

# Administrative Law Section

## THEME INTRODUCTION

**Of the four articles on administrative law in this theme issue, two discuss basic principles of administrative law: agency powers and judicial review. A third article addresses judicial independence in the context of administrative proceedings, an issue the Administrative Law Section has actively pursued, while the fourth article addresses intra-agency dispute resolution and a recent Michigan Court of Appeals decision finding that the Michigan Department of Consumer and Industry Services had standing to seek judicial review of a licensing determination by the Board of Medicine.**

**These articles have been chosen to provide both an introduction to administrative law for readers who do not practice extensively in this area and to inform readers about issues of current debate. The Administrative Law Section wishes to thank our authors, as well as Louis Porter and Karl Benghauser for their hard work and helpful contributions. ◆**