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Administrative Review Council  
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On 1 May 1989 the Attorney-General announced the appointment of Mr Stephen Charles QC as a member of the Council for a 3-year term from 27 April 1989. Mr Charles is a senior Victorian barrister and has been a Queen's Counsel since 1975. He was Chairman of the Victorian Bar Council from 1983-85 and President of the Australian Bar Association from 1985-86.

Mr Fulton Muir, Chairman of the Canberra Development Board, who has been a member of the Council since 2 April 1986, was re-appointed for a further 3-year term.

Mr G.A. (Bert) Mowbray, who had been acting Director of Research since 3 April 1989 (Admin Review 20:56), was formally appointed to the position on 25 May 1989.

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Administrative Appeals Tribunal  
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In June 1989 the Attorney-General announced that Mr Brian McMahon, Senior Member in Sydney since 1984, had been reappointed to the Tribunal as a Deputy President. Mr John Handley, previously a member of the Victorian AAT and the Victorian Crimes Compensation Tribunal, was appointed as a Senior Member. The Hon. E.T. Perrignon has been re-appointed as a part-time senior member. Mr John Burns, a taxation expert previously with the Taxation Office and the Ford Motor Company of Australia, was appointed as a part-time member to the Taxation Division, and Mr C.J. Stevens was re-appointed as a part-time member. Ms Anne Brennan, formerly the Director of Social Work in the Department of Social Security, was appointed to the Brisbane Registry as a part-time member.

Mr J. Mathieson, previously the Deputy Registrar of the Family Court in Townsville, commenced work as Principal Legal Officer on 26 June 1989. He will be primarily responsible for the AAT's case management system.

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A.C.T. Administrative Appeals Tribunal

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On 5 July 1989 the ACT Chief Minister announced the appointment of Mr Robert Todd, Deputy President of the Commonwealth AAT in Canberra, as President of the A.C.T. tribunal. Mr Todd will continue to hold office as a Deputy President of the Commonwealth tribunal. Ms Diane Popple, the District Registrar of the Commonwealth AAT, will become the Registrar of the A.C.T. AAT.

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