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With this Newsletter you will receive registration forms and information about the forthcoming conference in Brisbane, 3rd-6th July 1997.

The theme of the conference is "Strictly Theological", meaning that the focus of the conference will be on theological libraries and librarianship. Come prepared to participate in lots of discussion groups and workshops. Within our Association we have many experienced and extremely knowledgeable people and it will be good to utilise this wealth and to focus on ourselves.

By now you will have received notification of Lawrence McIntosh's new book, *Religion and theology: a guide to current reference resources*. I commend this book to you as an essential tool for theological librarians and for our clients as well. Those of you who have eagerly read Lawrence's annual review of reference resources, as I have, will know how useful this book will be (see *ANZTLA newsletter*, nos 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24 & 27).

I am pleased to report that work for the new edition of AULOTS is progressing well and that the goal of having it published by the next conference will be achieved. Thanks to everyone who updated their data sheets and returned them so promptly.

I look forward to seeing you in Brisbane. I know how busy you all are, but it is important that each one of us take time out for our own professional development and for networking with other theological librarians.

See you there.
Regards,

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