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HAWAII WOMEN LAWYERS NEWSLETTER

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AUGUST MEETING

DATE: Friday, August 26, 1983

TIME: 12:00 Noon - 1:15 p.m.

PLACE: Hoddick, Reinwald, O'Connor & Marrack
Conference Room, 24th Floor, PRI Bldg., Grosvenor Center

AGENDA: "Social Change and Rape Law in Hawaii". We are proud to have Mr. Peter Nelligan speak to the membership on the topic of his recently published doctoral thesis which deals with the social history of Hawaii's rape laws from pre-missionary laws to the present.

August Cocktail Party: HWL's cocktail party over at Zachary's was held in lieu of our July monthly meeting and from the reports of those who attended, it was a great success. It was suggested that HWL should host many more happy hours throughout the year. Anyone interested in this project and possibly establishing a special Happy Hour Committee please contact Dona Hanaike (548-8929) or Charlene Norris (524-8350).

Children's Protective Services Center Advisory Committee: HWL's representatives are unable to continue serving on this Committee. We would like to thank both Faye Kimura and Frances Wong for their past participation on the Committee and their helpful assistance to the HWL Board. If anyone is interested in serving on this Committee, please contact Dona Hanaike (548-8929). Additionally, HWL has included in their library a copy of "Inventory of Child Abuse/Neglect Services in Hawaii" published by the Office of Children and Youth.

Job Referral: The Federal Public Defender's Office has a part-time paralegal position open for anyone interested in part-time work in legal research/writing/criminal law. Interested people should call fellow member Yvonne E. Chotzen, Assistant Public Defender at 546-7304.

Medical Claims Conciliation Panel: The M CCP is seeking attorneys to serve on their panels. Anyone interested should contact Mr. Leo Rodbyat at 548-6245 (for info about M CCP call Lea Crandall at 548-3963).

1984 Legislation: The HWL Board is firming up their legislative program for the upcoming 1984 legislative session. Presently, the HWL Board is dividing its efforts into two areas: HWL program and HWL endorsements of non-program topics. HWL is considering focusing on only two subject areas: 1) comparable worth, and 2) discrimination in private clubs. Further, HWL is considering a procedure to handle endorsement of topics sponsored by other organizations and HWL members. If anyone is interested in serving on the legislative committee (in any capacity) or has comments on the above, please contact Dona Hanaike at 548-8929 or Charlene Norris at 524-8350.

13th Far West Regional Conferences on Women and the Law: The regional counterpart to the National Conference on Women & the law will be held on October 7 - 9, 1983 at the University of the Pacific, McGeorge School of Law in Sacramento, CA. Subjects to be discussed are: career alternatives, criminal law, domestic relations and family law, lawyering techniques, political arena for women, social change through law, and employment discrimination/labor law. For more information, please contact Charlene Norris at 524-8350.

NOW Action Alert: NOW is seeking donations to lobby in support of the "Non-Discrimination Insurance Act" which is being fought by insurance lobbyists. Interested persons should send their contributions to NOW, P. O. Box 7813, Washington, D.C. 20044, c/o Emergency Campaign for Equality in Insurance.

Membership: The HWL Board is winding down their Summer 1983-84 membership drive. For those people who are not sure if they have paid, please note the address sticker on your newsletter. If there is an asterisk by your name, then you are a current dues paying member. If there is an asterisk in parenthesis (*) by your name, then you were a dues paying member last year but have not paid this year. Contact Haunani Burns at 548-3854 if you have any questions.

Law Office Available: Marguerite Simson has notified HWL that her office will be available for one year after October 1st for use by an attorney who is a sole practitioner or who would like to become one. Marguerite shares a pleasant, well equipped suite and one secretary with one other experienced attorney. For further info, contact Marguerite at 942-4456.

Federally Employed Women's Legal & Education Fund, Inc.: This tax-exempt corporation provides a referral list of participating attorneys to assist federal employees when

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confronted with unlawful discrimination. Inclusion on the list does not require a fee but entails adoption of certain fee schedules. For more info, contact Dona Hanaike at 548-8929.

Reminder: HWL Board meeting, Thursday, September 8, 1983. HWL Foundation Board meeting, Wednesday, September 21, 1983.

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