

Northern Territory Young Lawyers

*Annual General Meeting
Election of new NTYL Committee*

Friday, 1 March 2002
From 5.30pm
The Jabiru Bar
Novotel Atrium Hotel
100 The Esplanade Darwin

**Nominations are invited for the following
committee positions:**

**President; Vice President; Secretary;
Treasurer; Social Convenor; and Public
Officer**

**(Nominations may be made between 5.30pm
& 6.00pm at the AGM)**

*A limited amount of
free wine, beer & soft drinks
will be available for all
Current Financial Members
at the conclusion of proceedings.*

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Legal industry looks on the bright side

The Australian legal sector has been judged the most optimistic industry sector by one of the country's largest recruitment firms.

TMP Worldwide surveyed 6007 employers nationally to formulate the TMP Job Index, a major survey which covers the employment intentions of employers of more than three million employees.

The survey covered the quarter from November to January and found that 43.2 percent of Australian legal firms were intending to increase staff and only 2.1 percent will downsize, giving a net effect of 41.1 percent.

most optimistic

TMP Worldwide says that makes the legal sector the most optimistic industry in Australia, with the national all industry net effect at 18 percent.

"Medium size legal firms will be the most prolific recruiters with a net 46.4 percent of companies with between 20 to 200 staff members planning to increase staff numbers," TMP's Jason Johnson says.

"Small legal firms are the least likely to hire new staff in the coming quarter however, in percentage terms, more firms intend to remain steady than any other organisation size."

Mr Johnson says the legal sector is not inclined to use temporary/contract staff.

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