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Welcome to the latest edition of *Library KeyNews*.

In this edition, I am pleased to announce our new partnership with the NACLC. We are delighted to help support the vital role that Community Legal Centres play for disadvantaged Australians who without their help would be extremely vulnerable in the legal system. By working closely with CLC staff and volunteers, we will also gain a better understanding of the biggest challenges for this sector and be able to reflect that in future design of our content. We look forward to working closely with everyone involved in the CLCs and at NACLC to champion the amazing work they do.

I was also excited to learn of this year's Innovation Index winners. This year, was a standout year that has seen innovative thinking and design being embraced company-wide across legal organisations and teams. What we love about this year's entries is the amount of collaboration between firms, their clients and other specialist law, professional service or technology organisations. To see the industry set aside competition and work together for the benefit of the client is very innovative for this sector and a sign that the 'age of the client' has come to the fore in Australia. Check out the winners inside.

These last few months have been a busy time with us traveling all over the country to host our Smart Law events and attend other legal conferences. I enjoyed meeting you and I'm looking forward to sharing some of our insights in the next edition. In the meantime, take a look at the Legal Service Design Jam outcomes which was held in conjunction with Janders Dean.

I'm also happy to add some new products to our portfolio, make sure you have a chat with your Relationship Director to see how Newsdesk and Practical Guidance Intellectual Property can help your organisation.

I hope you enjoy this edition of *Library KeyNews* and I look forward to sharing more LexisNexis® developments and news with you.

Kind regards,
Joanne Beckett
Managing Director, LexisNexis Australia



➤ National Association of Community Legal Centres partnership

LexisNexis® and the National Association of Community Legal Centres (NACLC) have entered into a partnership to promote the rule of law in Australia by providing high quality online legal resources to over 180 Community Legal Centres (CLCs) operating across Australia and support better access to justice for the 200,000+ disadvantaged clients they assist every year.

Access to LexisNexis Practical Guidance, CaseBase and other core research products with practical and current content, will support CLC staff (and CLCs' several thousand volunteers who themselves in 2013/14 provided over 775,000 hours of support) as they advise clients on a wide range of issues. The online format ensures the content is always accessible and up-to-date for all CLCs, regardless of their size and geographic location. LexisNexis will provide training to staff and volunteers who will in return assist LexisNexis to design and improve their solutions through research of user experience.

NACLC spokesperson Daniel Stubbs said, "It is essential for CLCs and their clients – disadvantaged people who often have multiple legal problems – to have easy ongoing access to timely, accurate, up-to-date legal information. The LexisNexis package is a highly valued and utilised resource that helps CLCs across Australia to provide high quality and consistent legal advice."

Read the full announcement [here](#).

➤ Newsdesk® is now live

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LexisNexis Newsdesk consolidates fragmented media monitoring into a single solution for finding, analysing and sharing business-critical intelligence. Our comprehensive licensed and Open-Web content enables you to:

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- Leverage **near-real-time media coverage** to identify emerging trends and respond quickly to current market developments
- Stay abreast of **24/7 broadcast news coverage** with monitoring of more than 2,000 TV and radio stations around the world and access to full-length transcript text plus related video clips

To arrange for a free demonstration now, visit [LexisNexis® Newsdesk](#).

➤ The Legal Service Design Jam

Janders Dean recently conducted a Legal Service Design Jam in parallel to the Legal Transformation Conference in Sydney on 27 July 2016.

First conducted in London in May, the Legal Service Design Jam inspires participants to go beyond simply sharing and discussing challenges and ideas to working on practical solutions to the real issues in the legal industry today.

Many of the region's leading legal organisations participated in the event including Norton Rose, Minter Ellison, Allens, Legal Vision, LawPath, Maddocks, Herbert Smith Freehills, Seyfarth Shaw, Westpac, and Telstra. Participants were challenged to use innovative problem solving techniques to design and build a prototype that reinvents the future of law.

The Legal Service Design Jam in Sydney focused on three of the most important parts of industry:

1. The process team had an eye on the legal processes that impact service delivery
2. The people team had an eye on the organisation and people
3. The technology team had an eye on touchpoints driven by technology

To see the results, click [here](#).



➤ A close look behind the scenes of **LawNowPlus**

At LexisNexis®, we are working hard behind the scene to ensure the complete accuracy and relevancy of your legislation research experience! Let's take a simple look at "what's under the hood" of a very complex product process:

- Creating 300,000 documents : each citator report contains four bundled documents Overview; Analytical Materials, Cases and History.
- Extracting references from over 400 publications across Australia and New Zealand – generating approximately 1,000,000 references in total – distributing them to the correct citator reports
- Reviewing over 600,000 cases and distributing them to the correct citator reports; and
- Once the documents are assembled, the system delivers the reports through the 'fabrication pipeline' directly to the platform
- The system automatically extracts new or updated content from the source publications and accordingly updates relevant documents ensuring that citator reports are updated with the additional content (eg to incorporate a CaseBase signal change, or a new case or reference in a publication).
- Once the content is delivered to the platform, a HPCC stitching process takes place (big data technology), stitching the four bundled documents together to create a citator report and embedding a 'View Citator' link alongside the text of the Legislation.

LawNow Plus will automatically be made available to all organisations that already subscribe to LawNow when they upgrade to Lexis Advance®, and include access to all 9 jurisdictions.

For more information visit LawNow Plus [website](#).

➤ 2016 **Legal Innovation Index**

The 2016 Legal Innovation Index winners were announced by LexisNexis and Janders Dean, at a private event in August.

The winners in the organisation category:

- Allens
- Corrs Chambers Westgarth
- Gilbert + Tobin
- Herbert Smith Freehills
- Pinsent Masons
- RACQ Legal Team

The winners in the individual category:

- Professor Des Butler
- Anne-Marie Cade
- Katie Miller
- Claire Smith & Shae McCartney (joint entry)
- Amelia Thorpe
- Claire Wivell Plater
- Demetrio Zema

Read more about each winner and the Index [here](#).

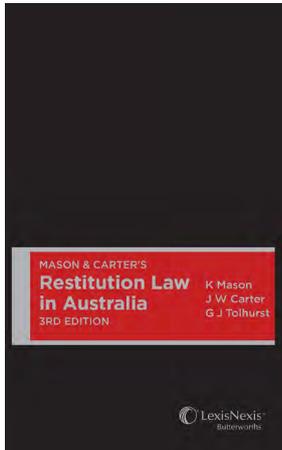
➤ **Practical Guidance Intellectual Property**

LexisNexis is excited to announce the launch of the Practical Guidance Intellectual Property module. This specialised online practical resource is designed for Intellectual Property lawyers.

The module provides step-by-step guidance and best practice advice across Australian and New Zealand law, supported by on-point cases, legislation, checklists, forms and precedents, tools and trusted LexisNexis deep research materials.

In addition, Practical Guidance Intellectual Property contains additional specialised content exclusive to the module and includes international guides from **Getting the Deal Through** covering 14 areas of Intellectual Property in over 90 jurisdictions and is illustrated via a user friendly hyperlinked world map.

Click [here](#) to find out more.



Mason & Carter's Restitution Law in Australia, 3rd edition

Author: K Mason, J W Carter, G J Tolhurst
Pub date: May 2016

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RRP* incl. GST: \$335.00

ISBN: 9780409341621 (S)
RRP* incl. GST: \$240.00

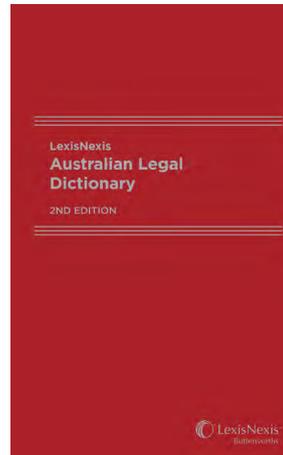
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Restitution is one of the law's few remaining commons, largely untouched by statute.

Fifty years ago restitution was a wilderness, an apparent 'miscellany of disparate categories' through which litigant, judge and student trudged holding a compass marked 'implied contract' at its four points. The landscape of the modern Australian law of restitution, however, is complex. The topic of restitution addressed by the authors includes doctrines responding to different and/or additional policies as well as gain-based remedies appurtenant to wrongs with their juridical source outside unjust enrichment, which is only one of the bases for restitution.

In this third edition, the content has been revised and updated. Chapter 3 (Want of Title) has been substantially updated and Chapter 24 (Change of Position) has been completely rewritten.

Click [here](#) to find out more.



LexisNexis Australian Legal Dictionary, 2nd edition

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RRP* incl. GST: \$495.00

We are excited to announce that The LexisNexis Australian Legal Dictionary has been revised for the first time in 20 years. Now with 28,000 terms covering 100 practice areas this resource is a staple for every lawyers desk.

This Second edition features succinct plain English definitions, supported by judicial and legislative authority, to provide a key point of reference for practitioners, students and the general reader. The scope, relevance and currency of the terms defined ensure that this work remains the most accurate, authoritative and popular legal dictionary in Australia.

This revised edition of the Australian Legal Dictionary showcases evolving areas of law to adequately address market trends, such as the inclusion of elder law, social media, electronic conveyancing and assisted reproduction. It also includes a range of non-legal subject areas, such as business and commerce, reflective of the expanding roles of lawyers.

Click [here](#) to find out more.



EVENTS

Lexis Advance® Webinars

To assist you in your upgrade to Lexis Advance, we are excited to announce a new series of webinars designed to take you through the key steps and considerations of the upgrade process.

These webinars are offered to Knowledge Managers and Information Support Specialists within your organisation and are all facilitated by our experienced team of Client Experience Learning (CEL) Consultants.

Look out for an invitation to attend from your dedicated CEL consultant over the forthcoming weeks!

The webinars series include:

- **Preparing for a successful upgrade** - This session provides super users with visibility of all the tools and resources available to them to facilitate a successful upgrade.
- **Functionality your users need to know to get started** - Learn about Lexis Advance features not available in LNAU which will help your users to be

more efficient. This session will provide super users with a list of the must-know features to share.

- **Knowledge Certificate Assessment** - In this session, we will introduce super users to an assessment tool which will gauge research skills of your end-users. It includes guidance provided on how to use the dashboard to assign, track and evaluate users, determine the level of test for users. Categories include beginner, intermediate and advanced.

- **Driving current awareness through Automated Alerts** - In this session, we provide super users with tips and techniques on how to set up targeted automated alerts for your users

- **Virtual drop in advice Clinic** - Providing you with a forum whereby super users can drop in and participate in a Q&A session with a LexisNexis Trainer and peers.

For further information, please contact [Apeksha Mathur](#) on [02 9422 2529](#).



UPDATES & ENHANCEMENTS

Insolvency Update

The *Insolvency Law Bulletin* shares General Editor Jason Harris' insights and knowledge in relation to insolvency law. Each issue includes an introduction which provides a clear snapshot to recent developments, for example, this is extracted from the *Insolvency Law Bulletin* Volume 17 Issue 5 published in June 2016:

"On the law reform front, [...] significant development has been released by Treasury of the proposals paper *Improving Bankruptcy and Insolvency Laws* which puts forward a number of proposals involving:

- the reduction of bankruptcy to 1 year with a continuation of certain obligations (including income contributions) for the current 3 years;
- the introduction of a restructuring safe harbour for insolvent trading, either as a new defence or as a presumption against liability; and

- the nullification of ipso facto clauses upon the appointment of a receiver, voluntary administrator, deed administrator or scheme administrator.

There are several major law reform suggestions in the PC report [Productivity Commission's report no 75 – *Business Set-up, Transfer and Closure*] on which we will need to keep a watching brief. One of the themes in the PC report was to include greater accountability and transparency of receivership processes." – General Editor Jason Harris, Associate Professor, University of Technology Sydney.

LexisNexis® has over 20 publications dealing with personal and corporate insolvency, ranging from in-depth analysis in *Ford's Principles of Corporations Law* to insightful commentary in *Bankruptcy Law and Practice*, insolvency practical guidance at your fingertips with the *Corporations* and *Business* modules, precedents and topical articles in the *Insolvency Law Bulletin*.



➤ Australian Superannuation Law Bulletin

Change of General Editor

We are pleased to announce **Pam McAlister** as the new General Editor of the *Australian Superannuation Law Bulletin* from the September issue onwards. Pam is a member of the Law Council of Australia Superannuation Committee (being the immediate past Chair) and a Director of Mercer Legal Consulting. She is an experienced superannuation and financial services lawyer with expertise in fund mergers, product design, governance, trust law and regulation.

The *Australian Superannuation Law Bulletin* provides regular analysis and opinion in superannuation law through case notes, recent developments and articles by expert contributors. It is essential reading for practitioners, professionals and academics requiring speed and breadth of coverage in superannuation law and regulation matters.

➤ Looseleaf titles on Red®

We are excited to announce that the ASX Listing Rules is set to be launched on Lexis Red® for the first time this year. LexisNexis is currently the authorized publisher for all ASX rulebooks. Customers will be able to access the most up-to-date version of ASX Listing Rules when they are on the go. Lexis Red allows the customers to quickly and effortlessly annotate sections, search, highlight, copy and paste text into the publication from their iPad, laptop or Windows PC.

This now means that all but 5 of LexisNexis looseleaf titles are available on Lexis Red. The following titles are not available: Halsbury's Laws of Australia, Australian Encyclopaedia of Forms & Precedents, Carter on Contract, Family Court Legislation and the Annotations to the ASX Listing Rules.

➤ Media, Technology and Communications

We are delighted to announce the launch of the Media, Technology and Communications Practice Area Collection. This specialist suite of products includes several innovative and comprehensive loose-leafs and newsletters written by the leaders in the Media industry. Authored by some of Australia's most notable legal identities, the Collection includes insightful opinion pieces, scholarly commentary, and the latest legal developments in defamation law, privacy, e-commerce and more.

The Collection includes the following products:

- Communications Law and Policy
- Australian Defamation Law and Practice
- Privacy, Confidentiality and Data Security
- The Law of E-Commerce
- Media, Technology and Communications Law Bulletin
- Internet Law Bulletin
- Privacy Law Bulletin

Do you have all these titles in your collection?



UPCOMING WEBINARS

October 2016

Please note, the webinar times shown are for Australian Eastern Daylight Saving Time.

Lexis® Draft	1-2pm	Tues	4th
Advanced Scenario Session - Litigation, Evidence & Procedure	1-2pm	Thurs	6th
Lexis Red®	1-1:30pm	Mon	10th
Using the Right Connectors (for QLD Barristers)	5-5:30pm	Thurs	13th
Getting Started with Lexis Advance®	1-2pm	Tues	18th

Working Smarter with LexisNexis® AU	10-11am	Wed	19th
Advanced Scenario Session - Family Law	1-2pm	Mon	24th
Working Smarter with Lexis Advance	1-2pm	Tues	25th
LexisNexis Practical Guidance	12-12.30pm	Fri	28th
Advance Scenario Session - Property Law	1-2pm	Mon	31st

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