REGULATIONS:
1. The Prize will be known as the Auckland Women Lawyers’ Association Writing Prize.
2. The value of the Prize will be $250.
3. The Prize will be awarded annually to the law student who submits the most meritorious essay of 7,000-10,000 words that complies with the Law School Style Guide on the relationship between women and the law. Attach a covering letter and a 250 word abstract.
4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of a Selection Committee which will consist of the Dean of Law (or nominee) and a representative of the Auckland Women Lawyers’ Association.
5. The University of Auckland Council will not be bound to award the Prize in any year if there is no candidate of sufficient merit.
6. In the event of a tie, the Dean of Law shall determine if the Prize may be shared.
7. The University of Auckland has the power to amend or vary these regulations, in consultation with the Auckland Women Lawyers’ Association provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Prize.
8. Send essay, covering letter and abstract to: AWLA Writing Prize, c/- Law School, University of Auckland, Private Bag, Auckland. Essays must be received on or before 14 September annually. For more information online, please visit: www.adls.org.nz/prof/awla.html or contact AWLA, PO Box 6568, Wellesley Street, Auckland.

The Prize was established in 1998 and is financed by the Auckland Women Lawyers’ Association. The main purpose of the Prize is to encourage student research and writing on topics relating to women and the law.

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