

# MINING **CAPABILITY STATEMENT**



Assent's personnel involvement with mining risks started 25 years ago with insurance and risk management roles in WA with a wide range of mining projects both in Australia and elsewhere in the world. This includes design, development and service of insurance programmes for gold, nickel, diamonds, alumina, iron ore, mineral sands and copper projects for leading global mining companies.

### Competency



- Junior explorers IPO & General liability;
- Mining companies' open-cut & underground operations risk management & claims advocacy;
- Contractors technical & legal contractual advice.

### **Key Personnel**

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Executive Chairman

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## **Experience**

In addition to operational insurance programmes for mining and risk management, **Assent** has also been responsible for designing, placing and managing construction programmes for a range of mining projects such as a multi-million dollar project involving port, rail and plant facilities.

Assent is experienced in above and below ground operations, which has involved Principal Controlled and Contract Mining projects.

In addition to overall product competencies, the key classes of Insurance where expertise is held:

- Industrial Special Risk small projects to large operational risk including complex claims;
- General liability expertise in contractual risks and risk assessment;
- Workers' compensation placements for burning cost & claims experience discounted programs & speciality claims advocacy;
- Directors & Officers legally trained with IPO expertise for junior explorers and general advice on Directors & Officers responsibilities;
- Business continuity and risk management advice.







# **Our Key Personnel**

#### **Nathan L Miller**

#### **Executive Director**

ANZIIF (Fellow) CIP Dip F.S (Ins Brok); QPIB, B.Comm (Bus Law) Undergraduate

Nathan is the Executive Director of Assent Financial Services, he is the Responsible Manager on our Financial Services Licence and accountable for the overall service delivery to its clients.

From an insurance family he has grown up knowing the industry and for eleven years he has worked as an insurance broker. Nathan has extensive experience with a broad range of industries, the policies applicable within each industry and the types of claims made.

He specialises in Professional Risks in particular Directors and Officers Company Reimbursement cover where his legal training is of great value to his clients.

He practices in the Mining and Energy sectors where global expertise in risk placement is essential for client delivery.

Currently he studies business law which gives Nathan the ability to provide insight into company, contractual, tax, employment, property and tort laws.

### **Wayne R Miller**

#### **Executive Chairman**

ANZIIF (Fellow), Qualified Practicing Insurance Broker, Dip Fin Serv (Ins. Brok).

Wayne has been an industry practitioner for 37 years during which time he has worked for insurers in senior roles as underwriting manager, claims manager and key executive roles.

Wayne's broking career at international broking firms included global placements in his specialty areas of corporate, mining and energy risks, before founding his own company ACI Broking which became a national company. He has also founded a Lloyds of London coverholder underwriting agency specialising in Professional Risks and Legal Expenses Insurance.

Wayne founded and publically listed Insured Group Limited in 2005 which had 17 subsidiary companies incorporating Insurance Broking, Underwriting Agency and Risk Management functions in Australia and New Zealand.

He served as Responsible Manager on 5 AFSLs and Managing Director of the public group and currently focusses his attention to the internal technical support, training and mentorship at Assent.



Assent has the insurance technical, legal / contractual & placement expertise to deliver the Best Solutions to its clients.



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