### Domestic Violence Regulations: new amendment

The following amendment to the Domestic Violence Regulations began on April 12, 1995.

"1. New Regulation

The Domestic Violence Regulations are amended by inserting, after Regulation 3, the following:

"An application under the Act may be served on the defendant personally or by leaving a copy for the defendant at his or her last or most usual place of abode or of business with some other person who is apparently an inmate or employed at the age of 16 years."

2. Declaration of Service of Summonses or Orders

Regulation 4 of the Domestic Violence Regulations is amended by omitting "document" and substituting "summons or order".

The amendment is in accordance with the mode of service previously existing under Section 27 of the Justices Act."

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### WHATEVER HAPPENED TO ...?

From the "Blast from the Past" file comes news that former NAALAS head Gordon Bauman is now solicitor in charge of the Legal Aid Commission office in Kalgoorlie, Western Australia.

The office has only opened this year, thanks to increased Commonwealth and state funding. Gordon was previously employed as a senior solicitor in the Kimberley office of Legal Aid.



Gordon Bauman ... former NAALAS Head (Photo courtesy Kalgoorlie Miner)

The new Kalgoorlie office is providing legal advice, bureau services and telephone advice to people in isolated areas.

Solicitors from the office will also provide representation in criminal matters and act as duty lawyer at the Kalgoorlie Court.

The Editor felt Balance readers would be interested to hear news of a former Territory colleague.

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