### Building Defects: How do You Prove Systemic Defects?

How do you prove that systemic defects exist in every lot? This Court case has the answer!

## Can you Ban Smoking without a By-law?

Is it possible to stop residents in strata smoking in their lots or on common property without a specific no smoking by-law?

### Replacing Common Property Tiles — Must they Match?

Must sections of damaged tiles on common property be replaced with the same tile?

### Short Term Letting Players Agree to a NSW Tourism Levy

Short term letting tourism levy for all holiday rentals in NSW. Do you need to update your STRA by-laws?

# Parking Space Levies — The Question of Visitor Spaces

Are residential strata blocks in busy areas liable for levies under the 'Parking Space Levy Act'?

# By-law Breach: NCAT Reject the Mixed Bag Approach

Can an owners corporation apply to NCAT for an order to require the lot owner to comply with the by-laws or to stop breaching by-laws?

### Can a Company be Appointed as a Proxy?

Can an owner appoint a company as his or her proxy to vote at a general meeting? The answer may surprise you!

#### NCAT, Common Property and Water Leaks

Is it the responsibility of an owners corporation to repair common property water leak damage?

# Dealing with Fire Orders Affecting a Lot Property

Council issues a fire order against the Owners Corporation — do you need a cost recovery by-law?

#### Noisy Strata Neighbours - The

#### **Top Noise Complaints**

What are the top noise complaints in strata? A 33% increase in noise complaints is your noise by-law up to date?