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Local Government Key Legislation

This database is part of the Brookers Local Government Library containing: Local Government Key Legislation; Local Government Associated Legislation; Cases; Sale of Liquor; and Sale of Liquor Practice and Procedure. Databases within this library are hyperlinked for ease of navigation between legislation, case law and commentary.

Derivation

Local Government Key Legislation originates in a two-volume updating looseleaf service known as Brookers Local Government Law in New Zealand, published in 2003.

The database contains legislation key to the operational scope of local and regional authorities.

Media

This database is available in book, CD and Online.

Key Contents of Database

This database is a collection of legislation key to the powers and duties of local authorities in New Zealand. It covers the Local Government Act 2002, Local Government Act 1974 (provisions still in force), Local Government (Rating) Act 2002, and more. In-depth commentary is provided for most of the Acts contained in this database. It also contains a Table of Statutes and Regulations, Table of Cases and Subject Index.

Contents Unique to this Database

This database includes in-depth author commentary, including Introductions to each Act. The database is usefully organised under topic headings for ease of navigation.

The topics covered are:

- Local Government Act 2002 and 1974 Act Provisions Still in Force
- Elections
- Members' Interests
- Official Information and Meetings
- Land Transport
- Public Audit
- Rates

Currency of Content

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Selection Criteria for Inclusion in Database

Materials are included subject to editorial judgment on the basis of their added value and links to this database.

Citations

This product may be cited as: Brooker's Local Government Key Legislation, Wellington, Brookers, 2006.

Paragraph Prefixes

Commentary paragraphs are preceded by a 2 letter prefix, usually relating to the relevant statute. For example, PB2.04 is the first commentary paragraph for s 2 of the Public Bodies Contracts Act 1959.

As well as the normal commentary paragraphs written by authors, this database also contains annotations written by legal editors. Annotations are a feature of the former DSL Local Government Library and are a concise mention of how a particular case affects a piece of legislation. They are grouped together under the heading "DSL Publishing case notes" and are preceded by a two-letter prefix relating to the relevant statute and the number .100. For example, MI6.100 is the first annotations paragraph for s 6 Local Authorities (Members' Interests) Act 1968.

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Local Government Associated Legislation

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Derivation

Local Government Associated Legislation originates in a five-volume updating looseleaf service known as McVeagh's Local Government Law, first published in 1982 and revised in 1992.

In addition, this database includes Local Legislation and additional legislation from the former DSL Local Government Library. This database contains over 1,500 Acts and Regulations.

Media

This database is available in book, CD and Online.

Key Contents of Database

This database contains a comprehensive collection of legislation associated to the practice of local government. It contains Acts, Regulations and commentary relating to a number of topics such as public works, bylaws, dog control, fencing, reserves and roads. It also contains a Table of Statutes and Regulations, Table of Cases and Subject Index.

Contents Unique to this Database

Over 1,500 statutes and regulations covering all areas of local authority practice, plus commentary. The database is usefully organised under topic headings for ease of navigation.

The topics covered are:

- Airports
- Animals
- Public Finance
- Biosecurity
- Bylaws
- Cemetaries & Crematoria
- Civil Defence
- Contracts & Leasing
- Dog Control
- Energy
- Fencing
- Forests & Fire Protection
- Harbours & Harbour Boards

- Historic Places
- Impounding of Stock
- Insurance
- Interpretation
- Land Development
- Litter
- Local Government Act 1974 (complete archived version)
- Maori Land
- Miscellaneous
- Official Information
- Plumbing
- Privacy
- Public Health
- Public Reserves
- Public Works
- Resource Management — Transitional Provisions
- Roading & Transport
- Smoke-free Environments
- Telecommunications
- Travelling Allowances
- Water & Soil

Currency of Content

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Selection Criteria for Inclusion in Database

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Citations

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Paragraph Prefixes

Commentary paragraphs are preceded by a 2 letter prefix, usually relating to the relevant statute. For example, LG20.01 is the first commentary paragraph for s 20 of the Local Government Act 2002.

As well as the normal commentary paragraphs written by authors, this database also contains annotations written by legal editors. Annotations are a feature of the former DSL Local Government Library and are a concise mention of how a particular case affects a piece of legislation. They are grouped together under the heading “DSL Publishing case notes” and are preceded by a two-letter prefix relating to the relevant statute and the number .100. For example, BL17.100 is the first annotations paragraph for s 17 Bylaws Act 1910.

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Brookers Local Government – Cases

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Derivation

Contains cases from the former Planning Tribunal, Environment Court, Maori Land Court, District Court, High Court, Court of Appeal, Privy Council, Supreme Court and House of Lords.

Contains around 1800 cases dating back as far as 1868 (Rylands v Fletcher).

All cases have extensive synopses.

Media

This database is available in CD and Online.

Key Contents of Database

Comprehensive collection of cases relevant to the powers and duties of local authorities, rates, public works, bylaws, dog control, fencing, elections and transport and a range of other topics pertaining to local government law.

Each decision has:

- A header containing the name, number, court, date, counsel, cross references to other report series, cases and texts cited, statute and regulations cited and number of hard copy pages;
- Keywords;
- Annotations (if relevant) which are linked to the legislation;
- If published as the Environmental Law Reports of New Zealand, the report head note;
- A synopsis;
- A link to the imaged copy of the decision (this image is a court admissible document);
- A searchable full text version of the decision.

Contents Unique to This Database

Over 1800 cases covering all areas of local authority practice. All cases have a synopsis and image file of the full text court admissible decision. All decisions are key-worded for active topic searching.

Currency of Content

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Selection Criteria for Inclusion in Database

Case law is selected by the editor.

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Citations

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Sale of Liquor Practice and Procedure

This database is part of the Brookers Local Government Library containing: Local Government Key Legislation; Local Government Associated Legislation; Cases; Sale of Liquor; and Sale of Liquor Practice and Procedure. Databases within this library are hyperlinked for ease of navigation between legislation, case law and commentary.

Derivation

This database originated from the original material.

Media

This database is available in CD and Online.

Key Contents of Database

Contains commentary, checklists, standard letters, supporting materials, authored precedents and statutory forms for licences and licensed premises, managers' certificates, appeals, resource consents and wine making.

Contents Unique to This Database

The Sale of Liquor Practice and Procedure infobase contains a range of documents covering the following areas:

- Licences and licensed premises
- Appeals
- Manager's certificates
- Resource consents
- Wine Makers
- Checklists
- Standard letters
- Host responsibility
- Authored Precedents
- Statutory Forms based on the Sale of Liquor and Wine Makers Regulations

All of the Brookers Practice and Procedure topics contain:

- Statutory forms
- Authored precedents
- Specific clauses to add to documents
- Removable editorial notes to explain various sections within a document
- Checklists
- Sample letters
- Plain English procedural commentary

Currency of Content

This subscription service is updated to maintain currency in line with legislative changes,

case law development and any other relevant considerations. Typically you will receive 2 CD and Online updates per year. Update size and frequency may vary depending on the volume of change.

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Sources

Cases from the High Court and Court of Appeal.

Selection Criteria for Inclusion in Database

Case law is selected by the authors.

Commentary is provided by the authors.

Editorial judgment is used to format precedents.

Materials are included on the basis of their added value and links to this database.

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Sale of Liquor

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Derivation

This database originates from a one-volume updating looseleaf service dating from 1990 known as Sale of Liquor.

Media

This database is available in book, CD and Online.

Key Contents of Database

Sale of Liquor contains the Sale of Liquor Act 1989, Sale of Liquor Regulations 1990, Licensing Fund Act 1989, Innkeepers Act 1962, Wine Act 2003 and Trespass Act 1980. Both the Sale of Liquor Act and the Sale of Liquor Regulations include commentary written by an expert author panel.

Sale of Liquor also contains an Introduction outlining the history of the 1989-90 liquor legislation, with a critical analysis. Sale of Liquor includes Appendices containing flowcharts, checklists, working guides, model documents, and important names and addresses. It includes Annual Reports of the Liquor Licensing Authority, containing not merely statistics, but also the Authority's detailed comments on the working of the Sale of Liquor Act 1989 and the desirability or otherwise of amending it.

Sale of Liquor contains a Table of Cases, Table of Statutes and Regulations, and a Subject Index.

Currency of Content

This subscription service will be updated to maintain currency in line with legislative changes, case law development, and any other relevant considerations. Typically you will receive 6 CD and Online updates per year. Update size and frequency may vary depending on the volume of change.

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Sources

Contains cases from the Liquor Licensing Authority, District Court, Environment Court, High Court and Court of Appeal.

Selection Criteria for Inclusion in Database

Case law is selected by the authors.

Commentary is provided by the authors.

Materials are included on the basis of their added value and links to this database.

Citations

This publication may be cited as: Brookers Sale of Liquor, Wellington, 1990

Paragraph Prefixes

Each commentary paragraph is preceded by a two-letter prefix relating to the relevant statute. For example, SL4.04 is the first commentary paragraph for s 4 Sale of Liquor Act 1989.

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