

Westlaw NZ

Legislation and Commentary Research Outline

Session Objectives

The purpose of this session is to:

- Provide methods of researching acts, bills and regulations in Westlaw New Zealand
- Demonstrate content specific examples to support learning outcomes

Learning Outcomes

- Locate and display product information –“scope button”
- Search for an Act or Legal Instrument by Title
- Create a quick link to an Act
- Browse and Search for Commentary
- Search for a Provision of an Act or Regulation
- Locate Bills and Regulations
- Locate & Display Historic Legislation
- Conduct a subject search working with ‘Connectors and Expanders’
- Search for case law references
- Identify the difference Annotated & Discursive Commentary
- Outline content included in the A to Z of New Zealand Law
- Print, Download and email content
- Locate the ‘Help & Support’ page

Session Duration

Approximately 30 minutes.

Session Delivery Methods

Internet (Webex/Telephone) - This training method is ideal for individuals or groups who are based remotely or where face to face training is not possible.

Note: The Webex session allows the participant to view the trainer’s computer screen as they demonstrate research strategies on Westlaw NZ. At no time does the trainer access your computer.

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A Thomson Reuters Training Specialist will conduct the session.