# **Form 604**

#### Corporations Act 2001 Section 671B

# Notice of change of interests of substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme SLATER & GORDON LIMITED

ABN 93 097 297 400

#### 1. Details of substantial holder(1)

Name Peter Gordon

ACN/ABN/ARSN \*(if applicable)

There was a change in the interests of the

substantial holder on 23/6/2011 - 4/5/2012

The previous notice was given to the company on  $\frac{27/5}{2011}$ 

The previous notice was dated 31/5/2011

#### 2. Previous and present voting power

The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme that the substantial holder or an associate (2) had a relevant interest (3) in when last required, and when now required, to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme, are as follows:

Class of securities (4)	Previous notice		Present notice	
	Person's votes	Voting power (5)	Person's votes	Voting power (5)
Ordinary Shares	12,232,758	8.2%	11,198,758	6.64%

#### 3. Changes in relevant interests

Particulars of each change in, or change in the nature of, a relevant interest of the substantial holder or an associate in voting securities of the company or scheme, since the substantial holder was last required to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme are as follows:

Date of change	Person whose relevant interest changed	Nature of change (6)	Consideration given in relation to change (7)	Class and number of securities affected	Person's votes affected
23/6/2011	Peter Gordon	On market sale of 1,000,000 ordinary shares.	Market price.	1,000,000 ordinary shares	1,000,000
30/6/2011	Peter Gordon	19,152 ordinary shares issued to the vendors of Crane Butcher Mackinnon as part of the conditional consideration for the legal practice in accordance with the CBM acquisition agreement.	\$1.55 per share	19,152 ordinary shares	19,152
27/7/2011	Peter Gordon	On market sale of 11,106 ordinary shares.	Market price.	11,106 ordinary shares	11,106
29/7/2011	Peter Gordon	On market sale of 18,894 ordinary shares.	Market price.	18,894 ordinary shares	18,894
2/8/2011	Peter Gordon	On market sale of 4,000 ordinary shares.	Market price.	4,000 ordinary shares	4,000
31/8/2011	Peter Gordon	2,129,046 ordinary shares issued to employees under	Nil	2,129,046	2,129,046

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		the Employee Ownership Plan from the same number of VCR shares, which vested and converted to Ordinary Shares on the meeting of performance hurdles for the financial year ending 30 June 2011.			
25/11/2011	Peter Gordon	424,442 ordinary shares issued to the vendors of Conveyancing Works as part consideration for the conveyancing practice in accordance with the Business Sale Agreement which are subject to disposal restrictions under that agreement.	\$1.84 per share	424,442 ordinary shares	424,442
1/5/2012	Peter Gordon	16,681,138 ordinary shares issued to the vendors of the Russell Jones & Walker legal practice as part consideration for the legal practice in accordance with the Business Sale Agreement of which 13,344,904 are subject to disposal restrictions under that agreement.	\$1.59 per share	13,344,904 ordinary shares	13,344,904
4/5/2012	Peter Gordon	187,500 ordinary shares issued to the vendor of the Bussoletti Lawyers legal practice as part consideration for the legal practice in accordance with the Business Sale Agreement which are subject to disposal restrictions under that agreement.	\$1.60 per share	187,500 ordinary shares	187,500

#### 4. Present relevant interests

Particulars of each relevant interest of the substantial holder in voting securities after the change are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Registered holder of securities	Person entitled to be registered as holder (8)	Nature of relevant interest (6)	Class and number of securities	Person's votes
Peter Gordon	Peter Gordon	Peter Gordon	Registered holder	2,666,165 Ordinary Shares	2,666,165
Ken Fowlie	Paul Henderson, Andrew Grech, Marcus Clayton, Hayden Stephens and Cath Evans in respect of their relevant interests as set out in the Shareholders Agreement as disclosed previously.	Registered holders	Ken Fowlie and each of the registered holders have a relevant interest in each other's shares arising as a result of the disposal restrictions under the Shareholders Agreement	8,532,593 Ordinary Shares (See Item A of Annexure A)	8,532,593

# 5. Changes in association

The persons who have become associates (2) of, ceased to be associates of, or have changed the nature of their association (9) with, the substantial holder in relation to voting interests in the company or scheme are as follows:

Nil.

### 6. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address	
Slater & Gordon Limited	485 La Trobe Street, Melbourne, Victoria, 3000	
Peter Gordon	C/O Gordon Legal, Level 29, 360 Collins Street, Melbourne, Victoria 3000	
Andrew Grech	C/O 485 La Trobe Street, Melbourne, Victoria, 3000	
Paul Henderson	C/O 485 La Trobe Street, Melbourne, Victoria, 3000	
Ken Fowlie	C/O 485 La Trobe Street, Melbourne, Victoria, 3000	
Hayden Stephens	C/O 485 La Trobe Street, Melbourne, Victoria, 3000	
Cath Evans	C/O 485 La Trobe Street, Melbourne, Victoria, 3000	
Marcus Clayton	C/O 485 La Trobe Street, Melbourne, Victoria, 3000	

# **Signature**

print name
KIRSTEN MORRISON

capacity COMPANY SECRETARY

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date 7/5/2012

#### DIRECTIONS

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- (1) If there are a number of substantial holders with similar or related relevant interests (eg. a corporation and its related corporations, or the manager and trustee of an equity trust), the names could be included in an annexure to the form. If the relevant interests of a group of persons are essentially similar, they may be referred to throughout the form as a specifically named group if the membership of each group, with the names and addresses of members is clearly set out in paragraph 6 of the form.
- (2) See the definition of "associate" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (3) See the definition of "relevant interest" in sections 608 and 671B(7) of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (4) The voting shares of a company constitute one class unless divided into separate classes.
- (5) The person's votes divided by the total votes in the body corporate or scheme multiplied by 100.
- (6) Include details of:
  - (a) any relevant agreement or other circumstances because of which the change in relevant interest occurred. If subsection 671B(4) applies, a copy of any document setting out the terms of any relevant agreement, and a statement by the person giving full and accurate details of any contract, scheme or arrangement, must accompany this form, together with a written statement certifying this contract, scheme or arrangement; and
  - (b) any qualification of the power of a person to exercise, control the exercise of, or influence the exercise of, the voting powers or disposal of the securities to which the relevant interest relates (indicating clearly the particular securities to which the qualification applies).

See the definition of "relevant agreement" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.

- (7) Details of the consideration must include any and all benefits, money and other, that any person from whom a relevant interest was acquired has, or may, become entitled to receive in relation to that acquisition. Details must be included even if the benefit is conditional on the happening or not of a contingency. Details must be included of any benefit paid on behalf of the substantial holder or its associate in relation to the acquisitions, even if they are not paid directly to the person from whom the relevant interest was acquired.
- (8) If the substantial holder is unable to determine the identity of the person (eg. if the relevant interest arises because of an option) write "unknown".
- (9) Give details, if appropriate, of the present association and any change in that association since the last substantial holding notice.

# Annexure A to Form 604 of Peter Gordon

# **Continuation of Item 4 - Present relevant interests**

The following information consolidates information set out in items 3 and 4 of this Notice not otherwise detailed in item 4 of this Notice:

Registered holder of securities & persons entitled to be registered as holders		Person's votes				
	A Interest of Peter Gordon arising under the Shareholders Agreement between the Vendor Shareholders in the Company at the time of listing on 21 May 2007 as disclosed in the prospectus dated 13 April 2007					
Andrew Grech	2,042,326	2,042,326				
Paul Henderson	1,771,428	1,771,428				
Cath Evans	1,450,092	1,450,092				
Hayden Stephens	1,423,358	1,423,358				
Marcus Clayton	481,448	481,448				
Ken Fowlie	1,363,941	1,363,941				
Total	8,532,593	8,532,593				

This is the annexure of 3 pages marked "A" referred to in the Notice of change of interests of substantial holder (form 604) signed by me:

KIRSTEN MORRISON, COMPANY SECRETARY Print Name

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Signature

Date: 7/5/2012