

Child Support Intensive

Practitioners who have not already enrolled for this seminar, to be run by the Family Law Section of the Law Council of Australia in conjunction with the Child Support Agency, are advised to do so in order to secure their place and receive supporting documentation in time.

The seminar will provide expert guid-

ance and a kit of materials, including precedents for use in drafting orders and agreements.

It is aimed at helping with day to day child support problems such as dealing with the 25% rule, creating obligations that the CSA can enforce, using a section 60 estimate and arrangements for pensioners, among other issues.

The seminar will be held in Darwin at :
**Information/Conference Room
Ground Floor, Family Court of Australia
Commonwealth Law Courts Building**

on Wednesday 19 November at 3.30pm

Registration forms are available from the Law Society and the Family Court.

SES – Registrar Circuit Dates January to June 1998

- 2nd February to 6th February
Alice Springs circuit to be conducted 2nd & 3rd February
- 2nd March to 6th March
- 6th April to 9th April 1998
- 11th May to 15th May
Alice Springs circuit to be conducted 11th & 12th May
- 15th June to 19th June 1998

Weekly Agenda For Each Circuit

Monday	Chamber work and duty Registrar
Tuesday	Summary applications (F12, enforcement summons)
Wednesday	Chamber work - Federal Court matters
Thursday	Duty matters - directions hearings
Friday	Divorces - chamber work.

Evaluation of Simplified Procedures

An evaluation report on the simplified procedures has been released by the Courts and identifies a number of problems, many of which were already evident to practitioners.

The report also makes makes recommendation for solutions to these problems.

The Family Law Section of the Law

Council of Australia is preparing a submission in response to the report.

Copies of the report are available from the coordinator of the Family Law Group, Stuart Barr (Ward Keller), and practitioners who wish to have input into a response are asked to contact the Family Law Section, LCA directly, or Stuart Barr.

**THE NEXT MEETING OF THE FAMILY LAW GROUP WILL BE ON
TUESDAY 27 JANUARY 1998 AT 1PM.**

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