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Subscribers received the Northern Territory Edition of the *Alternative Law Journal* in October 1999. The edition, "Territorial Limits", included articles, briefs and other snippets relevant to the Northern Territory.

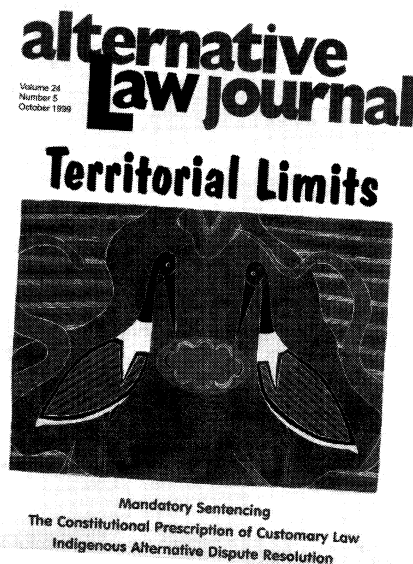
There were several contributions by Territorians, including Russell Goldflam, Jonathon Hunyor, Stephen Gray, Chris Howse and Mary-Lynn Griffith. Other gems in the edition include the satirical works of Fan-C-That in the "Sit Down Girlie" column and the review of Stephen Gray's recently published novel *Lungfish* in the "Bits" column.

Wendy Espie provides the cover artwork to the edition. Aptly entitled *The Law of the Land*, it accommodates an interesting mix of both Top End and central indigenous art incorporating the themes of law and reconciliation.

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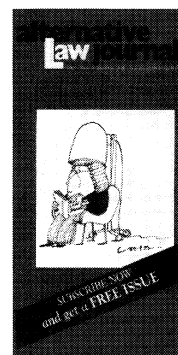
The next Northern Territory edition is scheduled for October 2000. The Committee is calling for submission of articles, briefs or other relevant pieces for upcoming editions.

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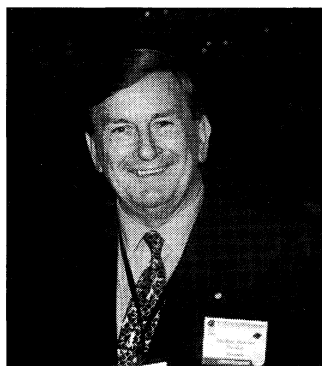
WA Chief Justice guest for Opening of the Legal Year

The Chief Justice of Western Australia will be the guest speaker at ceremonies in Darwin and Alice Springs to mark the Opening of the Legal Year.

The Hon David Kingsley Malcolm AC was appointed Chief Justice of Western Australia in 1988. In 1990 he was appointed Lieutenant Governor of Western Australia. In 1992 he was made a Companion of the Order of Australia.

Chief Justice Malcolm graduated with an LLB from the University of Western Australia in 1959 with first class honours and was Rhodes Scholar from Western Australia in 1960. In 1962 he obtained his BCL at Oxford with first class honours. He was admitted to practice in 1964. He was a partner with the firm of Freehill Hollingdale & Page and its predecessor firm in Perth from 1964 to 1979.

He acted as Counsel and Deputy General Counsel for the Asian Development Bank



based in Manila between 1967 and 1970. He practised widely in many areas of the law including commercial and corporate law, mining, media, shipping and administrative law. He was the Chairman of the Law Reform Commission on two occasions and a member of the Copyright Tribunal from 1979 to 1982.

Chief Justice Malcolm was Queen's Counsel from 1980 to 1988, President of the Western Australian Bar Association from 1981 to 1984 and Vice-President of the Australian Bar Association in 1984.

He was Vice-President of the Law Society of Western Australia from 1986 to 1988 and Chairman, Town Planning Appeals Tribunal from 1978 to 1986. He has been the Chairman of the judicial Section of the Law Association for Asia and the Pacific since 1991.

The Chief Justice is currently the Chairman of the Advisory Board of the Crime Research Centre at the University of Western Australia, President of the Western Australian Branch of the International Commission of Jurists and a member of the Board of Directors of the Society for the Reform of Criminal Law.