

ASSOCIATIONS INCORPORATION REFORM ACT

- 12 month transition period commencing November 26, 2012 after which time the new Model Rules for associations will take effect.
- Model Rules will apply to all incorporated associations and in the event of inconsistency will over-ride an association's own Rules, Constitution, etc.
- Any changes to an association's Rules from now on require that all of those Rules must be compliant with the new Model Rules, and particularly Schedule 1 of the Act.
- the Act now describes as Secretary the role that had previously been the Public Officer. The same person can fill both the previous Secretary and Public Officer roles.

Documents from CAV sessions

- ▣ <http://www.consumer.vic.gov.au/clubs-and-not-for-profits/incorporated-associations>
- ▣ PilchConnect Handbook for Secretaries.
- ▣ Adapting to New Laws
- ▣ Association Rules
- ▣ Disciplinary Actions and Grievance Procedures
- ▣ Annual cycle and financial reporting
- ▣ Membership and meetings
- ▣ Role of Secretary, committee and office holders
- ▣ Legal changes affecting incorporated associations
- ▣ Cancellation and winding up
- ▣ CAV presentation