



The **International Law Association (New Zealand Branch)** and
the **Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade**
invite interested persons to attend the

BEEBY COLLOQUIUM ON INTERNATIONAL LAW

Lunchtime Public Session

***Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons:
Establishing the Legal Framework for a Nuclear Weapon-Free World***

Speakers:

Ambassador Dell Higgin, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade

Associate Professor Treasa Dunworth, University of Auckland

Chair: Professor Campbell McLachlan, Victoria University of Wellington

Thursday, 30 November 2017

1 – 2 pm

Lecture Theatre 1, Old Government Buildings, Faculty of Law
Victoria University of Wellington, 55 Lambton Quay, Wellington

RSVPs are not required for this Public Session

CHRIS BEEBY was a New Zealand diplomat and international jurist, with a life-long interest in the development and implementation of international law. Over a 32 year career in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Chris Beeby made lasting contributions to the Law of the Sea, Antarctica, the South Pacific Nuclear Free Zone Treaty and international environmental law. After retiring from the Ministry in 1995 he was selected as an inaugural member of the Appellate Body, the new judicial organ at the apex of the WTO dispute settlement system, where he served with distinction until his death in 2000.

The annual Beeby Colloquium honours Chris Beeby's contributions to international law and provides an opportunity for the New Zealand international law community – from the universities, the public service, legal practice and the judiciary – to come together to discuss issues of current interest. It is a forum for information sharing, dialogue and cooperation.