

Notes from the Executive Director

One cool wet morning ...

It seems like a fairytale now; but 4 days of packing, two semi-trailers and 4 days of unpacking later, ALIA has a new national headquarters office in Canberra.



Kilners expertly removed the Association's belongings from LAA House (Sydney), and just as expertly delivered them on a cool, wet Canberra morning to the temporary office in Barton, ACT.

A group of the Association's staff from the Sydney office have temporarily relocated to Canberra. They have worked untiringly preparing for the move and the re-establishment of the office in Canberra. Unpacking 125 cubic

metres of cardboard boxes is an exhausting task by anyone's standards!

These same staff members are now busily training new staff in the Association's operation and procedures. They will then return to Sydney at times varying from 2 to 8 weeks.

New staff members yet to begin employment with the Association are the Industrial Information Officer, the Division Support Officer and the *InCite* Managing Editor. The positions of Membership Services Manager and Financial Services Manager are yet to be filled.

Thank you for your patience and consideration during the move. We look forward to providing you again with the fast, friendly and efficient service you have come to expect from your national headquarters staff.

Sue Kosse
Executive Director, ALIA

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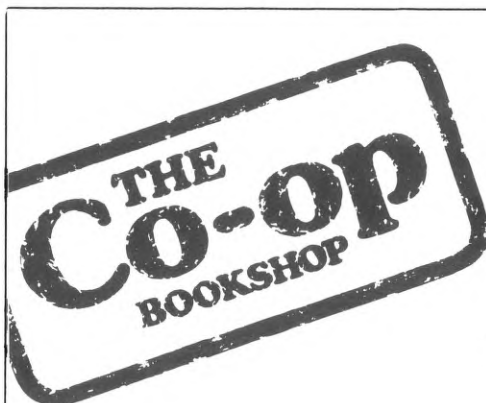
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