
- **1996-2000 Board Member:** Executive Board of NZ Sports Foundation
- **1989 Founder and Chairman:** NZ Branch of Aviation Law Association of Australia
- **1990-1993 International President:** Aviation Law Association of Australia and New Zealand

- 1995-2002 **Legal counsel** advising Te Ohu Kai Moana – the Treaty of Waitangi Fisheries Commission responsible for indigenous fisheries rights allocations including design of specialist dispute resolution protocols
- 1996 **Senior Legal Counsel** to indigenous Maori Iwi Ngati Tama Whiti over Kaimanawa Ranges and Kaimanawa Horses
- 1997-1998 **Facilitator and Adviser and Senior Legal Counsel** to: Taranaki Iwi Muru Raupatu Working Party to establish Treaty Settlement protocols, governance and strategy
- 1995-1996: **Designer** of dispute resolution protocols for and, adviser to, Treaty of Waitangi Fisheries Commission (Te Ohu Kai Moana); incorporated in Ahu Whakamua Allocation Model (2002)
- 1997-1998 **Chairman:** Prime Minister's New Zealand 2000 Taskforce
- 1998- present **Senior Legal counsel** to: Ngati Rarua Iwi Trust, Northern South Island before Te Tau Ihu Iwi Treaty of Waitangi Claims Inquiry before Waitangi Tribunal
- \* 1998 **Adviser** to Commonwealth Games Federation (London) on new Constitutional and legal protocols for the 21st century; and CGF Strategic Planning Programme for 21st century.
- 1998 **Judge** of the Ad Hoc Division of the International Court of Arbitration for Sport to preside at the Kuala Lumpur Commonwealth Games
- 1999-present **Chairman:** Catch History Review Committee – an Administrative Appeals Tribunal (appointed by the Minister of Fisheries upon the approval of Cabinet)
- 1999-2007 **New Zealand's Representative** on International Cricket Council Code of Conduct/Corruption Commission; and International ICC Judicial Appeals Commissioner
- 1999 **Member:** NZ Ministerial Delegation to the International Drugs in Sport Symposium, Sydney, Australia
- 2000 **Athletes Advocate:** Appointed to New Zealand Olympic Team to Sydney 2000 Olympic Games (recommended by Athletes Commission and endorsed by NZOC Board)
- 1998-2001 **Chairman:** Board of Trustees for Wellington Boys College, Wellington, New Zealand
- 2002 **Judge** of the Ad Hoc Division of the International Court of Arbitration for Sport to preside at the Manchester Commonwealth Games July/August 2002
- 2003-2010 **Member:** New Zealand Sports Disputes Tribunal with jurisdiction in all national sporting disputes
- 2003-2004 **Senior Legal Counsel** to 7 indigenous Iwi claimants challenging Crown Policy on Foreshore and Seabed before the Waitangi Tribunal
- 2004 **Special Independent Legal Counsel** appointed by the Clerk of the House of Representatives to provide advice to Parliamentary

Select Committee on legislation and policy for delivery of 1992 Treaty Settlement for indigenous Maori commercial fisheries – the Maori Fisheries Act 2003

- 2004 **Independent Specialist Adviser/Legal Counsel** contracted to the Clerk of the House of Representatives to provide specialist advice to Parliamentary Select Committee on policy and legislation for the Foreshore and Seabed Bill 2004
- 2004 **Commissioner** appointed to three member Review/Appeal Tribunal for **International Cricket Council (ICC)** in the case of Maurice Odumbe, Kenyan cricketer accused of receiving money and benefits from Indian bookmaker
- 2004 **International ICC Appeals Commissioner** (sole) to preside over appeal by Sourav Ganguly against two international test match ban for ODI over rate and match manipulation
- 2005 **Lead Legal counsel** for indigenous Bay of Plenty Whakatohea applicants in first application under Foreshore and Seabed Act 2004 (in force 17 January 2005) for recognition of indigenous Maori customary rights
- 2006 **Lead Legal counsel** for South Island commercial fishing interests in multi-million dollar action against Crown over 1990s scampi fishing controversy.
- 2006-present Re-appointed **CAS Arbitrator**
- 2007 Re-appointed **Member** of the New Zealand Sports Disputes Tribunal
- 2007 Appointed **Chairman** of Disputes Tribunal of the Pacific Games Council; and for the South Pacific Games in Apia, Samoa in 2007
- 2008-2009 Appointed **Iwi Commercial Negotiator** for successful Maori commercial (\$100m) Aquaculture claims negotiation completed with Crown
- 2008-2011 Appointed one of the **Iwi Commercial Negotiators** for Te Tau Ihu (Tainui Taranaki) for comprehensive Treaty claims settlement (\$300m) negotiations completed with the Crown
- 2008-present Appointed **Member** of Waitangi Tribunal
- 2009 Appointed **Chairman**: Disputes Tribunal for the South Pacific Mini Games, Raratonga, Cook Islands
- 2010-present **Wellington Vice President**: New Zealand Bar Association Council
- 2011 **Chairman**: Disputes Tribunal for Pacific Games in New Caledonia
- 2011 Appointed **Independent Reviewer** by SPARC of HPSNZ Athlete Supplements Supply Programme
- 2012 Appointed **Member** of Crown/Office of Treaty Settlements Specialist Negotiator Panel
- 2012 - Appointed **Member** of Board of Directors of Netball Transpacific-Tasman PULSE franchise