

# Seb Tonkin

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Seb has been a key member of Simpsons' litigation team on some of Australia's most recent high profile intellectual property and entertainment industry cases. He advises and has day-to-day care of a range of clients on litigation and advice matters including in relation to intellectual property, contract, defamation, confidential information and administrative appeals.

Recent cases Seb has been involved in include: acting for Universal Music Publishing in its claim against Clive Palmer in relation to his unauthorised use of Twisted Sister's hit song *We're Not Gonna Take It* for his 2019 election campaign; successfully defending Maurice Blackburn Lawyers in the *Fearless Girl* statue case (appeal judgment pending); and acting for Kobalt Music Publishing in the *Love Is In The Air* case.

Seb is a regular provider of pro bono advice through the Arts Law Centre of Australia and has also worked as a writer, editor and community radio presenter.



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