

## **NEWS**

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## WESFARMERS MANAGEMENT APPOINTMENT

Wesfarmers has appointed leading commercial lawyer, Mr Paul Meadows, as Group General Counsel. He will have responsibility for overseeing all of Wesfarmers' legal matters and will serve as a member of the group's executive committee and leadership group.

The appointment was announced today by Wesfarmers Managing Director, Richard Goyder, as part of an organisational restructure.

Mr Goyder said the changes would see company Finance Director Terry Bowen also take responsibility for Wesfarmers three industrial divisions, CSBP, Wesfarmers Energy and Wesfarmers Industrial and Safety.

Wesfarmers Resources Managing Director, Stewart Butel, will now report directly to Mr Goyder.

Mr Goyder also announced the establishment of a management committee to ensure co-ordination between Kmart and Target on strategic issues, property matters, human resources and other areas of common interest.

The committee will be chaired by Target Managing Director Launa Inman and include Kmart Managing Director Guy Russo, Wesfarmers Finance Director Terry Bowen and Chief Human Resources Officer Ben Lawrence.

Paul Meadows is a senior partner of Allens Arthur Robinson and has practised in areas of companies and securities, takeovers, banking, trade practices, contracts and insolvency law.

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