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The Rule of Law Institute of Australia today announced it would be supporting the INAUGURAL CONFERENCE OF THE CENTRE FOR LEGAL GOVERNANCE, MACQUARIE LAW SCHOOL

Tomorrow's Law: Disclosure of Information -
Balancing Public and Private Interests

18 Nov 2011

Richard Gilbert , RoLIA CEO, said: RoLIA congratulates MU Law School and the Australian Academy of Law for their initiative in developing such a critical forum on a key rule of law issue. The conference will address issues which are of on-going concern for the state of our democracy and the rule of law, and include whistleblowing, censorship and classification, and journalism and the public interest.

RoLIA notes that the key note speaker will be **Ms Jennifer Robinson**, Finers Stephens Innocent (London), lawyer for Julian Assange (Wikileaks). Other speakers include

Professor AJ Brown
Griffith University

Allan Kessing
Retired Australian
Customs Officer

Paul Chadwick
Director of Editorial
Policies, ABC

Donald McDonald AC
Director, Classification
Board

Professor Terry Flew

Peter Leonard
Partner, Gilbert + Tobin Lawyers

Emeritus Professor
Michael Chesterman
FAAL, University of NSW

Professor Sarah Joseph
Director, Castan Centre
for Human Rights Law

Gail Hambly
Group General Counsel
Fairfax Media

Peter Timmins

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Commission

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For further information please contact RoLIA on 02 9251 8000 or visit the Conference web site on http://www.accessmq.com.au/MQ_AALconference to register

Regards

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