

## FIRE - HOW DOES THE LAW AFFECT YOU?

**M**ANY landholders ask us about their legal responsibilities regarding fire. If you are concerned about this, a magnificent paper has just been published which will answer all your questions - including an easy-reference table which tells you, the owner or occupier of private land, just what acts or regulations apply to you.

“Fire and the Law” by Sandy Boulter, a solicitor at the Environmental Defender’s Office, is published in “Fire in ecosystems of south-west Western Australia: Impacts and management. Vol 2: Community Perspectives about Fire”, pp12-36. It is available (free) from Glenda Lindsey at CALM, phone: 9334 0463 or email: [glendal@calm.wa.gov.au](mailto:glendal@calm.wa.gov.au)