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## DEBORAH CODDINGTON RETURNS TO NORTH & SOUTH

Award-winning journalist and former ACT MP, Deborah Coddington, has rejoined *North & South* magazine as a senior writer.

Ms Coddington resigned from *North & South* to become an ACT list MP in 2002. She contributed to *North & South* on and off for more than 10 years, first as a freelance contributor and then as a staff and senior writer. In 2002 Ms Coddington won the Qantas Feature Writer of the Year Award and the coveted supreme award of a Wolfson fellowship to Cambridge University.

She rejoins *North & South* as a senior writer based in Wellington – “pleased to be back doing what I enjoy most: significant journalism.”

*North & South* editor Robyn Langwell said she was delighted Ms Coddington had “come home. Deborah is one of New Zealand’s most experienced current affairs practitioners who will enhance *North & South’s* ability to deliver hard-hitting investigative journalism.”

*North & South* magazine celebrated its 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary this year and was named Qantas Newsstand Magazine of the Year.

For further information contact *North & South* editor, Robyn Langwell, (09) 308 2794.

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