Developments in the Laws of Taiwan —— Editorial Note

In June 2009, the NTU College of Law moved to the new campus from the original historical site. To commemorate this new era, the NTU Law Journal has created a new column of Developments of Laws in Taiwan. The column aims to portray the legal developments in Taiwan as a whole. Our senior professors have been invited to review, analyze, and comment the important new statutes and court decisions of the previous year. The column will provide the most insightful view for local and foreign readers. Through the creation of the column, NTU College of Law has the ambition to take the lead in the legal academics in Taiwan. The column is scheduled to be published in June each year. Seven subjects of laws are reviewed annually, such as Constitutional Law, Administrative Law, Civil Law, Civil Procedure, Criminal Law, Criminal Procedure, and Financial Law. Other subjects, such as Legal History, Legal Theories, and Labor Law, will be reviewed sporadically because these subjects might not have any significant changes every year. Take Volume 39, Issue 2 (2010) for example, articles concerning Intellectual Property and Legal History will take the lead. While these articles are not subject to the double anonymous review in normal procedure, they are strictly reviewed by the editorial board. Nonetheless, we are confident that our professors are the best in Taiwan, and their papers equal the quality. We are proud of the Journal as well as the creation of the Developments of Laws in Taiwan. We truly believe whoever is interested in Taiwan laws has to read the Developments of Laws, now or in the future.

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