

INTER-LIBRARY LOANS

The main purpose of the Information Centre is to assist its members in achieving their goals by providing the requested information and/or documents on time and at an affordable price. One of our key functions is to obtain material not available within the SAWIS Information Centre collection.

In the past we made use of INFOBANK at the University of Stellenbosch, who provided us with national and international articles and/or books, etc. The new Copyright License agreement made it impossible for them to still render this service to non-university clients without additional negotiations with the information providers. Consequently, the *Infobank Services* Unit was terminated at the end of 2007. This resulted in the suspension of Inter-lending requests at the SAWIS Information Centre.

The SAWIS Information Centre strives to continue with the excellent service that has been provided to our clients till thus far and will in future be making use of the National Interlibrary Loan scheme and Fee Structure (Please see Membership & Fee Structure) to provide in our clients needs.

If you have any questions regarding the Inter-lending scheme, please do not hesitate to contact the Information Centre personnel.