



COMBINED PENSIONERS AND SUPERANNUANTS ASSOCIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES INC.

Founded 1931.

Serving pensioners of all ages, superannuants and low-income retirees.

Consumer Protection Awards – 2002, 2003, 2004

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CPSA clears the table at the 2004 Consumer Protection Awards!

Combined Pensioners & Superannuants Association of NSW Inc (CPSA)'s status as a leading service organisation in NSW was confirmed in November when 3 Consumer Protection Awards were received from the Minister for Fair Trading, The Hon. Reba Meagher MLA.

"Individuals and non-government organisations make a vital, but often unheralded commitment to the consumer protection cause.

"Through a diverse range of Award categories, this Program provides an opportunity to publicly acknowledge the wonderful contribution made by individuals, organisations and associations both large and small, based in regional NSW or in the Sydney metropolitan area," Minister Meagher stated.

The Association as a whole won the Seniors section for advocacy and resolution of issues affecting seniors". Our publication *THE VOICE of Pensioners & Superannuants of NSW* won the Media – Print section and the CPSA Park and Village Service (PAVS) received a high commendation for the *OutaSite* Newsletter.

Katrina Hodgkinson MP, Member for Burrinjuck, summarised the honours "Your award indicates excellence of the highest calibre in promoting awareness and protection for consumers.

"The award also demonstrates that you are clearly providing an important contribution to the consumers of NSW."

State President Morrie Mifsud said "Consumer Protection Awards are recognition of the valuable work CPSA continues to do on behalf of pensioners of all ages, superannuants and low-income retirees. We began serving the community in 1931 and will continue to do so well into the future."

(Photographs available on request.)

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