



JOYCE GILLESPIE

Honorary Life Member

Joyce Gillespie joined the Australian Society of Indexers at its inauguration in 1976 and became its Treasurer in 1977. She served in this office (and from 1990 combined it with the position of Treasurer of the Victorian Branch) with distinction until 1997, when the National Executive moved to Sydney, after which Joyce continued as Treasurer of the Victorian Branch.

Joyce maintained membership records and exercised her particular interest in the Society's Constitution by guiding it through the changes needed in an evolving society. She maintained close liaison with the Society of Indexers and was involved in the process of affiliation as well as the negotiation of very favourable rates for Australian members to receive *The Indexer*.

As Librarian of the Australian Society of Accountants, Joyce arranged for the Society's courses to be held in the ASA's very comfortable seminar rooms. Joyce's vigilance as Treasurer contributed markedly to the Society's financial stability.

Joyce's Life Membership was confirmed at the AusSI 1998 AGM.

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