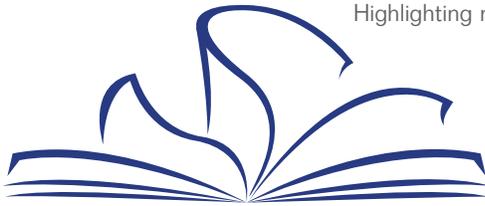


The Canadian Abridgment BULLETIN

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Highlighting new developments and providing research tips for users of the Canadian Abridgment



FROM THE PUBLISHER

In December, we advised that as part of the 2011 schedule, we planned to reissue the Intellectual Property title (6 volumes). Due to some difficulties that cannot be resolved by the time of the reissue, we will be unable to do so and will instead be reissuing the Construction Law title (3 volumes) and the Information Technology, and Insurance Law titles (5 volumes).

Jilean Bell, B.A. (Hons.), LL.B.
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2011 Canadian Abridgment Publishing Program and Estimated Upkeep Costs

Our publishing plans for The Canadian Abridgment components in 2011 are set out over the next few pages. This article includes a description of the publications, the publication pattern, a chart of the anticipated dates of publication, and costs.

Highlights:

The only major consolidations planned for 2011 will be for the Case law digest component of the Abridgment. We plan to reissue the following titles:

Construction Law (approx. 3 volumes)

Education Law; Environmental Law; Equity (approx. 3 volumes)

Human Rights (approx. 3 volumes)

Immigration & Citizenship (approx. 8 volumes)

Information Technology & Insurance (approx. 5 volumes)

While we endeavour to provide you with the most accurate prices and publishing dates, it is impossible at this time to state with absolute certainty the number of volumes, month of publication, and price. All prices are estimates and may change. We can, however, provide you with an outline of the 2011 program as it is currently planned, and we will keep you informed of any variation as the year unfolds.

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The Canadian Abridgment – Case Law Digests

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Case Law Digests is a comprehensive collection of case law digests of issues decided by Canadian courts and administrative tribunals. Québec coverage is limited to cases of national importance. *Case Law Digests* contains digests of virtually every reported decision of Canadian courts or administrative tribunals. Unreported court decisions from 1977 and tribunal decisions from 1997 forward are also digested.

Components

- **Main Work:** We plan to reissue eight titles (see *Highlights* above), consisting of approximately 22 volumes, in September and December of the coming year.
- **Annual Supplement:** Each hardcover volume is supplemented by a single softcover volume which updates it to the end of the previous year. These supplement volumes are replaced on a cumulative basis once a year. Supplement volumes for the Third Edition hardcover volumes will be published in the spring of 2011.
- **Key & Research Guide:** A complete update of the cross-references in the Key to reflect the Third Edition is planned for December.

Electronic Formats:

In addition to print, The Case Law Digests are available as part of Westlaw Canada's LawSource and other Source products. They are also available on the CD ROM service: **Canadian Case Digests**.

Finding Tools

- The *Key and Research Guide* contains The Canadian Abridgment classification scheme. It is published in looseleaf form for easy updating. The *Key* is updated whenever an existing subject title is revised or a new subject title is published. A replacement for the *Key* will be sent out in conjunction with the publication of the new reissue volumes.
- The *General Index* is a topical index to the case digests. It is published in looseleaf form for easy updating. The *General Index* is updated whenever an existing subject title is revised or a new subject title is published, and replaced each spring with the release of the *Case Digests* Annual Supplement. A softcover bound edition is also available.
- The *Case Law Update* contains cites to digests that have been published in issues of *Canadian Current Law – Case Digests (CCL)* after the publication of the *Case Digests* Annual Supplement. Entries are arranged according to the Abridgment classification scheme, and include the citation of the case and the *CCL* digest number. The *Case Law Update* is published in looseleaf format and is now included in its own binder. It is replaced quarterly on a cumulative basis.

2011 Publication Schedule and Estimated Upkeep Cost

| MONTH | SUPPLEMENT | REISSUES | KEY | INDEX | CASE LAW UPDATE |
|-----------|------------|----------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|
| January | | | | | \$201 (Jan-Dec 10) |
| April | \$3,471 | | | \$270 (Block Replacement) | \$41 (Jan 11-Mar 11) |
| May | | | | | |
| July | | | | | \$72 (Jan-Jun 11) |
| September | | \$2,585 | \$74 | \$104 | |
| October | | | | | \$87 (Jan-Sept 11) |
| December | | \$3,025 | \$155 (Block Replacement) | \$126 | |
| | | | | | ESTIMATED TOTAL UPKEEP: \$9,826 |

The Abridgment: Consolidated Table of Cases

Contents

The *Consolidated Table of Cases* contains case citations and digest locators for every case digested in the *Case Digests*. Digest locators for the Third Edition include a three-letter abbreviation, indicating the subject title of the digest (e.g., “ABL 1.1234” for digest 1234 in volume 1 of the Third Edition under the subject title “Aboriginal Law”).

Components

- **Main Work:** Fifteen hardcover volumes arranged alphabetically.
- **Annual Supplement:** Each volume is updated annually by a single softcover supplement.
- **Quarterly Supplements:** Softcover cumulative updates are published quarterly.

Electronic Formats:

The CTC is available on CD ROM as part of *Canadian Case Digests*.

| 2011 Publication Schedule and Estimated Upkeep Cost | | |
|---|-------------------|------------------------|
| MONTH | ANNUAL SUPPLEMENT | QUARTERLY |
| February | | \$414 (Apr-Dec 10) |
| July | \$630 | |
| August | | \$89 (Apr 11-Jun 11) |
| October | | \$237 (Apr 11-Sept 11) |
| ESTIMATED TOTAL UPKEEP: \$1,370.00 | | |

Words & Phrases Judicially Defined in Canadian Courts and Tribunals

Contents

Words & Phrases contains judicial interpretations of words and phrases arranged alphabetically. Every entry contains a verbatim extract from the judgment in which the word or phrase was considered, as well as the jurisdiction, area of law, adjudicator, and court level. *Words & Phrases* includes judicial definitions of both statutory and common law terms.

Components

- **Main Work:** Eight hardcover volumes containing words and phrases judicially defined to the end of 1992.
- **Annual Supplements:** Eight softcover volumes, one for each hardcover main work volume. The supplement is cumulative and replaced annually.

Electronic Formats:

Words & Phrases is available online as part of Westlaw Canada's LawSource service.

| 2011 Publication Schedule and Estimated Upkeep Cost | |
|---|--------|
| MONTH | ANNUAL |
| September | \$668 |

Canadian Case Citations

Contents

Canadian Case Citations contains the citations, history, and judicial treatment of cases by Canadian courts and tribunals. Entries are arranged alphabetically by style of cause.

Components

- **Main Work:** In 2009, we completed the Reconsolidation of this component. The main work now consists of 32 hardcover volumes containing citations for cases from 1867 to December 2006.
- **Annual Supplement:** Each hardcover volume is supplemented by a softcover volume, containing citations for cases from January 2007 to June of the year of publication. The supplement is cumulative and replaced annually.
- **Quarterly Supplements:** A softcover cumulative supplement is issued three times per year. The annual supplement replaces the preceding quarterly supplements.

Electronic Formats:

Canadian Case Citations is available online on all Westlaw Canada Source services as part of KeyCiteCanada.

| 2011 Publication Schedule and Estimated Upkeep Cost | | |
|---|--------|-------------------------|
| MONTH | ANNUAL | QUARTERLY |
| February | | \$579 (Jul 10-Dec 10) |
| April | | \$758 (Jul 10-Mar 11) |
| September | \$1100 | |
| October | | \$446 (July 11-Sept 11) |
| ESTIMATED TOTAL UPKEEP: \$2,883 | | |

Canadian Statute Citations, Regulations Judicially Considered and Rules Judicially Considered

Contents

Canadian Statute Citations is a guide to the treatment of federal and provincial statutes, treaties and conventions, and foreign statutes in Canadian cases. *Regulations Judicially Considered* and *Rules Judicially Considered* serve the same function with respect to federal, provincial, and foreign regulations and rules of practice and procedure, respectively.

Components

- **Main Work:** No reconsolidations are planned for 2011. Some volumes include more than one jurisdiction. *Regulations Judicially Considered* includes three hardcover volumes. *Rules Judicially Considered* includes four hardcover volumes.
- **Annual Supplement:** *Canadian Statute Citations*, *Regulations Judicially Considered* and *Rules Judicially Considered* are supplemented by softcover cumulative volumes that cover cases up to September of the year of publication. These volumes are replaced each year.
- **Quarterly Supplements:** Softcover cumulative supplements are issued three times per year. The annual supplements for *Canadian Statute Citations*, *Regulations Judicially Considered* and *Rules Judicially Considered* replace the preceding quarterly supplements.

Electronic Formats:

Canadian Statute Citations, *Rules Judicially Considered* and *Regulations Judicially Considered* are available online on all Westlaw Canada's Source services as part of KeyCiteCanada. *Canadian Statute Citations* is also available on the CD ROM service, *Canadian Statute Citations* on CD ROM. *Rules Judicially Considered* is also available on CD ROM, the Rules Concordance and Case Locator.

| 2011 Publication Schedule and Estimated Upkeep Cost | | |
|---|---|-----------------------|
| MONTH | ANNUAL | QUARTERLY |
| February | | \$222 (Oct-Dec 10) |
| May | | \$281 (Oct 10-Mar 11) |
| August | | \$363 (Oct 10-Jun 11) |
| November | \$178 Rules | |
| December | \$470 Can/Int'l \$110 Alta/NWT/Nun \$140 BC/Yukon \$89 Man \$103 NB/Nfld & Lab \$104 NS/PEI \$300 Ont \$68 Que \$76 Sask \$176 Regulations | |
| ESTIMATED TOTAL UPKEEP: \$2,680 | | |

Index to Canadian Legal Literature

Contents

The *Index to Canadian Legal Literature* is the only comprehensive bibliography of Canadian legal literature. It indexes books, articles, government publications, electronic sources, continuing legal education materials, case comments, and annotations. It also serves as a periodical index.

Components

- **Main Work:** Twelve hardcover volumes containing entries from 1985 to 2000. Entries are indexed by subject, author, case, and statute. There is a separate index for book reviews.
- **Annual Supplement:** The *Index to Canadian Legal Literature* is updated by softcover cumulative annual supplements.

Electronic Formats

Index to Canadian Legal Literature is available online as part of Westlaw Canada's LawSource service.

| 2011 Publication Schedule and Estimated Upkeep Cost | |
|---|--------|
| MONTH | ANNUAL |
| December | \$580 |

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