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Digests of Canadian cases are organised under this classification in vol. 1, 1A and 1B in print and are also available electronically through Westlaw Canada *LawSource*.

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- LexisNexis *Quicklaw’s* [Administrative Law Commentary - Topical], a collection of journal articles, research papers and newsletters.

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Legal Education Society of Alberta (LESA) seminar materials and papers from bar association meetings are searchable by [Keyword] through the [ALL catalogue](#). Specific information on the papers and seminars is found under the [Table of Contents] display option.

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