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The Yearbook of School Law 1987. Edited by Stephen B. Thomas. Topeka, KS: The National Organization on Legal Problems of Education. 1987. Pp. xiii + 293. Hard Cover. \$31.95.

Each year, the National Organization on Legal Problems of Education (NOPE) publishes a yearbook of school law. The 1987 edition, like those before it is an extremely comprehensive distillation of materials relating to the legal issues surrounding modern education. The Yearbook's scope is broad, dealing with almost every aspect of law as it relates to schools and education. For example, the yearbook contains material on such topics as teachers union bargaining, desegregation, torts, sports, and antitrust.

The yearbook is categorically organized, and a reader has quick access to specific subject matter thanks to a detailed table of contents, table of cases, and index. The Yearbook of School Law series can be a very useful tool for both lawyers and laymen involved in the field of education.

Roe v. Wade: The Untold Story of the Landmark Supreme Court Decision That Made Abortion Legal. By Marian Faux. New York, N.Y.: Macmillan Publishing Company. 1988. Pp. xiv + 370. Hard Cover. \$22.50.

In *Roe v. Wade*, Marian Faux delays the presentation of lengthy legal or political discussion until she has established a very detailed factual backdrop for the reader. The book therefore reads very quickly, much like a novel. Ms. Faux's format is effective, because the reader is given an opportunity to examine the issues of *Roe v. Wade* in the context of the facts which gave rise to the famous case. The result is a chance to better understand the reasons society demands change, and the undercurrents of resistance inherent to a constitutional challenge.

Ms. Faux provides a thought provoking analysis of woman's struggle for the right to control her own person. In addition, *Roe v. Wade* serves as a document of the seldom seen link between constitu-

tional evolution and the real-life dilemmas which prompt it.

Suing Foreign Governments and Their Corporations. By Joseph W. Dellapenna. Washington, D.C.: The Bureau of National Affairs, Inc. 1988. Pp. xx + 482. Hard Copy. \$85.00.

This book concentrates on the aftermath of congressional enactment of the Foreign Sovereign Immunities Act of 1976. The Act introduced a complex new body of rules which must be carefully analyzed by any party attempting to operate under them. This book serves as a helpful introductory road map to the realm of litigation against foreign governments and foreign owned corporations.

The author analyzes the anatomy of the Act, and what has transpired as a result of legislative encouragement of suits against foreign governments and foreign owned corporations. The result is a tool which will help the reader better understand the mechanics of suing foreign entities through an analysis of the hidden nuances of the Foreign Sovereign Immunities Act of 1976.