## FOREWORD

## STATE CONSTITUTIONAL LAW

In 1990 Western Australia is celebrating the centenary of responsible self government. As part of that celebration the Review's Editorial Board has decided to publish, in this special issue of the Review, papers delivered at seminars on state constitutional law held at the University of Western Australia and Parliament House.

All the papers were delivered by persons connected with the Law School at the University of Western Australia, except for the papers by Professor Leshy from the Arizona State University and Gregory Craven from the University of Melbourne.

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