

# American Law Institute Library

The American Law Institute is the leading independent organization in the United States producing scholarly work to clarify, modernize, and otherwise improve the law. The Institute is made up of lawyers, judges, and law professors of the highest qualifications. It drafts, discusses, revises, and publishes Restatements of the Law, model statutes, and principles of law that enormously influential in the courts and legislatures, as well as in legal scholarship and education. ALI has long been influential internationally and, in recent years, more of its work has become international in scope.

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*"This is the most prestigious legal group in the United States. The American Law Institute is the leading institution in forming written expression of legal principles that have evolved in many areas of the law."*

*– Justice Sandra Day O'Connor, ALI Annual Meeting, May 2002*

## RESTATEMENTS OF THE LAW

*Includes current Restatements!*

The Restatements of the Law is one of the most respected and well-used sources of secondary authority, covering nearly every area of common law. We have reordered this subcollection to be listed by category. Each category includes a "More Information" link along with a description of the agency.

## HeinOnline Categories Include:

- Agency
- Business Associations
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## Principles of the Law

Just as the ALI's Restatements of the Law contain clear formulations of common law and its statutory elements or variations, reflecting the law as it presently stands or might plausibly be stated by a court, the ALI's Principles of the Law analyze legal areas thought to be in need of reform. Principles aim to express the law as it should be. Like Restatements, Principles publications use the familiar black-letter statements of recommended legal rules, supports by Comments, Illustrations, and Reporter's Notes.

## Model Penal Code

The purpose of the Model Penal Code was to stimulate and assist legislatures in making a major effort to appraise the content of the penal law by a contemporary reasoned judgment the prohibitions it lays down, the excuses it admits, the sanctions it employs, and the range of the authority that it distributes and confers. Since its promulgation, the Code has played an important part in the widespread revision and codification of the substantive criminal law of the United States. HeinOnline includes the original Proposal to Prepare a Model Penal Code, Discussion, Council, Preliminary, and Tentative Drafts, as well as other Miscellaneous Documents related to the Code starting with 1951.

## ALI Annual Reports

The Reports contain information about the Institute's organization, leadership, and current projects. They also include the Reports of the Institute's Director and Treasurer. Annexes to the Reports provide information on published case citations to Restatements of the Law and to ALI codifications and studies. Coverage in HeinOnline begins with the 15th Annual Meeting in 1937.

## The ALI Reporter

The Institute's quarterly newsletter contains the latest information about ALI projects, meetings and members. Coverage in HeinOnline contains the newsletter's 1st volume in 1978.

## Proceedings of ALI Annual Meetings

These volumes are edited transcripts of ALI Annual Meetings. They are published about once a year after a particular meeting. Coverage in HeinOnline begins from 1923.

## Uniform Commercial Code

The UCC is a comprehensive code addressing most aspects of commercial law, and is generally viewed as one of the most important developments in American law. It has been enacted (with some local variations) in 49 states and in the District of Columbia and the Virgin Islands, as well as partially in Louisiana. HeinOnline includes UCC Drafts from 1944 through current, including the 1962 Official Text with Comments.

## ALI Annual Meeting Speeches

Coverage in HeinOnline contains speeches from 1923 through current.

## "Statement of Essential Human Rights" Archive"

A pioneering ALI project of the mid 1940's, "Statement of Essential Human Rights" is the Institute's contribution to post-war problems. For years it has been stored in the dark archives, never before available in digital format!

The ALI's effort to create this statement was a consequence of the tumultuous times faced by all during World War II.

## ALI-ABA Books and Periodicals

ALI-ABA has been a leader in continuing professional education in the United States for nearly 60 years. In 1947, the American Bar Association asked the American Law Institute to develop the first national program of post-admission legal education, which eventually lead to the creation of ALI-CLE.

ALI-ABA publishes several legal magazines to help keep professionals current in every area of the law. HeinOnline includes: *ALI-ABA Estate Planning Course Materials Journal*, *The CLE Journal*, *The Practical Lawyer*, *The Practical Litigator*, *The Practical Real Estate Lawyer*, and *The Practical Tax Lawyer*.

## Miscellaneous Publications

HeinOnline's ALI Collection includes publications such as: *ALI's 50th and 75th Anniversary Volumes*, *The Preparation of ALI Drafts: Directions for Reporters*, *Report of the Special Committee on Future Program*, *Minutes in Remembrance from 1925-1997*, and several other miscellaneous documents.

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