Update Adams' Land Transfer

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Legislation

Unit Titles Act 2010

Unit Titles Act 2010 has been amended by:

• COVID-19 Response (Further Management Measures) Legislation Act 2020.

Property Law Act 2007

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Commentary

Commentary has been updated in the following areas:

Land Transfer Act 2017

- S21 Registrar's powers of alteration see [S21.2] Inclusion of *Green Growth No 2 Ltd v Queen Elizabeth the Second National Trust* [2018] NZSC 75; [2019] 1 NZLR 161.
- S27 Certification of electronic instruments see [S27.11]
- S47 Registration of persons as joint tenants see [S47.5.3.2] Inclusion of M v J [2020] NZHC 656 (severance of a joint tenancy).
- S47 Registration of persons as joint tenants see [S47.10.1] Inclusion of *Casbolt v Harman* [2020] NZHC 1354 (use of an originating application in s 339 Property Law Act 2007 proceedings).
- S47 Registration of persons as joint tenants see [S47.10.2] Inclusion of Anderson v Anderson [2020] NZHC 788 and Ngui v Ngui [2020] NZHC 160 (noted (2020) 19 BCB 51 — s 339 Property Law Act 2007, occupation rent).
- S51 Title by registration see [S51.5], [S51.5.2] Inclusion of *Epson Woods Limited v Waitakere Farms Limited* [2020] NZCA 226.
- S77 Interpretation see [S77.6], [S77.8]
- S79 Content of tax statement see [S79.4]
- S89 Vesting of land by court order see [S89.9]
- S91 Lease instrument required to register lease see [LEASE.INTRO8], [LEASE.INTRO9.1]
 - Inclusion of *Knights (New Zealand) Property Holdings Limited v Engel* [2020] NZHC 1116.
- S98 Re-entry by lessor see [S98.1]

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Reference to *Māori Trustee v Hooper* [2017] NZDC 10975, [2018] DCR 353 (noted (2020) 19 BCB 21) (jurisdiction of the District Court).

- S99 Mortgage takes effect only as security see [S99.10]
- S108 Registration and surrender of easements and profits à prendre -see [S108.5], [S108.11]
- S138 Caveats against dealings with land see [S138.4]
 S142 Removal of caveat against dealings see [S142.5], [S142.6]
- S143 Lapse of caveat against dealings see [S143.6]
- S224 Registrar may require plans see [S224.11]