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LexisNexis UK Sells *Law in Context* series to Cambridge University Press

Cambridge University Press is very pleased to announce the acquisition of the *Law in Context* series from LexisNexis UK, a member of Reed Elsevier Group plc.

The series, consisting of over 40 titles, addresses new and existing areas of law taught in universities, to provide a different perspective from that of traditional black letter law teaching. It explores legal theory and doctrines, and sets them in context, not only with what happens in practice but also with the relevant policies underlying the law to provide a socio-legal angle on the study of law. *Law in Context* includes such titles as *Zander: The Law Making Process*, *Reed: Internet Law - Text and Materials* and *Harris: An Introduction to Law*. The series is edited by William Twining of University College London and Christopher McCrudden of the University of Oxford.

LexisNexis UK has been proud to be associated with such a world-renowned Series and have chosen to sell the list to Cambridge University Press because of their commitment to scholarly publishing in law and their ability to promote the series around the world.

Cambridge University Press has steadily been expanding its law publishing programme since the acquisition in 1994 of the Grotius list. From a base in international and comparative law, the list has grown to cover European, corporate, IP and UK law. In 2003, two additional editors were appointed, and Cambridge also announced a sales, marketing and distribution agreement with T.M.C. Asser Press. The acquisition of the *Law in Context* series is a significant development of Cambridge's existing programme in socio-legal studies, including the respected monograph series, *Cambridge Studies in Law and Society*.

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