

PHOTO GALLERY - Retirement of John Adams



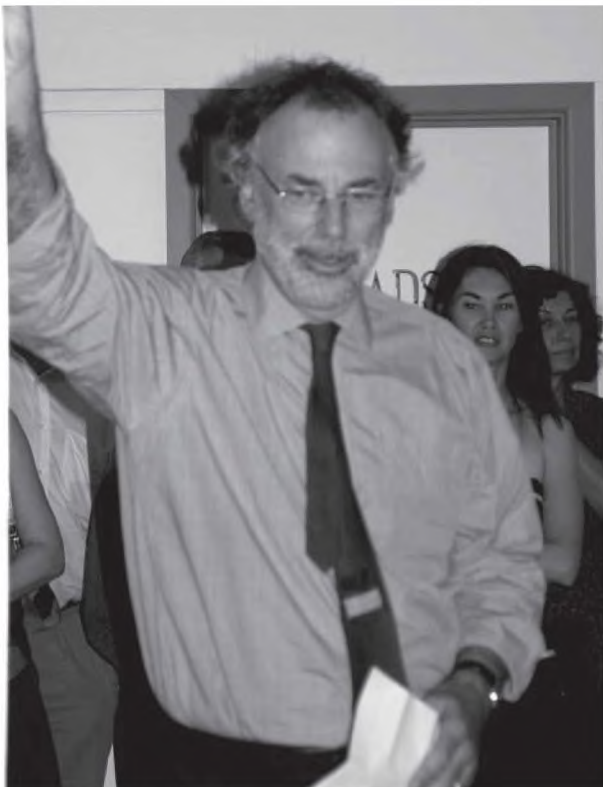
John Adams and Cam Smith



Dave Kingston, Mrs Kingston, Asha McLaren and John Adams



Liz Leahy and Fiona Hardy



Director of Public Prosecutions Richard Coates

On 22 November John Adams celebrated his retirement after 26 years in the Law with a gathering of colleagues, family and friends at Char Restuarant in Darwin.



Graham Bennett, Denise Goodfellow, Justice Sally Thomas, Bev and Sharron.



Justice Sally Thomas



**Calling all
practitioners...**



Legal Services update the Law Handbook ...And we need you!

The NT Legal Aid Commission and Darwin Community Legal Service have received funds from the Law Society Public Purposes Trust Funds to assist in the update and publication of the fourth edition of the Law Handbook.

The Law Handbook is an essential reference tool for a range of community and government organisations in the NT. It is a valuable tool in the operation of the various organisations which offer free legal information and advice to disadvantaged members of the public. This facilitates the provision of legal information to people who would not otherwise be able to receive it, such as people from diverse cultural and linguistic backgrounds.

The Handbook is especially important to assist agencies which provide an after-hours service and those which service regional and remote clients who are isolated from other information and services. The Handbook enables clear and concise legal information to be provided to Indigenous people who speak English as a second language.

The Law Handbook relies on volunteers from the Legal Profession to assist in the updating of the content. This is a great way for the community to see that the spirit of volunteering and concern for the community is alive and well among the Profession. You may be approached in the coming weeks about contributing to the Handbook, so start thinking about how you can contribute to ensuring this Law Handbook is up to date and accessible.



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Tricia Smith and Heather Lewis



Liz Leahy and Fiona Hardy



Kate Carter, Sue Fraser-Adams and Paul Carter.



Jacqui Walker and Vicki Hall



Justice Sally Thomas and Deb Kneebone



Chris Delaney, Lyn Delaney and Julie Franz



Tom Berkley and David Lewis



Bill Priestley, Chief Magistrate Jenny Blokland, Colin McDonald QC

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ABOVE: Shane McGrath and Phil Timney
RIGHT: Dr Val Asche and Len Flanagan



ABOVE: Suzan Cox QC and John Adams
RIGHT: Tiani McNamee, John Adams, Graham Bennett and Tom Berkley



Duncan McNeill and Mark Hunter



ABOVE: Chief Magistrate Jenny Blokland
RIGHT: Michelle Grazner, Ruth Brebner and Therese Austin



Diana Jarvis, Rosemary Campbell and Sharon Wilson



PHOTO GALLERY - Law Society Christmas Drinks



Lisa O'Donoghue and Allison Robertson



The local legal profession turned out in force for this year's Law Society Christmas drinks



Duncan McConnell, David Lisson, Barbara Bradshaw and Alistair Shields



Phil Timney, Kathryn Gleeson, Zoe Marcham and Asha McLaren



Justice Trevor Riley chats to lawyers from the DPP



Merran Short and Tiani McNamee

Law Society NT Christmas Break

***The Law Society Secretariat
will be closed from 5pm
Friday 22 December 2006,
reopening at 8.30am on
Tuesday 2 January 2007.***



***We hope that you have a
Merry Christmas and a Happy
New Year.***

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Craig Smyth, Kevin Cook, Kathryn Gleeson and Phil Timney



Duncan McConnel and Tom Berkley



Lisa O'Donoghue and Kris Norrington.



Law Society Secretariat staff Melissa, Christine and Fiona



Gabrielle Martin and Jenni Daniel-Yee



Michael Jones is now a legal costs consultant.

A Director of Harris Costing, a legal costs consultancy based in Melbourne for almost 20 years, Michael accepts instructions in bills of costs in High Court, Federal Court and Family Court.

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