

## **Statement from David Lin – Candidate for Rankin**

As principal of the law firm, I accepted responsibility for three accidental clerical errors by a staff member within my office.

Two of these errors were brought to the attention of the Queensland Law Society by me as soon as I became aware of them.

My firm then underwent a standard examination by the Law Society, which all Queensland law firms are subjected to as a matter of routine,

There was no suggestion at any stage that there was a deliberate attempt to commit an offence.

I was permitted to continue practising as a lawyer throughout this period, and have continued to do since.