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## **NIBA announces winner of the Young Broker of the Year award**

William Thompson of Thompson Insurance in Queensland has been awarded the Vero-sponsored 2022 Warren Tickle Young Broker of the Year award at the 2022 NIBA Celebration Dinner.

William first joined Thompson Insurance in 2018 and was promoted to the role of Director in July 2022. Prior to this, William worked as an Underwriting Consultant for a large general insurer.

In congratulating William on his win as the 2022 Warren Tickle Young Broker of the Year, Anthony Pagano, Vero's Head of Distribution, Commercial Insurance said: "Will's dedication to learning, his drive and tireless work on the Vero Community Grant project truly shone through the program. He represents the very best of the insurance broking profession and has a genuine passion for giving back to the community. Will has shown he is a strong advocate for the insurance industry, and we're excited to provide ongoing support to him and other young brokers across the country."

"Congratulations Will on an impressive achievement as the 2022 Warren Tickle Young Broker of the Year award winner", Pagano added.

NIBA CEO, Philip Kewin said "The future of broking looks very bright with a passionate, intelligent and professional group of finalists. They all show true commitment to their clients and the broader community. Importantly, they also embody ongoing personal and professional development." Congratulations to William and all the finalists."

"NIBA would also like to sincerely thank Vero for their ongoing sponsorship of the Warren Tickle Young Broker of the Year award."

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**About NIBA**

The National Insurance Brokers Association is the peak representative body for the intermediated insurance industry in Australia.

NIBA represents approximately 450 member firms and 15,000 individual brokers including large, multinational insurance brokers, Australian broker networks, and small to medium-sized businesses located in cities, and regional areas right around Australia.

NIBA member firms all hold an Australian financial services licence, issued by the Australian Securities and Investments Commission under the Corporations Act, which enables them to deal in or advise on risk insurance products.

At an international level, NIBA is a member of the Council of Asia Pacific Insurance Brokers Associations (CAPIBA) and the World Federation of Insurance Intermediaries (WFII).

NIBA is committed to supporting its members by representing the interests of brokers and their members to government and regulators and promoting high levels of professionalism.

