

# JANET E. STEWART

## *Business Law*

**PARTNER**

*"The business law part of my practice allows me to interact with long time firm clients some of whom I have counseled since they started in business and particularly to help them with succession planning issues from my perspective as a trusted family adviser."*

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## PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

- ◆ Managing Partner, London Office, Lerners LLP (1991-2007)
- ◆ Partner, Lerners LLP (1972 to present)
- ◆ Associate, Lerners LLP (1969-1971)

## ACHIEVEMENTS

- ◆ Honorary Doctor of Laws, Law Society Ontario (2015)
- ◆ St. Mildred's- Lightbourn School Outstanding Alumna Award (2013)
- ◆ The Governor General's Caring Canadian Award (2013)
- ◆ Lexpert Zenith Award (2012)
- ◆ The Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal (2012)
- ◆ Order of Ontario (2009)
- ◆ Lexpert Zenith Award (2009)
- ◆ Cliff Hall Alumni Award, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Canada (2005)
- ◆ Huron University College Medal of Distinction (2004)
- ◆ The Queen's Golden Jubilee Medal (2003)
- ◆ Law Society Medal (2001)
- ◆ The Women's Law Association of Ontario President's Award (2000)

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- ◆ Parkwood Hospital Tribute Award (2000)
- ◆ The Law Society of Upper Canada's Bi-Centennial Award of Merit (1997)
- ◆ YM-YWCA Woman of Distinction (1993)
- ◆ Commemorative Medal for the 125th Anniversary of the Confederation of Canada (1993)
- ◆ Appointed Queen's Counsel (1985)
- ◆ Outstanding Young Londoner (1978)

## MEMBERSHIPS

- ◆ Member, Ontario Arts Council
- ◆ Member, Selection Committee, London YMCA Women of Excellence 2015
- ◆ Member, Board of Directors, Operation Walk Canada Inc.
- ◆ Member, Advisory Board of Trustees, London Junior Achievement
- ◆ Member, Counsellor Club, London Health Sciences Foundation
- ◆ Honorary Lifetime Member, Corporation of Huron University College, The University of Western Ontario
- ◆ Member, Advisory Council, London Community Foundation
- ◆ Member, Investment Committee, Diocese of Huron
- ◆ Member, Oversight Committee, Orchestra London Canada

## EDUCATION

- ◆ Admitted to Ontario Bar (1969)
- ◆ Bachelor of Laws, Osgoode Hall (1967)
- ◆ Bachelor of Arts, Trinity College, University of Toronto (1964)

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Janet enjoys travel to unusual destinations, golf, which she plays fanatically, if modestly, the opera and baseball, but most of all, being with her friends and family.