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### **Uniform Civil Procedure Rules, r 212 and "expert reports": "For your eyes only?" – *Ashley Jones***

This article examines the application of r 212(2) of the Uniform Civil Procedure Rules to a "statement or report of an expert". Because the rule operates to abrogate legal professional privilege, the potential application of legal professional privilege to documents connected with such reports is considered. Recent authorities defining a "statement or report of an expert" are discussed. Finally, the court's discretion to order relief from the duty to disclose is considered specifically in relation to "statements or reports" of experts". .....	25
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