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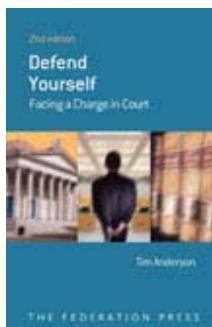
List of current titles



The bankruptcy handbook. 2nd ed

Author: Betty Weule, Wayne Warburton and Richard Brading
Publisher: Federation Press
Date: 2007
ISBN: 9781862876217
Price: \$29.95

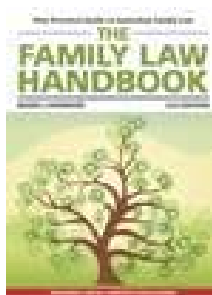
Provides an overview of the legal and financial processes for people facing bankruptcy. It includes a guide to filling out the ITSA Statement of Affairs, case studies, alternatives to bankruptcy, and the relationship between bankruptcy and family law.



Defend yourself: facing a charge in court. 2nd ed

Author: Tim Anderson
Publisher: Federation Press
Date: 2008
ISBN: 9781862876866
Price: \$29.95

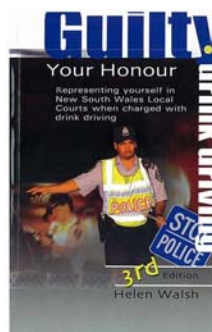
A practical guide to defending a criminal charge in court which covers arrest and questioning, bail, dealing with lawyers, court procedure, how to plead, hearings and trials, preparation, evidence, proof, examination in court, sentencing, and appeals.



The family law handbook. 2nd ed

Author: Maree Livermore
Publisher: Thomson Reuters
Date: 2009
ISBN: 9780455227535
Price: \$79.00

A practical guide to family law, which includes information on what to do after the breakdown of a marriage or de facto relationship, negotiating with your former partner, the court process, the mandatory dispute resolution processes, property settlement, and making the best possible arrangements for your children. It also contains samples of parenting plan provisions, court orders, forms and affidavits that can be adapted for individual use.



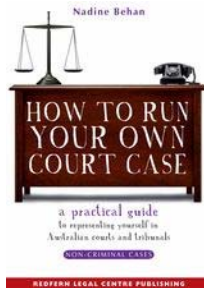
Guilty your honour: representing yourself in NSW local courts when charged with drink driving. 3rd ed

Author: Helen Walsh
Publisher: Walsh Publishing
Date: 2006
ISBN: 0646466216
Price: \$27.95

Helps ensure that defendants to drink driving charges are well prepared, answering questions about the charge and penalties, whether to plead guilty, whether to get a lawyer, how to prepare for court, and what happens on the day of court.

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How to run your own court case: a practical guide to representing yourself in Australian courts and tribunals (non-criminal cases)

Author: Nadine Behan

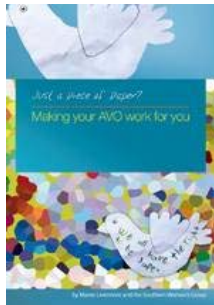
Publisher: Redfern Legal Centre Publishing, available from UNSW Press

Date: 2009

ISBN: 9781921410833

Price: \$34.95

A simple, practical how-to guide to representing yourself in a non-criminal court or tribunal. It applies Australia-wide and covers all areas of non-criminal law, including debt, consumer claims, landlord and tenant issues, family law, and appeals of government decisions. The book can be used by both the person bringing the action and someone defending an action brought against them.



Just a piece of paper? Making your AVO work for you. 2nd ed

Author: Maree Livermore

Publisher: Southern Women's Group, some copies available from LIAC

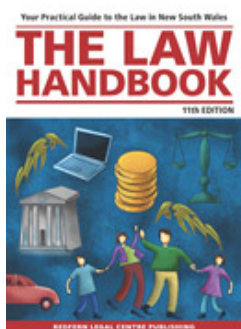
Date: 2008

ISBN: 9780646483863

Price: \$3.30

Also available at: www.thebegavalley.org.au/uploads/media/JaPoP_Book09.pdf

This booklet is designed to help women understand their rights and responsibilities once they have obtained an Apprehended Violence Order (AVO), and gives suggestions and strategies for making an AVO more effective. It covers police response, the importance of reporting breaches, personal record keeping, aiding and abetting/entrapment, cross AVOs, AVOs and children, AVOs and family law, varying an AVO, and following up on police action.



The law handbook: your practical guide to the law in New South Wales. 11th ed

Publisher: Thomson Reuters

Date: 2009

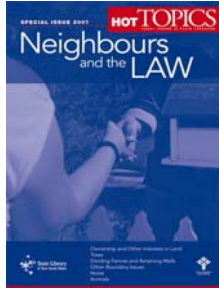
ISBN: 9780455227429

Price: \$95.00

A plain English guide to the law in NSW, with 45 chapters covering just about everything you need to know about the law, including banking, children and young people, criminal law, driving and traffic law, drug offences, health law, housing, neighbours, and privacy.

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Neighbours and the law

Publisher: LIAC, State Library of NSW. Hot Topics Special Issue

Date: 2008

Price: \$22.00. Free to NSW public libraries

This booklet focuses on legal issues between neighbours, looking at some of the common disputes between neighbours such as boundary positions, fencing work, neighbourhood noise, and pet animals. It covers what a person's rights are and what steps, both legal and practical, you can take to address a problem.



Seniors guide: consumer information for older Australians

Author: Office of Fair Trading

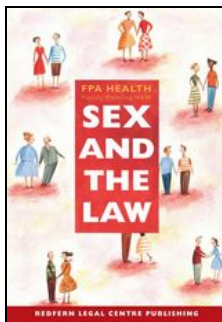
Date: September 2009

ISBN: 0734760825

Price: Free

Also available at: www.fairtrading.nsw.gov.au/pdfs/About_us/Publications/ft115.pdf

Designed for seniors, this guide gives information on where to live, buying a car, shopping wisely, travel, managing the future, and what to do if things go wrong.



Sex and the law: a guide for health and community workers in New South Wales

Author: FPA Health and Christina Read

Publisher: Redfern Legal Centre Publishing, available from UNSW Press

Date: 2006

ISBN: 0947205950

Price: \$9.95

A clear and concise guide to the law relating to sexual matters in NSW. It includes case studies, and highlights areas of particular concern such as consent to medical treatment, the provision of contraception to young people, and confidentiality.



The share housing survival guide. 2nd ed

Publisher: Redfern Legal Centre

Date: 2005

ISBN: 0958785635

Price: Out of print

Available at: www.rlc.org.au/sharehousing/

Designed to give people ideas about dealing with some of the legal and other problems common in share housing, such as looking for a place, the legal situation of tenants, paying bills, problems with the landlord, and moving out.

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Strata living: what you need to know about living in your strata community

Author: Office of fair Trading

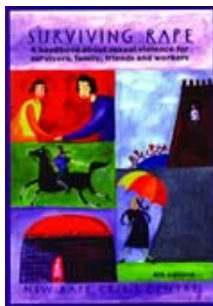
Date: June 2009

ISBN: 073476071X

Price: Free

Also available at: www.fairtrading.nsw.gov.au/pdfs/About_us/Publications/ft045.pdf

Gives a clear guide to strata schemes, including information on the legislation, owners corporation, caretakers and building managers, and agents.



Surviving rape: a handbook about rape for survivors, family, friends and workers. 4th ed

Author: NSW Rape Crisis Centre

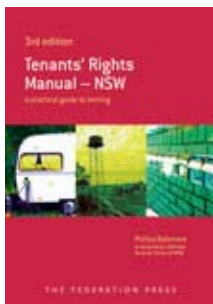
Publisher: Redfern Legal Centre Publishing, available from UNSW Press

Date: 2002

ISBN: 0947205829

Price: \$29.95

Gives women the information they need to find help and support, answering questions about sexual assault services, legal rights, reporting to police, going to court, and compensation.



Tenants' rights manual: a practical guide to renting in NSW. 3rd ed

Author: Phillipa Bellemore & the Tenants' Union of NSW

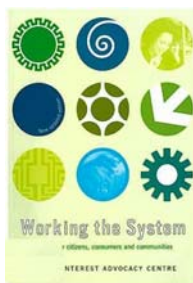
Publisher: Federation Press

Date: 2007

ISBN: 9781862875579

Price: \$22.95

Clearly explains what rights tenants have, and shows how problems and disputes can be solved before they become major hassles. It includes sample letters.



Working the system: a guide for citizens, consumers and communities. 2nd ed

Author: Beverley Duffy

Publisher: Public Interest Advocacy Centre, available from Federation Press

Date: 2003

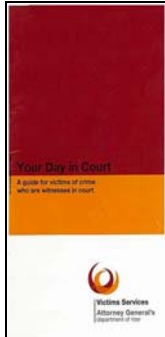
ISBN: 0958669457

Price: \$27.50

Designed to equip individuals and communities with the knowledge and skills necessary to participate in and influence government decision making.

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Your day in court: a guide for victims of crime who are witnesses in court

(The booklet comes with a 30 minute video/DVD which can be included in your loan collection)

Publisher: Victims Services NSW

Date: May 2005

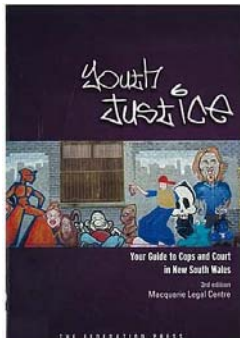
ISBN: 0947205659

Price: Out of print

Available at:

www.lawlink.nsw.gov.au/lawlink/victimsservices/ll_vs.nsf/pages/VS_publicationscourt

This booklet outlines the court process and highlights some particular issues for victims as witnesses. It explains the role of witness and where it fits in from the arrest of the suspect to the final decision about the case.



Youth justice: your guide to cops and court in NSW. 3rd ed

Author: Jane Sanders and Ragnii Grainger

Publisher: Federation Press

Date: 2003

ISBN: 1862874794

Price: \$49.95

Supplements to this title can be found at: www.federationpress.com.au/

Click on Book Supplements

A comprehensive and practical guide to the police and criminal justice system in NSW for children and young people in contact with the system and anyone supporting them, such as lawyers, social workers, youth workers, teachers, counsellors, or parents.