



## Member Services Column

**Your Member Services Package for 1994-95 continues to thrive.**

Two new players have joined the growing list of companies offering special deals to Law Society members: Centrepoint Pharmacy in the Smith Street Mall and Maurie's Pool Shop at Coconut Grove.

Centrepoint Pharmacy is offering a very attractive discount of 10 per cent off exquisite cosmetics and perfumes from Estee Lauder, Lancome, Clinique and Clarins. This includes French fragrances for women AND men.

Any practitioners with a pool to maintain at home will be pleased with the generous offer from Maurie's Pool Shop of a flat 10 per cent off ALL pool-related chemicals. This is great news with the "build-up" now in full swing.

And Night Affaire is offering 10 per cent off all of its glamorous items (except specials and during sales).

The Law Society's Executive Officer, Jim Campbell, has renegotiated the members' arrangement with Qantas Australian Airlines, resulting in an even better deal of five per cent discounts off the lowest published price for domestic travel and six per cent off international flights!

Other participants in your Member Services package include:

- \* Bridge Autos Toyota, Darwin Hyundai, Darwin Mitsubishi;
- \* Jeany's Liquor Stores;
- \* Avis Car Rental;
- \* Beaufort Hotel;
- \* Calvi's City Fashion, Denim & Daks, Pearse and Swan;
- \* Murray Neck Electricworld;
- \* Downtown Duty Free;
- \* Body Basics;
- \* Sterns Jewellers;
- \* National Flags.

For details see the Member Services flyer in this month's edition — and support the businesses which support your Law Society!

### Promotion for BP Plus users

BP Australia has launched its latest promotion: Free Fuel and Flights!

All BP customers who make a purchase of \$10 or more are eligible to receive a game card that could win them instant fuel discounts, with a second chance draw for free flights to their choice of Australian destinations.

As valued customers, BP Plus drivers can also participate — however, should they win one of the instant fuel prizes of \$2, \$5, \$10, or \$20, they have the option of redeeming their winnings in cash. They are also eligible to win the free flights.

## Investigation training

The Internal Investigation Section of the Australian Taxation Office will run several Forensic Document Examination Courses and Computer Crime Investigation Courses during this financial year.

While participants will be required to pay for their own travel to Canberra and their accommodation costs, an allocation of funds from the Commonwealth Confiscated Assets Trust Fund has enabled the department to provide the course fees and some meals.

The following courses will be available: Forensic Document Examination Course: September 20-22; December 13-15; March 7-9; May 9-11. Computer Crime Investigation Course: October 10-14; December 5-9; February 6-10; June 5-9. Advanced Computer Crime Investigation Course: November 14-18.

The Advanced Computer Crime course in November will be offered by invitation, principally to those who have already completed the standard course. Others will be considered on a case by case basis.

Brochures and nomination forms are available from The Law Society or by calling David Gledhill, Manager, Internal Investigation, on (06) 216 2226.

## Multimedia book

Publishing & Multimedia Law, by Michael Henry, has recently been published by Butterworths UK.

More than 100 separate legal and commercial topics are discussed, including international copyright, confidentiality, moral rights, indemnity, defamation, reporting restrictions, publishing and multimedia — the future and data protection.

A computer disk of all precedents used in the book is supplied free of charge with every copy. The price is \$215. Call (02) 335 4512.

## Letter to the Editor

When I placed advertisements in *Balance* for solicitors who were interested in joining an Australia-wide franchising network of Win Win Mediation, I hoped to attract between one and three responses. To date I have received no response.

A practitioner in your Territory has suggested that I write to you. The plan of the franchise idea is to establish a franchise network throughout Australia with one to three franchisees in each state and territory, then to market mediation Australia-wide with a successful marketing company.

I would be most happy to hear from anyone who is interested. I can be reached on (03) 608 7999.

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