IT SEMINAR FOR PRACTITIONERS

LAWASIA, in conjunction with the Law Society of the NT, is proud to invite local practitioners to a half-day seminar, at which two of Australia's leading experts on information technology and e-commerce laws will step attendees through the latest developments in the law. The seminar will provide an invaluable introduction to the law for those who have little experience, as well as an update on current issues for those who are regularly involved in this area of practice.

Dr Gordon Hughes is a partner in national firm Blake Dawson Waldron, and has practised extensively in the area of information technology law and particularly IT outsourcing, for many years. Gordon has authored and coauthored several well-respected legal texts in his chosen area. As well as being the Chair of LAWASIA's Computers and Technology Standing Committee, Gordon is President-elect of LAWASIA, the immediate past President of the Law Council of Australia and was formerly President of the Victorian Society for Computers and the Law.

Mr Peter Barratt is the national head of Minter Ellison's Media Practice group and a partner in the Technology and Communications group. In addition to his role as Chair of LAWASIA's Media and Communications Standing Committee, Peter has served as Chair to the Law Council's Media and Communications Committee, Special Counsel to the Telecommunications Industry Ombudsman and in a long list of related roles. He has published widely and has given numerous papers at national and international conferences.

The program:

Session 1 (2.00 - 4.00pm)

- 1. Fundamentals of IT contracting
- 2. E-commerce Content legal issues
- 3. Privacy Law developments

Session 2 (4.15 - 6.00 pm)

- 4. Defamation on the Net
- 5. Drafting web terms and conditions
- 6. Jurisdictional issues in e-commerce

Who should attend:

- legal practitioners, paralegals
- accountancy professionals
- government /private sector IT managers

Cost:

- LAWASIA member \$165 (incl GST)
- LAWASIA non-member \$195 (includes LAWASIA membership for final quarter of 2000/2001 year; incl GST)



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 Special NT seminar/membership package: \$300 (includes seminar, LAWASIA membership for 2000/2001 & 2001/2002 membership year, representing a saving of \$30+ on normal membership fees; incl GST)

Please direct all enquiries and registration to:

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Where the Waters Meet

A conference on community solutions for indigenous youth justice 1 - 3 June 2001

The Northern Territory Aboriginal Justice Advocacy Committee (NT AJAC) is holding a conference to look at community solutions for indigenous solutions for indigenous youth justice.

Conference presenters will include:

- Traditional elders from remote communities
- Aboriginal representatives talking about programs in their communities
- Young Aboriginal people telling

their stories through song and performance

- Leading youth justice academics and politicians
- Youth and legal service providers

The location

Mandorah is a secluded location on Cox Peninsula — either a 90 minute drive or 15 minute ferry ride from Darwin. The conference will be held a t the Mandorah Beachside Hotel. Accommodation options include cabins on site, camping (bring a swag) or a range of hotel alternatives a ferry ride away.

Extra conference activities

There will be a range of evening activities, will including fireside barbeques and entertainment. There are also hopes for hunting and fishing trips organised by the local Aboriginal community.

For further details contact Sally Barker or Mandy Carlton on 8946 6974 or ntajac@hotmail.com