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PART 2

COMPLAINTS AGAINST BARRISTERS

PROSPECTIVE

Defamation

Protection from defamation claims

26 For the purposes of the law of defamation—

- (a) proceedings in relation to the investigation, consideration and determination of a complaint by the Bar Complaints Committee are to be treated as if they were proceedings before a court; and
- (b) the publication of any matter by the Committee under this Part is absolutely privileged.

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