

LexisNexis Practical Guidance

LexisNexis Practical Guidance will be launching two new modules in June 2012 - Corporations Law and Succession Law.

Succession Law is written by a range of reputable author firms, including Willworks, David Landa Stewart, Somerville Legal, Marsdens Law Group, Antunes Lawyers, Adrian Holmes Lawyers, Tresscox, and Bowring Macaulay & Barrett solicitors. Many of these authors are accredited specialists in wills and estates. The online service includes 200+ guidance notes, 50+ forms and 215+ precedents.

Corporations Law is written by a range of expert authors including Clifford Chance, Jones Day, Piper Alderman, Truman Hoyle, Hunt & Hunt Lawyers, Dr David Cox and Karin Ottesen. The online service includes 200+ guidance notes, 80+ forms, 40+ precedents and over 250 cases.

Criminal

Bourke's Criminal Law Victoria will be updated in May 2012 to include the sentencing statistics by the Sentencing Advisory Council Victoria. The inclusion of this new material in *Bourke's* will make it more convenient for practitioners to conduct their research on sentencing law and practice in Victoria, as they will be able to access from one location --- both online and hard copy, and eventually e-book --- the annotated Sentencing Act 1991 (Vic), Sentencing Regulations 2011 (Vic) and sentencing statistics. Courts in Victoria refer constantly to these statistics.

Reports and Journals

Updates have been made to the following reports: Australian Corporations and Securities Reports Volumes 86 and 87, Australian Corporations and Securities Reports Bound Volume 86, Administrative Law Decisions Volumes 125 and 126, Administrative Law Decisions Bound Volume 125, Australian Law Reports Volumes 285-287, Australian Law Reports Bound Volumes 285 and 286, Australian Law Reports Cumulative Supplement Volumes 275-280, Butterworth' Property Reports Service 207, Family Law Reports Volume 46, Intellectual Property Reports Volumes 94 and 95, Intellectual Property Reports Bound Volume 94, Motor Vehicle Reports Volume 60, Victorian Reports Volume 29, and Victorian Reports Consolidated Tables and Index 1861-2010 (3 volumes).

Updates have been made to the following Journals: Australian Bar Review Volume 35 Part 3, Australian Journal of Corporate Law Volume 25 Index and Volume 26 Part 3, Australian Journal of Family Law Volume 25 Index and Volume 26 Part 1, Competition and Consumer Law Journal Volume 19 Part 3, Insurance Law Journal Volume 22 Index and Volume 23 Part 1, Journal of Equity Volume 5 Index and Volumes 6 Part 1 and Binder, and Torts Law Journal Volume 19 Index and Volume 20 Part 1 and Binder.

Halsbury's Laws of Australia

HLA is continuing its currency blitz for 2012 by focusing on updating older titles, as well as adding new content to other titles to keep abreast of current legal developments.

Recent updates include partial updates of the Environment, Aviation, Media, Tax and Workers Compensation titles and full updates of the Guarantees and Indemnities title.

Important updates scheduled for May and June 2012 include updates of Aviation to include a new chapter on space law, Public Health to cover material on the smoking and tobacco plain packaging legislation, and Workers Compensation to include new content for WA. The Administrative Law title will also be updated to incorporate new content covering the Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal, as well as a comprehensive revision of the much sought after freedom of information chapter (which will improve its currency significantly from 2006 to 2012). The Industrial Law title will also undergo a substantial update to improve the currency of the federal system content from 1998 to 2012 and to introduce material covering the (CTH) Fair Work Act 2009.

Other planned updates for May and June 2012 include partial updates of the Energy and Resources, Courts, Evidence, Contract, Trade and Commerce, Succession, Corporations and Environment titles and a full update of the Trusts title.

Upcoming updates include Workers Compensation (new material for NSW and SA) and Criminal Law (new material on cybercrime and terrorism).