

UTR6.137 - THE DENNIS-WETTENHALL PRIZE

Recitals-

- A. Roland Ravenscroft Wettenhall, dermatologist and historian, late of Melbourne, who died on 21 July 1965, bequeathed to the University \$2,000 for the purpose of endowing a prize to be called the "Dennis-Wettenhall Prize" in memory of his parents, Holford Highlord Wettenhall and Margaret Burgess Wettenhall (née Dennis), pioneers of the Wimmera and of the Western District of Victoria, prominent in local government and in the early development of the wool industry, for research work in the field of Australian history and in particular the history of pioneering and land settlement in Australia.
- B. The sum of \$2,000 increased to \$2,688 at 31 December 1994.

It is provided as follows-

- 1. The sum of \$2,688 and any accumulations and additions to the sum forms a fund called the "Dennis Wettenhall Prize" ("the fund") and the fund must be paid into an investment pool and remain there until the Council directs otherwise.
- 2. The prize is awarded by the Council on the recommendation of the Professors of History to a person who-
 - (a) is a candidate for the degree of master of Arts or doctor of Philosophy in the University, and
 - (b) has submitted in support of his candidature a thesis of sufficient merit upon some aspect of Australian history.
- 3. The award is made in respect of theses submitted not earlier than the year immediately preceding the 31 March in the year in which the award is made.
- 4. The Council may as it thinks fit apply portion of the income to defray the expenses of the administration of the prize.
- 5. The value of the prize is the net annual income of the fund.
- 6. If in any year the prize is not awarded the net annual income of the fund or part thereof for each such year may be awarded in any subsequent year as an additional prize if in the opinion of the Council there is more than one candidate worthy of the award of the prize.

[Revoked as a Regulation and certified as a University trust record 26/5/10.]