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I believe my design is so powerful it does not need to be discussed.
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- Law via the Internet Conference 2015, Sydney, 9-11 November 2015 - Conference programme with session times now available
- Law via the Internet Conference 2015, Sydney, 9-11 November 2015 - Registration Form (Registrations close 2 November)
- RG v The Queen [2015] NZSC 163 (20 October 2015)
- Nicholas Paul Alfred Reekie v Attorney-General (Sued on behalf of the Department of Corrections), Attorney-General and The District Court at Waitakere [2015] NZSC 160 (28 October 2015)
- New Zealand District Licensing Committee - Auckland 2014-
- New Zealand Yearbook of New Zealand Jurisprudence 1997-2011
- New Zealand Aircare Industrial Tribunal 1981-
- New Zealand Air Services Licensing Appeal Authority 1977-
- New Zealand Transport Charges Appeal Authority 1966-
- New Zealand Resource Management Law Reform 1988-
- New Zealand Court of Appeal Reports 1861-1877
- New Zealand Equal Opportunities Tribunal 1980-1993
- New Zealand Human Rights Commissioner Case Notes 1986-
- New Zealand Medical Practitioners Disciplinary Tribunal 1997-2010
- New Zealand Health Practitioners Disciplinary Tribunal 2004-
- Fenelon's Important Judgments (New Zealand) 1866-1878
- New Zealand Colonial Law Journal 1865-1875
- New Zealand Transport Licensing Appeal Authority 1968-
- Public Interest Law Journal of New Zealand 2013-
- Otago Provincial Ordinances 1854-
- Marlborough Provincial Ordinances 1860-
- Nelson Provincial Ordinances 1854-
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Where there is a public hearing there should be a public decision to promote public accountability and serve the principle of ‘open justice’.

But a research copy (an anonymised or ‘depersonalisation’ version) achieves that goal by ‘promoting the principle of equal treatment, ensuring legal certainty and predictability.'
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