

Tasmanian Law Reform Commission (Tas.L.R.C.)

- \* Fisheries : Forfeiture in unlawful fishing : In Committee, about to report to Commission.
- \* Goods : Disposal of uncollected and found goods : Work about to recommence on return of Commissioner from overseas visit.
- \* Exemption clauses and implied obligations in goods and services : Work about to recommence on return of Commissioner from overseas visit.
- \* Law and Procedure of Corroboration in the Evidence of Accomplices, Sex cases, Child Witnesses, Perjury, Forgery, Bigamy and Treason : Submissions still awaited.
- \* Admissibility of Computer Data in Evidence : Report and draft Bill submitted 22 April 1977.
- \* De facto Spouses : Report submitted 4 May 1977.
- \* Civil Procedure : In Committee.
- \* Landlord & Tenant : Residential Tenancies : Committee set up and in process of preparing working paper. Commission report target date - 30 June 1977.
- \* Discrimination : Further research proceeding.

Victorian Chief Justice's Law Reform Committee (V.C.J.C.)

- \* As [1977] Reform 33.

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- \* Innocent Misrepresentation in Contract : W.I.H.

Victorian Statute Law Revision Committee (V.S.L.R.C.)

- \* Animals : Report on Methods of Destruction of Unwanted Animals tabled on 5 May 1977.
- \* Imperial Acts Application Act : W.I.H. actively. Report expected Spring Sittings.
- \* Constitution : W.I.H. on Review of the Constitution Act 1975.
- \* Privacy : Proceeding actively. Committee examining storage of information in government sector. Report expected in Spring Sittings.
- \* Magistrates (Summary Proceedings) Act s.44 : W.I.H.
- \* Constitution Bill 1976 (Office of Profit) : Report tabled 19 April 1977.
- \* Infancy : Report on "Age of Majority" tabled on 5 April 1977.
- \* Adoption : Adoption of Children Act 1964. Work proceeding actively. Public submissions being received.

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- \* Official Attestation of Forms and Documents : 28 : Working paper issued.
- \* Administration of Deceased Insolvent Estates : 34 : Working paper issued.
- \* Suitors Fund Act : Criminal Proceedings : 49 : Report submitted to Attorney-General.
- \* Committal Proceedings - submitted 11 May 1970. Legislation enacted.
- \* Distribution of Intestacy - submitted 14 May 1973. Legislation enacted.
- \* Administration Bonds and Sureties - submitted 16 March 1976. Legislation enacted.
- \* Production of Medical and Technical Reports in Court Proceedings - submitted 15 July 1975. Legislation enacted.

## New References

The following new references were received between April 1977 and June 1977 :

- A.L.R.C. : Nil
- P.N.G.L.R.C. : Sorcery, received April 1977.
- : Review of the Legal Profession and the Judiciary : received April 1977.
- S.A.L.R.C. : Crown Proceedings Act.
- : Impact of Divorce on Existing Wills.
- : Fire Insurance Report.
- Tas. L.R.C. : Privileged communications between spouses and others.