## The Intellectual Property Society of Australia and New Zealand Inc Prize

The Intellectual Property Society of Australia and New Zealand Inc is pleased to announce the inaugural competition for the IPSANZ Prize for an essay on a topic of the author's choice regarding intellectual property.

The prize will comprise the sum of \$2,000 AUD plus complimentary attendance at the IPSANZ Annual Conference in August 1998 in New Zealand including accommodation and return economy airfare from within Australia or New Zealand. It is intended that the Prize will be presented at the Conference. The winning entry will be published in *Intellectual Property Forum*, the official journal of IPSANZ.

## **COMPETITION RULES**

 Entries must be unpublished essays which are the original work of the author.

- 2. It is expected that entries would be between 5,000 and 10,000 words in length although there is no strict word limit. Entries should be substantive works displaying original thinking in an area of intellectual property of the author's choice.
- 3. Airfares, accommodation and entry to the IPSANZ Conference are non-transferable and not redeemable for cash. In the case of a winning entry from a country other that Australia or New Zealand a monetary contribution representing the cost of a return economy airfare from the east coast of Australia to New Zealand will be made.
- The decision of the judging panel will be final and no correspondence will be entered into. The judging panel will retain the discretion not to award the Prize.

- 5. Three copies of each entry should be submitted, typed, double-spaced and on A4 paper. Footnotes should appear at the end of the essay. Entries should include a summary of the essay (50–100 words). Entrants should be accompanied by a separate detached page giving the author's name and contact details and a short biography. No identification of the author should appear on the entry itself.
- 6. Closing date for entries is 1 May 1998.

## Entries should be sent to:

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