

Associate Professor Anthony P Moore



THANK YOU TO AP MOORE

This is the last issue of the *Adelaide Law Review* for which Associate Professor Anthony P Moore is responsible, following his resignation from the University of Adelaide to take up an appointment at the Law School of The Flinders University of South Australia. It marks the end of an era in which Professor Moore has played a unique personal role in making the University of Adelaide one of the largest, most significant non-commercial centres for the publication of legal periodicals and other law materials in Australia.

It is a record without parallel in Australian Law Schools, marked not only by the continuation and enhancement of the Adelaide Law Review under his editorship, by the establishment of the Corporate and Business Law Journal, the South Australian Planning and Environment Decisions loose leaf service (under his editorship), the transfer of the editing and the publication of An Annual Survey of Australian Law to Adelaide (under his joint editorship), the issue of monographs and books under the imprint of the Adelaide Law Review Association, including The Study of Law, Essays in Administrative Law, Essays on Legislative Drafting, Unfair Dismissal in South Australia, and The Adequacy of Common Law Damages. He has also given his support and encouragement to the foundation of the Australian Journal of Legal History, the first issue of which is due to be published later this year. The success of these ventures has owed much to Professor Moore's business acumen and the outstanding ability he has shown in developing the editing and production requirements relating to them.

Under Professor Moore's guidance, the publications of the Adelaide Law Review Association have maintained and expanded the role of the University of Adelaide Law School as an important centre of legal scholarship. At the same time, they have provided a unique service to the South Australian legal profession and the wider local community. In large part this is due to Professor Moore's capacity to blend the pursuit of academic excellence with a clear understanding that law cannot be isolated from the practical day to day circumstances which expose its real character and meaning.

Professor Moore has also encouraged and extended the involvement of students and recent graduates in the Law School's publishing activities. This has provided many with very special opportunities to develop high level skills in legal writing and research. For a number it has made it possible for them to gain an acknowledged standing for their expertise considerably in advance of the norm. It is not the least of the very important contributions he has made to the University of Adelaide Law School.

We thank him for all the interest and all the hard work over so many years and we wish him well in his new undertakings.