



New copyright exceptions

In May 2006, the government announced it would introduce new exceptions to copyright infringement. These include exceptions to allow:

- "time-shifting" of television programs and "space-shifting" of music and other material for private use,
- "fair use" by educational and cultural institutions and libraries, and
- fair use for parody and satire.

The speakers will look at the background to the announcement and the government's proposed amendments.

Speakers:

Carolyn Dalton Senior Associate, Minter Ellison Lawyers

When:

5:00pm presentation, followed by drinks at about 7:00pm
(registration and welcome drinks from 4:30 PM)

Where:

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Forthcoming CSA functions 2006

Tuesday 19 September 2006: Technological protection measures

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Speakers: Carolyn Dalton, Minter Ellison; David Brennan, University of Melbourne

When: 19 September 2006, 6:15pm presentation, followed by drinks at about 7:15pm (registration from 5:45pm)

Where: Minter Ellison, Minter Ellison, Aurora Place, 88 Phillip Street, Sydney NSW

Cost: \$44 (members of CSA); \$66 (non-members); \$10 (full-time students) (prices include GST)

More at www.copyright.asn.au/f06n03.htm

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More at www.copyright.asn.au/f06n04.htm

Tuesday 7 November 2006: New copyright exceptions (see over)

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- The Hon Philip Ruddock, Attorney-General
- Richard Owens, World Intellectual Property Organization
- Professor Sam Ricketson
- Brett Cottle, International Confederation of Societies of Authors and Composers
- Peter Shepherd, International Federation of Reprographic Rights Organisations
- Sabiene Heindl, Music Industry Piracy Investigations

Topics include:

- Government's copyright reform agenda
- Future of collective management
- Google library project
- Kazaa: the aftermath
- New business models for copyright content
- Technological responses to infringement

When: 8 November 2006

Where: the Mint, Macquarie Street, Sydney

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More at www.copyright.org.au/s06sy18.htm

Thursday 7 December 2006: End of year function

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