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W.G. HART WORKSHOP 1990

DISCRIMINATION AND LAW

Enclosed please find the summary papers for the W.G. HART WORKSHOP 1990. Longer versions of the papers will be available at the Workshop. A provisional programme is also enclosed and the organisers of the Workshop would be grateful if you would indicate which discussion groups/workshops you are likely to attend.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

WORKSHOP SESSIONS

The main sessions will take place in the Lecture Theatre (L1 Level). The Discussion Groups will be located in the seminars rooms adjacent to the Lecture Theatre. The location of the Discussion Groups is indicated on the Programme.

CONFERENCE ROOMS

Participants should have received copies of the summary papers submitted by speakers for distribution in advance. Other papers will be distributed during the Workshop.

CATERING

Lunch will be served each day at the time stated on the programme in the Council Chamber (Ground Floor). Morning coffee and afternoon tea will be served at the times stated on the programme in the foyer outside the Lecture Theatre. Academic visitors using the Institute's library have been invited to join the Workshop participants for coffee and tea. A vending machine serving hot and cold drinks is located in the Junior Common Room.

RECEPTIONS

The receptions for participants and invited guests will be held in the Senior Common Room on Tuesday 3 July in the Senior Common Room and in the Council Chamber on Wednesday 4 July.

RESIDENTS AT INTERNATIONAL HALL

Participants staying at International Hall should already have received copies of the "Notes for Residents".

WORKSHOP NOTICE BOARD

Messages for Workshop participants will be displayed on the Workshop notice board, located outside the Lecture Theatre.

BOOK DISPLAY

During the Workshop, there will be a display of books on Discrimination published by the Oxford University Press and the Industrial Relations Service/Eclipse. The display will be located at the rear of the Lecture Theatre.

TELEPHONES

Public telephones are located in the ground floor reception area.

TOILETS

The location of toilets in the Institute is as follows:

Ladies - L2 level,

Gentlemen - L1 and Ground Floor.

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DISCRIMINATION AND LAW

From Individual to Group?

Nicola Lacey
(New College, Oxford)

Wednesday 4 July 1990

FROM INDIVIDUAL TO GROUP?

Nicola Lacey
(Oxford)

The paper asks what contribution feminist ideas, which are beginning to have some impact on the law school agenda in this country, can make to a critical understanding to race discrimination law. The argument falls into two main sections. In the first place, it explores the relevance of feminist questions for race discrimination law. This involves some discussion of the relationship between feminist and anti-racist approaches to law, and a more general account of the questions of social theory raised by feminism. Secondly, it moves from the feminist critique of anti-discrimination law to ask one specific question about possible reform: how far could we improve the symbolic and instrumental value of anti-discrimination law by employing the notion of group rights? What legal and political questions are raised by this kind of approach? Finally, the paper draws some general conclusions about the usefulness of and dangers inherent in anti-discrimination legislation and makes some tentative suggestions about where we might go from here. It addresses in particular the question of how reformist lawyers ought to respond to feminist and anti-racist scepticism about the gains to be achieved by exploiting law and legal processes.

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Discrimination and Law

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Harvard University NR
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Polytechnic of East London NR
Commission for Racial Equality NR

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