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It is with regret that I write to advise that Allison Adams passed away on 8 September 2017 after a short illness.

Allison was a long-time member of the Family Law Section along with her husband, John.

Allison worked at Jackson Russell in Auckland before setting up the law firm Law Works with Anna Fitzgibbon. She then moved into chambers as a barrister.

A few years ago she and John moved to a lifestyle property just out of Rangiputa and set up practice in Kaitaia.

Allison was passionate about family law and was involved in a range of voluntary work. She served at various times as convener of the Family Law Subcommittee of the ADLS and as a regional representative for the Family Law Section. She was also a member of the FLS childrens' issues standing committee and was the convenor for the section's policy and law reform committee.

Allison was also involved in other Law Society and charitable work.

Our thoughts and support go out to John and all of Allison's family and friends at this very sad time.

A celebration of Allison's life will be held on Saturday 16 September at the Rangiputa Fire Station at 4.00pm.

Kirsty Swadling

Chair