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In the December 1995 issue of the *Australasian Mycological Newsletter* an article appeared over my name, purporting to give the volume plan for the forthcoming *Fungi of Australia* series. It should be noted that

1. The article was not written by me, and was published without my knowledge or agreement.
2. The 'plan' was an interim draft only, prepared for internal use within ABRS and its Editorial Committee, and is still subject to change, perhaps major change.
3. The 'plan' is based on a classification developed by John Walker. This forms an integral part of a chapter on fungal classification he has written for the *Fungi of Australia* series, and is subject to copyright held by him. He did not authorise its premature release either.

I, and ABRS, sincerely regret that this document found its way into publication, and apologise for any inconvenience or embarrassment suffered by John Walker. The final volume plan for the *Fungi of Australia* series, along with John's full classification and supporting arguments, will be published in *Fungi of Australia* vol. 1A, now expected in print about May 1996.

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## PHYLOGENY OF CORTINARIACEAE

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