### CORPORATE LAW TEACHERS' CONFERENCE 1991 UNIVERSITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES LAW SCHOOL

The venue for all sessions, unless otherwise shown, is the Hal Wootten Moot Court, Room 1039 in the Law School, located on level 10 in the Library Tower

#### **MONDAY FEBRUARY 4, 1991**

**8.30 am REGISTRATION AND COFFEE** (Law School Staff Common Room, Room 1121 on level 11

#### 9.10 am WELCOME

# 9.20 am THE STRUCTURE AND ELEMENTS OF THE NEW NATIONAL COMPANIES AND SECURITIES SCHEME

Associate Professor Paul Redmond Faculty of Law, University of New South Wales

# 10.00 am ENFORCEMENT POWERS AND STRATEGIES OF THE AUSTRALIAN SECURITIES COMMISSION

Mr Ralph Watzlaff Senior Legal Consultant, Australian Securities Commission

#### 10.40 am MORNING TEA

#### 11.00 am CHANGES TO THE TAKEOVER PROVISIONS

Mr Stephen Minns, Partner, Mallesons Stephen Jaques

#### 11.40 am CORPORATE FUNDRAISING AND THE NEW PROSPECTUS REQUIREMENTS

Mr Kerry Bennett, Partner,

Clayton Utz

#### 12.20 am INSIDER TRADING AND OTHER SECURITIES MARKET OFFENCES

Professor Roman Tomasic

Faculty of Management, University of Canberra

#### 1.00 PM LUNCH

# 2.00 PM DIRECTORS' AND INTER CORPORATE LOANS

Mr John Kluver, Executive Director

Companies and Securities Advisory Committee

## 2.40 PM DEVELOPMENTS IN LAW RELATING TO DIRECTORS' FIDUCIARY DUTIES

Ms Stephanie Rees, Department of Law James Cook University of North Queensland

#### 3.20 PM AFTERNOON TEA

#### 3.40 PM DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS' LIABILITY FOR INSOLVENT TRADING

Mr Abe Herzberg, Dept of Accounting and Finance, Monash University

#### 4.20 PM THE PROTECTION OF MINORITY SHAREHOLDERS

Ms Jennifer Hill, Faculty of Law, University of Sydney

(Session concludes at 5.00 PM)

#### 7.00 PM CONFERENCE DINNER: THE UNIVERSITY CLUB (REVIEW VENUE

Guest Speaker: Mr Tony Hartnell

Chairman, Australian Securities Commission

#### **TUESDAY FEBRUARY 5, 1991**

# 9.15 am CORPORATE LAW IN THE 1990's: REFLECTIONS FOR TEACHING AND RESEARCH

Keynote speakers:

Mr Ray Schoer, National Director, Companies, Australian Stock Exchange (formerly Executive Director, National Companies and Securities Commission)

Mr Leigh Hall, Chief Manager, Investment Division, AMP Society and Chairman, Australian Investment Managers Group

#### 10.30 am MORNING TEA

# 11.00 am CORPORATE LAW TEACHING: COMMON PROBLEMS AND SOME UNCOMMON SOLUTIONS

WORKSHOP A: for those teaching in Business Law disciplines

Law School Room 1039

Mr Bruce Gordon, University of New South Wales

Ms Rajee Johnson, Phillip Institute of Technology

Mrs Rosalind Mason, University College of Southern Queensland

Mr Robert Rouse, Charles Sturt University (Mitchell)

### WORKSHOP B: for those teaching within a Law School

Venue: Law School Room 1042

Ms Suzanne Corcoran, University of Adelaide

Mrs Sally Sievers, Monash University Ms Julia Tolmie, University of Sydney

Professor John Lessing, Bond University

#### 12.00 PM ELECTIVE WORKSHOP SESSIONS

# WORKSHOP C: THE PLACE OF THEORY IN CORPORATE LAW TEACHING AND

RESEARCH

Venue: Law School Room 1039

Convenors:

Mr Angus Corbett and Mr lan Ramsay

Faculty of Law, University of New South Wales

### WORKSHOP D: RESEARCHING THE HISTORY OF COMPANY LAW IN AUSTRALIA AND

ENGLAND: PITFALLS FOR THE UNWARY

Venue: Law School Room 1038

Convenor:

Mr Rob McQueen, Dept of Legal Studies, La Trobe University

#### WORKSHOP E: THE TEACHING OF COMPANY LAW IN GRADUATE COURSES

Venue: Law School Room 1042

Convenor:

Mr Phillip Lipton, Dept of Accountancy, RMIT

#### 1.00PM LUNCH

### 2.00 PM CORPORATE LAW RESEARCH: ISSUES, INITIATIVES AND AGENDAS

Professor Bob Baxt, Chairman, Trade Practices Commission

Emeritus Professor HAJ Ford (Chairman, Companies and Securities Law Review Committee 1983-1990)

Professor Peter Swan, Freehill, Hollingdale & Page

Professor of Management in the field of Law and Economics

Australian Graduate School of Management

# 3.20 AFTERNOON TEA

**3.40 WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?** The value and form of further group activities

(Session to conclude by 4.30 PM)