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Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	34 190 894 983	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order Department of State
Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Australian Fisheries Management Authority	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Fisheries Administration Act 1991 section 5A(b)	General Govt Sector		81 098 497 517	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fisheries Administration Act 1991 section 5 Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under enabling legislation
Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA)	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of the APVMA – Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Administration) Act 1992 section 14 with reference to section 25 note (membership section 17)	General Govt Sector		19 495 043 447	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Administration) Act 1992 section 6 Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Cotton Research and Development Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	CRDC Board – Primary Industries Research and Development Act 1989 section 10 with reference to section 73 note (members of the corporation section 16)	General Govt Sector		71 054 238 316	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Primary Industries Research and Development Act 1989 section 8 and Cotton Research and Development Regulations 1990 regulation 4 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Fisheries Research and Development Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	FRDC Board – Primary Industries Research and Development Act 1989 section 10 with reference to section 73 note (members of the corporation section 16)	General Govt Sector		74 311 094 913	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Primary Industries Research and Development Act 1989 section 8 and Fisheries Research and Development Corporation Regulations 1991 regulation 4 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Grains Research and Development Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	GRDC Board - Primary Industries Research and Development Act 1989 section 10 with reference to section 73 note (members of the corporation section 16)	General Govt Sector		55 611 223 291	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Primary Industries Research and Development Act 1989 section 8 and Grains Research and Development Corporation Regulations 1990 regulation 4 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Regional Investment Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	RIC Board - Regional Investment Corporation Act 2018 section 14 with reference to section 26 note	General Govt Sector		99 528 049 038	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Investment Corporation Act 2018 section 7 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>

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Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Rural Industries Research and Development Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	RIRDC Board - Primary Industries Research and Development Act 1989 section 10 with reference to section 73 note (members of the corporation section 16)	General Govt Sector		25 203 754 319	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Primary Industries Research and Development Act 1989 section 9 and Rural Industries Development Corporation Regulations 2000 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Wine Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	The Authority – Wine Australia Act 2013 section 12 with reference to section 23 note (membership section 13)	General Govt Sector		89 636 749 924	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wine Australia Act 2013 section 6 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Attorney-General's	Attorney-General's Department	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	92 661 124 436	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order Department of State
Attorney-General's	Administrative Appeals Tribunal	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Registrar – Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975 section 24BA(c)	General Govt Sector		90 680 970 626	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975 section 5 Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	Australian Crime Commission (Australian Criminal Intelligence Commission)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Australian Crime Commission Act 2002 section 7(3)(b)	General Govt Sector		11 259 448 410	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Australian Crime Commission Act 2002 section 7 Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	Australian Federal Police	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Commissioner of Police – Australian Federal Police Act 1979 section 6(2)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	17 864 931 143	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Established by the Commonwealth Police Act 1959 and continued in operation by the Australian Federal Police Act 1979 section 6. Part III of the Act sets out the AFP's employment framework Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	Australian Financial Security Authority	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Inspector-General – Bankruptcy Act 1966 section 13(c)	General Govt Sector		63 384 330 717	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bankruptcy Act 1966 sections 11, 13 and 18 Personal Property Securities Act 2009 Part 5.9 Executive Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under enabling legislation

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Attorney-General's	Australian Institute of Criminology	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director – Criminology Research Act 1971 section 35(c)	General Govt Sector		63 257 175 248	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Criminology Research Act 1971 section 5 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	Australian Law Reform Commission	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	President – Australian Law Reform Commission Act 1996 section 5(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		88 913 413 914	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Law Reform Commission Act 1996 section 5 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	Australian Transaction Reports and Analysis Centre (AUSTRAC)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorism Financing Act 2006 section 209(4)	General Govt Sector		32 770 513 371	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorism Financing Act 2006 section 209 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	Federal Court of Australia	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Federal Court of Australia Act 1976 section 18ZB(c)	General Govt Sector		49 110 847 399	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Established as a single administrative entity supporting the Federal Court, the Federal Circuit Court, the Family Court and the Native Title Tribunal under the Federal Court of Australia Act 1976 section 18ZB • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	National Anti-Corruption Commission	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – National Anti-Corruption Commission Act 2022 section 20(2)	General Govt Sector		47 446 409 542	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Anti-Corruption Commission Act 2022 sections 20, 21 and 266 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	Office of the Australian Information Commissioner	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Information Commissioner – Australian Information Commissioner Act 2010 section 5(4)(b)	General Govt Sector		85 249 230 937	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Information Commissioner Act 2010 section 5 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation

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Attorney-General's	Office of the Commonwealth Ombudsman	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Commonwealth Ombudsman – Ombudsman Act 1976 section 4A(c)	General Govt Sector		53 003 678 148	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ombudsman Act 1976 section 31 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions (CDPP)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director – Director of Public Prosecutions Act 1983 section 5(5)(b)	General Govt Sector		41 036 606 436	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Director of Public Prosecutions Act 1983 section 5 • Under section 27 of the above Act, the Office may employ staff • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	Office of the Inspector-General of Intelligence and Security	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Inspector-General – Inspector-General of Intelligence and Security Act 1986 section 6AA(c)	General Govt Sector		67 332 668 643	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inspector-General of Intelligence and Security Act 1986 section 32 • Can employ staff under section 32 of the above Act, or the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	Office of Parliamentary Counsel	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	First Parliamentary Counsel – Parliamentary Counsel Act 1970 section 2(5)(b)	General Govt Sector		41 425 630 817	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parliamentary Counsel Act 1970 section 2 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Attorney-General's	Office of the Special Investigator	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director-General – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 18	General Govt Sector		87 767 208 148	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Executive Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Attorney-General's	Australian Human Rights Commission	Corporate Commonwealth entity	President – Australian Human Rights Commission Act 1986 section 8A(4)	General Govt Sector		47 996 232 602	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Human Rights Commission Act 1986 section 7 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	63 573 932 849	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order • Department of State

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Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Bureau of Meteorology	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director – Meteorology Act 1955 section 8A(c)	General Govt Sector	Material	92 637 533 532	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meteorology Act 1955 section 5 • Executive Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Clean Energy Regulator	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chair of the Regulator – Clean Energy Regulator Act 2011 section 11(2)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	72 321 984 210	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clean Energy Regulator Act 2011 section 11 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Climate Change Authority	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Climate Change Authority Act 2011 section 10(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		60 585 018 782	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Climate Change Authority Act 2011 section 10 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act 1975 section 6(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		12 949 356 885	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Act 1975 section 6 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Australian Institute of Marine Science	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Council of the Institute of Marine Science – Australian Institute of Marine Science Act 1972 sections 7, 11-12 with reference to sections 16 and 27 notes	General Govt Sector		78 961 616 230	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Institute of Marine Science Act 1972 section 7 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Australian Renewable Energy Agency	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board – Australian Renewable Energy Agency Act 2011 sections 7, 17 and 18 with reference to section 38(2) note	General Govt Sector		35 931 927 899	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Created by the Australian Renewable Energy Agency Act 2011 section 7 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Clean Energy Finance Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board – Clean Energy Finance Corporation Act 2012 sections 8, 13-15 with reference to section 23 note	General Govt Sector	Material	43 669 904 352	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Clean Energy Finance Corporation Act 2012 section 8 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Director of National Parks	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Director of National Parks – Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 section 514A and 514U with reference to section 514P note	General Govt Sector		13 051 694 963	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 section 514E • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>



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Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Murray-Darling Basin Authority	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive of the Authority – Water Act 2007 section 208A	General Govt Sector		13 679 821 382	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water Act 2007 section 171 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Sydney Harbour Federation Trust	Corporate Commonwealth entity	The Trust – Sydney Harbour Federation Trust Act 2001 section 5 with reference to section 20 note (membership section 10)	General Govt Sector		14 178 614 905	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sydney Harbour Federation Trust Act 2001 section 5 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Snowy Hydro Limited	Commonwealth company, limited by shares	Board of Directors	Public Non-financial Corporation	Material Government Business Enterprise	17 090 574 431	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 090 574 431 • Snowy Hydro Corporatisation Act 1997 section 7 legislative authority to acquire SHL • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Defence	Department of Defence	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	68 706 814 312	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order • Department of State • The Department may also engage members of the Australian Defence Force under the Defence Act 1903.
Defence	Australian Signals Directorate	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director-General – Intelligence Services Act 2001 section 27A(2)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	22 323 254 583	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intelligence Services Act 2001 section 27A • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Defence	Australian Submarine Agency	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director General of the ASA – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 6A(b)	General Govt Sector		67 250 046 148	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Executive Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Defence	Army and Air Force Canteen Service (Frontline Defence Services)	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Army and Air Force Canteen Service Board of Management – Army and Air Force (Canteen) Regulation 2016 section 7 with reference to section 15 note (membership section 9)	General Govt Sector		69 289 134 420 (registered As Dept Of Defence Army and Air Force Canteen Service)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Established by section 6, Army and Air Force (Canteen) Regulation 2016, made under the Defence Act 1903 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>



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Defence	Australian Military Forces Relief Trust Fund	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of Trustees of the Australian Military Forces Relief Trust Fund – Services Trust Funds Act 1947 section 6	General Govt Sector		52 168 913 646	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Services Trust Funds Act 1947 section 27. • Section 5(3) provides that section 30 of the PGPA Act does not apply to trustees or a chair of trustees. • Section 34 provides that section 59 of the PGPA Act does not apply to the trustees. • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Defence	Defence Housing Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of Directors – Defence Housing Australia Act 1987 sections 11 and 11A, with reference to section 21 note (membership section 12)	General Govt Sector	Material Government Business Enterprise	72 968 504 934	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defence Housing Australia Act 1987 section 4 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Defence	Royal Australian Air Force Veterans' Residences Trust Fund	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Royal Australian Air Force Veterans' Residences Trust Fund (Board) – Royal Australian Air Force Veterans' Residences Act 1953 section 7(1) note with reference to section 5(7)	General Govt Sector		40 594 141 285	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Royal Australian Air Force Veterans' Residences Act 1953 section 3. • Section 9(2) provides that section 59 of the PGPA Act does not apply to the Trust • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Defence	Royal Australian Air Force Welfare Trust Fund	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of Trustees of the Australian Military Forces Relief Trust Fund - Services Trust Funds Act 1947 section 6	General Govt Sector		24 616 803 717 (registered as the Trustee for the Royal Australian Air Force Welfare Trust Fund)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Services Trust Funds Act 1947 section 30. • Section 5(3) provides that section 30 of the PGPA Act does not apply to trustees or a chair of trustees. • Section 34 provides that section 59 of the PGPA Act does not apply to the trustees. • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Defence	Royal Australian Navy Central Canteens Board	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of Directors – Navy (Canteen) Regulation 2016 section 7 with reference to section 16(2) note (membership section 10)	General Govt Sector		50 616 294 781	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Established by section 6, Navy (Canteen) Regulation 2016, made under the Defence Act 1903. • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>

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Defence	Royal Australian Navy Relief Trust Fund	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Trustees of the Royal Australian Navy Relief Trust Fund - Services Trust Funds Act 1947 section 6	General Govt Sector		49 934 525 476	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Services Trust Funds Act 1947 section 24. • Section 5(3) provides that section 30 of the PGPA Act does not apply to trustees or a chair of the trustees. • Section 34 provides that section 59 of the PGPA Act does not apply to the trustees. • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Defence	AAF Company	Commonwealth company, limited by guarantee	AAF Company Board of Directors	General Govt Sector		82 008 629 490	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 008 629 490 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Defence	Australian Strategic Policy Institute Ltd	Commonwealth company, limited by guarantee	ASPI Council	General Govt Sector		77 097 369 045	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 097 369 045 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Defence	RAAF Welfare Recreational Company	Commonwealth company, limited by guarantee	The RAAF Welfare Recreation Company Board of Directors	General Govt Sector		45 008 499 303	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 008 499 303 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Education	Department of Education	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	12 862 898 150	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order • Department of State
Education	Australian Research Council	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Australian Research Council Act 2001 section 5(3)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	35 201 451 156	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Research Council Act 2001 section 5 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Education	Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	The Commissioners – Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency Act 2011 section 132(3)(b)	General Govt Sector		50 658 250 012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tertiary Education Quality and Standards Agency Act 2011 section 132 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation

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Education	Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority	Corporate Commonwealth entity	ACARA Board – Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority Act 2008 sections 5 and 11, with reference to section 19 note (membership section 13)	General Govt Sector		54 735 928 084	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority Act 2008 section 5 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Education	Australian National University	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Council – Australian National University Act 1991 sections 4 and 8, with circumstantial references in sections 13(4) and 13(5)(b) (membership section 10)	General Govt Sector		52 234 063 906	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian National University Act 1991 section 4 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Education	Australian Institute for Teaching and School Leadership Limited	Commonwealth company, limited by guarantee	AITSL Board	General Govt Sector		17 117 362 740	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 117 362 740 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Employment and Workplace Relations	Department of Employment and Workplace Relations	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	96 584 957 427	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order • Department of State
Employment and Workplace Relations	Asbestos Safety and Eradication Agency	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Asbestos Safety and Eradication Agency Act 2013 section 41F(c)	General Govt Sector		50 802 255 175	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Asbestos Safety and Eradication Agency Act 2013 section 6 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Employment and Workplace Relations	Australian Skills Quality Authority (National Vocational Education and Training Regulator)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	National VET Regulator – National Vocational Education and Training Regulator Act 2011 section 173(c)	General Govt Sector		72 581 678 650	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Vocational Education and Training Regulator Act 2011 section 155 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation • The National VET Regulator may also be known as the Chief Executive Officer
Employment and Workplace Relations	Fair Work Commission	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	General Manager – Fair Work Act 2009 section 673A(c)	General Govt Sector		93 614 579 199	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fair Work Act 2009 section 575 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation

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Employment and Workplace Relations	Office of the Fair Work Ombudsman	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Fair Work Ombudsman – Fair Work Act 2009 section 696(3)(b)	General Govt Sector		43 884 188 232	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fair Work Act 2009 section 696 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Employment and Workplace Relations	Safe Work Australia	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Safe Work Australia Act 2008 section 5(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		81 840 374 163	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safe Work Australia Act 2008 section 5 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Employment and Workplace Relations	Seafarers Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Authority (Seacare Authority)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chairperson of the Authority – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 21(b)	General Govt Sector		32 745 854 352	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seafarers Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 1992 section 103 • Under section 72A of the Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 1988, Comcare provides staff and other resources to the Authority • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Employment and Workplace Relations	Coal Mining Industry (Long Service Leave Funding) Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of Directors – Coal Mining Industry (Long Service Leave) Administration Act 1992 sections 9 and 10, with reference to section 28 note (membership section 12)	Public Financial Corporation	Material	12 039 670 644	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coal Mining Industry (Long Service Leave) Administration Act 1992 section 6. Section 39 provides that section 59 of the PGPA Act does not apply to the Corporation • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Employment and Workplace Relations	Comcare	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 1988 section 76(1) note	General Govt Sector	Material	41 640 788 304	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safety, Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 1988 • Comcare can employ under section 88 of the above Act, or the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Finance	Department of Finance	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	61 970 632 495	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order • Department of State

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Finance	Australian Electoral Commission	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Electoral Commissioner – Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918 section 6(2A)(b)	General Govt Sector		21 133 285 851	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commonwealth Electoral Act 1918 section 6 • The AEC can engage staff under section 29 of the above Act. • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Finance	Digital Transformation Agency	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 10(c)	General Govt Sector		96 257 979 159	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Executive Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Finance	Future Fund Management Agency	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chair of the Future Fund Board of Guardians – Future Fund Act 2006 section 74(3)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	53 156 699 293	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Future Fund Act 2006 section 74 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Finance	Independent Parliamentary Expenses Authority	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Independent Parliamentary Expenses Authority Act 2017 section 11(2)(b) with reference to section 24 (membership section 15)	General Govt Sector		26 424 781 530	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Independent Parliamentary Expenses Authority Act 2017 section 11 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Finance	Parliamentary Workplace Support Service	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Parliamentary Workplace Support Service Act 2023 section 12(3)(b).12(3)(b).	General Govt Sector		87 599 800 740	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parliamentary Workplace Support Service Act 2023 section 12 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Finance	Commonwealth Superannuation Corporation (CSC)	Corporate Commonwealth entity	The Board – Governance of Australian Government Superannuation Schemes Act 2011 section 5 and 9, with reference to section 17(4) note (membership section 11(1))	General Govt Sector		48 882 817 243	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Governance of Australian Government Superannuation Schemes Act 2011 section 5 (establishment); section 6 (modifies operation of PGPA Act for the entity) • CSC also has an APRA licence - L0001397 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • ComSuper merged into CSC on 1 July 2015 • <i>Commonwealth Procurement Rules</i> apply to CSC, but only in relation to CSC's function of providing administrative services relating to superannuation schemes administered by CSC

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Finance	ASC Pty Ltd	Commonwealth company, limited by shares	Board	Public Non-financial Corporation	Material Government Business Enterprise	64 008 605 034	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 008 605 034 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Finance	Australian Naval Infrastructure Pty Ltd	Commonwealth company, limited by shares	Board	Public Non-financial Corporation	Material Government Business Enterprise	45 051 762 639	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 051 762 639 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Foreign Affairs and Trade	Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	47 065 634 525	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order • Department of State
Foreign Affairs and Trade	Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research Act 1982 section 32A(c)	General Govt Sector		34 864 955 427 (registered as Australian Centre for International Agriculture Research)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research Act 1982 section 4 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Foreign Affairs and Trade	Australian Secret Intelligence Service	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director-General – Intelligence Services Act 2001 section 16(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		49 667 785 014	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intelligence Services Act 2001 section 16 • ASIS may engage staff under section 33 of the Act • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Foreign Affairs and Trade	Australian Trade and Investment Commission (Austrade)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Australian Trade and Investment Commission Act 1985 section 7(3)(b)	General Govt Sector		11 764 698 227	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Trade and Investment Commission Act 1985 section 7 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Foreign Affairs and Trade	Export Finance and Insurance Corporation (EFIC, Export Finance Australia)	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board – Export Finance and Insurance Corporation Act 1991 sections 6, 32 and 33, with reference to section 42(3) note (membership section 34)	General Govt Sector/ Public Financial Corporation	Material	96 874 024 697	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Export Finance and Insurance Corporation Act 1991 section 6 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>

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Foreign Affairs and Trade	Tourism Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board – Tourism Australia Act 2004 sections 5 and 9-11, with reference to section 20(3) note and section 53 (membership section 12)	General Govt Sector		99 657 548 712	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tourism Australia Act 2004 section 5 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Health and Aged Care	Department of Health and Aged Care	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	83 605 426 759	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order • Department of State
Health and Aged Care	Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Commissioner – Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission Act 2018 section 11(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		80 246 994 451	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission Act 2018 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation (section 11)
Health and Aged Care	Australian National Preventive Health Agency (ANPHA)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 4(c)	General Govt Sector		33 965 140 953	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian National Preventive Health Agency Act 2010 section 6 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014 • Ceased operation in June 2014, with functions transferred to the Department of Health and Aged Care • ANPHA continues to legally exist until legislation is passed by Parliament to abolish the entity
Health and Aged Care	Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency (ARPANSA)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Act 1998 section 14A(b)	General Govt Sector		61 321 195 155	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Act 1998 section 14A • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Health and Aged Care	Cancer Australia	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Cancer Australia Act 2006 section 36A(c)	General Govt Sector		21 075 951 918	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cancer Australia Act 2006 section 6 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation



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Health and Aged Care	National Blood Authority	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	General Manager – National Blood Authority Act 2003 section 7(3)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	87 361 602 478	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Blood Authority Act 2003 section 7 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Health and Aged Care	National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – National Health and Medical Research Council Act 1992 section 5B(3)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	88 601 010 284	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Health and Medical Research Council Act 1992 section 5B • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Health and Aged Care	National Health Funding Body (NHFB)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Funding Body CEO – National Health Reform Act 2011 section 251(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		15 337 761 242	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Health Reform Act 2011 section 251 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Health and Aged Care	National Mental Health Commission	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 15(c)	General Govt Sector		83 537 016 476	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Executive Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Health and Aged Care	Office of the Inspector-General of Aged Care	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Inspector General – Inspector-General of Aged Care Act 2023 section 12(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		27 478 662 745	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inspector-General of Aged Care Act 2023 section 9 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Health and Aged Care	Organ and Tissue Authority (Australian Organ and Tissue Donation and Transplantation Authority)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Australian Organ and Tissue Donation and Transplantation Authority Act 2008 section 8(4)(b)	General Govt Sector		56 253 405 315	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Organ and Tissue Donation and Transplantation Authority Act 2008 section 8 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Health and Aged Care	Professional Services Review	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director – Health Insurance Act 1973 section 106ZPLA(c)	General Govt Sector		45 307 308 260	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Insurance Act 1973 section 106ZPLA • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation

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Health and Aged Care	Sport Integrity Australia	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Sport Integrity Australia Act 2020 section 50F(c)	General Govt Sector		70 588 505 483	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sport Integrity Australia Act 2020 section 20A • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Health and Aged Care	Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Commission Board – National Health Reform Act 2011 sections 8, 17-19 with reference to section 26	General Govt Sector		97 250 687 371	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Health Reform Act 2011 section 8 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Health and Aged Care	Australian Digital Health Agency	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of the Agency – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability (Establishing the Australian Digital Health Agency) Rule 2016 section 13	General Govt Sector		84 425 496 912	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Governance, Performance and Accountability (Establishing the Australian Digital Health Agency) Rule 2016 section 8 • ADHA can employ under section 64 of the above Act, or the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Statutory agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Health and Aged Care	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of the Institute – Australian Institute of Health and Welfare Act 1987 section 8 with reference to section 13A note (membership section 9)	General Govt Sector		16 515 245 497	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Institute of Health and Welfare Act 1987 section 4 • AIHW may employ staff under section 19 of the Act • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Health and Aged Care	Australian Sports Commission (Australian Institute of Sport)	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Commission – Australian Sports Commission Act 1989 section 5, 13(1) with reference to section 19	General Govt Sector		67 374 695 240	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Sports Commission Act 1989 section 5 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Health and Aged Care	Food Standards Australia New Zealand	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board – Food Standards Australia New Zealand Act 1991 sections 12, 115-116 with reference to section 127	General Govt Sector		20 537 066 246	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food Standards Australia New Zealand Act 1991 section 12 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Health and Aged Care	Independent Health and Aged Care Pricing Authority	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – National Health Reform Act 2011 section 163(4)	General Govt Sector		27 598 959 960	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Health Reform Act 2011 section 129(1) • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>

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Health and Aged Care	Australian Sports Foundation Limited	Commonwealth company, limited by guarantee	Board of Directors	General Govt Sector		27 008 613 858	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 008 613 858 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Referenced in section 10 of the Australian Sports Commission Act 1989
Home Affairs	Department of Home Affairs	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	33 380 054 835	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order • Department of State
Home Affairs	Australian Security Intelligence Organisation	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director-General of Security – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 6(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	37 467 566 201	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Security Intelligence Organisation Act 1979 section 6 • ASIO's employment framework is set out in Part V of the above Act • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Home Affairs	National Emergency Management Agency	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Coordinator-General – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 12A(c)	General Govt Sector		40 816 261 802	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Executive Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Industry, Science and Resources	Department of Industry, Science and Resources	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	74 599 608 295	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order • Department of State
Industry, Science and Resources	Geoscience Australia	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 11(c)	General Govt Sector	Material	80 091 799 039	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staffed through the Department of State • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Industry, Science and Resources	IP Australia	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director-General – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 12(c)	General Govt Sector		38 113 072 755	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The agency includes office holders under the Designs Act 2003, the Patents Act 1990 and the Trade Marks Act 1995. • Staffed through the Department of State • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014

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Industry, Science and Resources	Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of Directors of the Organisation – Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation Act 1987 sections 4 and 8, with reference to sections 14 and 21C notes (membership section 9)	General Govt Sector	Material	47 956 969 590	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation Act 1987 section 4 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Industry, Science and Resources	Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of the Organisation – Science and Industry Research Act 1949 sections 8, 11-14A with reference to section 22(2) note	General Govt Sector	Material	41 687 119 230	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science and Industry Research Act 1949 section 8 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Industry, Science and Resources	National Offshore Petroleum Safety and Environmental Management Authority (NOPSEMA)	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage Act 2006 section 666(3)	General Govt Sector		22 385 178 289	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Created under Petroleum (Submerged Lands) Act 1967 and continued in existence under the Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage Act 2006 Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Industry, Science and Resources	National Reconstruction Fund Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of the Corporation – National Reconstruction Fund Corporation Act 2023 section 16, with reference to section 26 note	General Govt Sector		64 163 995 623	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Reconstruction Fund Corporation Act 2023 section 11 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	86 267 354 017	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order Department of State
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Australian Communications and Media Authority (ACMA)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chair – Australian Communications and Media Authority Act 2005 section 6(2)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	55 386 169 386	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Australian Communications and Media Authority Act 2005 section 6 Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under enabling legislation
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Australian Transport Safety Bureau (ATSB)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Transport Safety Investigation Act 2003 section 12(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		65 061 156 887	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transport Safety Investigation Act 2003 section 12 Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under enabling legislation



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Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	National Archives of Australia	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	The Director-General – Archives Act 1983 section 5(1A)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	36 889 228 992	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archives Act 1983 section 5 • Executive Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	National Capital Authority	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	The Authority – Australian Capital Territory (Planning and Land Management) Act 1988 section 5(2)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	75 149 374 427	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Capital Territory (Planning and Land Management) Act 1988 section 5 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Airservices Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of Directors – Air Services Act 1995 sections 7 and 20, with reference to section 32(2) note and section 40 (membership section 22)	Public Non-financial Corporation	Material	59 698 720 886	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air Services Act 1995 section 7 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Australian Broadcasting Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	ABC Board – Australian Broadcasting Corporation Act 1983 sections 5 and 7, with reference to sections 13A and 18 notes (membership section 12)	General Govt Sector	Material	52 429 278 345	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Created by the Broadcasting Act 1942 and is continued in existence under the Australian Broadcasting Corporation Act 1983 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Australian Film, Television and Radio School	Corporate Commonwealth entity	AFTRS Council – Australian Film, Television and Radio School Act 1973 sections 4 and 7 with reference to sections 18 and 29 notes (membership section 8)	General Govt Sector		19 892 732 021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Film, Television and Radio School Act 1973 section 4 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Australian Maritime Safety Authority	Corporate Commonwealth entity	AMSA Board – Australian Maritime Safety Authority Act 1990 section 5 with reference to section 21(2) note (membership section 13)	General Govt Sector		65 377 938 320	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Maritime Safety Authority Act 1990 section 5 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>



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Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Australian National Maritime Museum	Corporate Commonwealth entity	ANMM Council – Australian National Maritime Museum Act 1990 sections 5 and 11 with reference to sections 21 and 36 notes (membership section 17)	General Govt Sector		35 023 590 988	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian National Maritime Museum Act 1990 section 5 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Australian Postal Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of Directors – Australian Postal Corporation Act 1989 sections 13 and 20 with reference to section 79(2) note (membership section 22)	Public Non-financial Corporation	Material Government Business Enterprise	28 864 970 579	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Created by the Postal Services Act 1975 and is continued in existence under the Australian Postal Corporation Act 1989 section 12 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Civil Aviation Safety Authority	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board – Civil Aviation Act 1988 sections 8 and 51 with reference to sections 60(2) and 81 notes (membership section 52)	General Govt Sector		44 808 014 470	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Civil Aviation Act 1988 section 8 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Creative Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	The Australia Council Board – Creative Australia Act 2023 sections 9 and 19 with reference to notes in section 10 and 27 (membership section 21)	General Govt Sector		38 392 626 187	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creative Australia Act 2023 sections 9 and 10 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	High Speed Rail Authority	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of the Authority – High Speed Rail Authority Act 2022 sections 7 and 13 with reference to section 24 note (membership section 15)	General Govt Sector		88 675 754 520	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High Speed Rail Authority Act 2022 section 7 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Infrastructure Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board – Infrastructure Australia Act 2008 sections 4 and 6D, with reference to section 18(2) note (membership section 7)	General Govt Sector		49 150 585 136	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Infrastructure Australia Act 2008 section 4 • Infrastructure Australia can employ staff under section 39 of the above Act, or the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>



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Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	National Film and Sound Archive of Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	NFSA Board – National Film and Sound Archive of Australia Act 2008 sections 5 and 8 with reference to section 16 (membership section 10)	General Govt Sector		41 251 017 588	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Film and Sound Archive of Australia Act 2008 section 5 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	National Gallery of Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	National Gallery of Australia Council – National Gallery Act 1975 sections 4 and 12 with reference to sections 17 note and 29 (membership section 13)	General Govt Sector	Material	27 855 975 449	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Gallery Act 1975 section 4 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	National Library of Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Council of the National Library of Australia – National Library Act 1960 section 5, with reference to sections 15(1) and 17E notes (membership section 10)	General Govt Sector	Material	28 346 858 075	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Library Act 1960 section 5 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	National Museum of Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Council of the National Museum of Australia – National Museum of Australia Act 1980 sections 4 and 10, with reference to sections 17 and 27 notes (membership section 13)	General Govt Sector		70 592 297 967	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Museum of Australia Act 1980 section 4 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	National Portrait Gallery of Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	National Portrait Gallery of Australia Board – National Portrait Gallery of Australia Act 2012 sections 6 and 13, with reference to section 21 note (membership section 15)	General Govt Sector		54 742 771 196	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Portrait Gallery of Australia Act 2012 section 6 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	National Transport Commission	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Commission – National Transport Commission Act 2003 section 5, with reference to section 19(2) note (membership section 11)	General Govt Sector		67 890 861 578	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Transport Commission Act 2003 • NTC can employ staff under part 6 of the above Act, or the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>



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Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Northern Australia Infrastructure Facility	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of the Facility – Northern Australia Infrastructure Facility Act 2016 sections 6 and 13 with reference to section 21(3) note (membership section 15)	General Govt Sector		83 960 779 392	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Northern Australia Infrastructure Facility Act 2016 section 6 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Old Parliament House	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of OPH – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability (Establishing Old Parliament House) Rule 2016 section 13 (membership section 18)	General Govt Sector		30 620 774 963	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Governance, Performance and Accountability (Establishing Old Parliament House) Rule 2016 section 8 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Screen Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of Screen Australia – Screen Australia Act 2008 sections 5 and 8, with reference to section 16 note (membership section 10)	General Govt Sector		46 741 353 180	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Screen Australia Act 2008 section 5 • Screen Australia can engage staff under section 31 of the above Act • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Special Broadcasting Service Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Special Broadcasting Service Board – Special Broadcasting Service Act 1991 sections 5 and 7, with reference to sections 27(2) and 37(2) notes (membership section 8)	General Govt Sector		91 314 398 574	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Created by the Broadcasting Act 1942 and is continued in existence under the Special Broadcasting Service Act 1991 section 5 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Australian Rail Track Corporation Limited	Commonwealth company, limited by shares	Board	Public Non-financial Corporation	Material Government Business Enterprise	75 081 455 754	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 081 455 754 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	Bundanon Trust	Commonwealth company, limited by guarantee	Bundanon Trust Board	General Govt Sector		72 058 829 217	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 058 829 217 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>



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Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	National Intermodal Corporation Limited	Commonwealth company, limited by shares	Board	Public Non-financial Corporation	Material Government Business Enterprise	64 161 635 105	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ACN 161 635 105 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	NBN Co Limited	Commonwealth company, limited by shares	NBN Board	Public Non-financial Corporation	Material Government Business Enterprise	86 136 533 741	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ACN 136 533 741 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications and the Arts	WSA Co Ltd	Commonwealth company, limited by shares	Board	Public Non-financial Corporation	Material Government Business Enterprise	81 618 989 272	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ACN 618 989 272 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	18 108 001 191	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order Department of State
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Australian National Audit Office	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Auditor-General – Auditor-General Act 1997 section 38(3)(b)	General Govt Sector		33 020 645 631	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Auditor-General Act 1997 section 38 Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under enabling legislation
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Australian Public Service Commission	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Australian Public Service Commissioner – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 5(c)	General Govt Sector		99 470 863 260	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public Service Act 1999 section 40 Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Prime Minister and Cabinet	National Indigenous Australians Agency	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 14	General Govt Sector	Material	30 429 895 164	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Executive Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014

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Prime Minister and Cabinet	Office of National Intelligence	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director-General – Office of National Intelligence Act 2018 section 6(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		87 904 367 991	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Office of National Intelligence Act 2018 section 6 • ONI can engage staff under section 33 of the above Act • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Office of the Official Secretary to the Governor-General	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Official Secretary – Governor-General Act 1974 section 6(4)(b)	General Govt Sector		67 582 329 284	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Governor-General Act 1974 section 6 • The Official Secretary may employ staff under section 13 of the above Act • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Workplace Gender Equality Agency	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Workplace Gender Equality Act 2012 section 8A(3)(b)	General Govt Sector		47 641 643 874	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Workplace Gender Equality Act 2012 section 8A • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Anindilyakwa Land Council	Corporate Commonwealth entity	The group of persons made up of: (a) the Chair of the Land Council; and (b) the Chief Executive Officer of the Land Council. – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 section 7A item 1	General Govt Sector		45 175 406 445	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboriginal Land Rights (Northern Territory) Act 1976 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Council of the Institute – Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies Act 1989 section 4 with reference to section 21 (membership section 12)	General Govt Sector		62 020 533 641	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies Act 1989 section 4 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>

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Prime Minister and Cabinet	Central Land Council	Corporate Commonwealth entity	The group of persons made up of: (a) the Chair of the Land Council; and (b) the Chief Executive Officer of the Land Council. – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 section 7A item 2	General Govt Sector		71 979 619 393	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboriginal Land Rights (Northern Territory) Act 1976 section 21 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Indigenous Business Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Indigenous Business Australia Board – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Act 2005 section 145 with reference to section 165(2) note (membership section 155)	General Govt Sector	Material	25 192 932 833	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Act 2005 section 145 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Indigenous Land and Sea Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Indigenous Land and Sea Corporation Board – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Act 2005 section 191A with reference to section 192H(2) note (membership section and 191V(2))	General Govt Sector		59 912 679 254	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Act 2005 section 191A. Section 193K (1) provides that section 59 of the PGPA Act does not apply to the Corporation • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Northern Land Council	Corporate Commonwealth entity	The group of persons made up of: (a) the Chair of the Land Council; and (b) the Chief Executive Officer of the Land Council. – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 section 7A item 3	General Govt Sector		56 327 515 336	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboriginal Land Rights (Northern Territory) Act 1976 section 21 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Northern Territory Aboriginal Investment Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Northern Territory Aboriginal Investment Corporation Board - Aboriginal Land Rights (Northern Territory) Act 1976 section 65B and 65E(1) with reference to section 65EN(3) note (membership section 65EA)	General Govt Sector		61 234 978 285	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboriginal Land Rights (Northern Territory) Act 1976 section 65B • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>



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Prime Minister and Cabinet	Tiwi Land Council	Corporate Commonwealth entity	The group of persons made up of: (a) the Chair of the Land Council; and (b) the Chief Executive Officer of the Land Council. – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 section 7A item 4	General Govt Sector		86 106 441 085 (registered as Tiwi Land Council Incorporated)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboriginal Land Rights (Northern Territory) Act 1976 section 21 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Torres Strait Regional Authority	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Members of TSRA – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Act 2005 sections 142 and 142R	General Govt Sector		57 155 285 807	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Act 2005 section 142. Section 144ZA(5) provides that section 36 of the PGPA Act does not apply to the Authority • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Wreck Bay Aboriginal Community Council	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Executive Committee and Chief Executive Officer – Aboriginal Land Grant (Jervis Bay Territory) Act 1986 sections 4A, 28 and 33A.	General Govt Sector		62 564 797 956	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aboriginal Land Grant (Jervis Bay Territory) Act 1986 section 4 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Aboriginal Hostels Limited	Commonwealth company, limited by guarantee	Board	General Govt Sector		47 008 504 587	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 008 504 587 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> – section 200 of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Act 2005
Prime Minister and Cabinet	National Australia Day Council Limited	Commonwealth company, limited by guarantee	Board	General Govt Sector		76 050 300 626	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 050 300 626 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Prime Minister and Cabinet	Outback Stores Pty Ltd	Commonwealth company limited by shares	Board	General Govt Sector		63 120 661 234	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACN 120 661 234 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Social Services	Department of Social Services	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	36 342 015 855	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order • Department of State

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Social Services	Australian Institute of Family Studies (AIFS)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Director – Family Law Act 1975 section 114B(1C)(b)	General Govt Sector		64 001 053 079	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Family Law Act 1975 section 114B AIFS can engage staff under section 114M of the above Act Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under enabling legislation
Social Services	Domestic, Family and Sexual Violence Commission	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Commissioner – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 10AA(c)	General Govt Sector		99 696 833 561	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Executive Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Social Services	NDIS Quality and Safeguards Commission	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	The Commissioner – National Disability Insurance Scheme Act 2013 section 181A(3)(b)	General Govt Sector		40 293 545 182	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Disability Insurance Scheme Act 2013 section 181A Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under enabling legislation
Social Services	Services Australia	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 22(c)	General Govt Sector	Material	90 794 605 008	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Executive Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Social Services	Australian Hearing Services (Hearing Australia)	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board – Australian Hearing Services Act 1991 sections 7, 13 and 14 with reference to sections 31(2) and 46 notes (membership section 15)	Public Non-financial Corporation	Material	80 308 797 003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Australian Hearing Services Act 1991 section 7 Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Social Services	National Disability Insurance Agency	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board of the Agency – National Disability Insurance Scheme Act 2013 sections 117 and 123, with reference to section 134(2) note (membership section 126)	General Govt Sector	Material	25 617 475 104	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Disability Insurance Scheme Act 2013 section 117 Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Treasury	Department of the Treasury	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	92 802 414 793	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order Department of State

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Treasury	Australian Bureau of Statistics	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Statistician – Australian Bureau of Statistics Act 1975 section 5(5)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	26 331 428 522	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Bureau of Statistics Act 1975 section 5 • The ABS can engage staff under section 16 of the above Act • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Treasury	Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chairperson – Competition and Consumer Act 2010 section 44AAL(c)	General Govt Sector		94 410 483 623	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Competition and Consumer Act 2010 section 6A • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Body corporate status but is prescribed as a non-corporate Commonwealth entity • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Treasury	Australian Office of Financial Management (AOFM)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 2(c)	General Govt Sector	Material	13 059 525 039	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staffed through the Department of State • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Treasury	Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chair – Australian Prudential Regulation Authority Act 1998 section 7(2)(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	79 635 582 658	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Prudential Regulation Authority Act 1998 section 7 • APRA can engage staff under section 45 of the above Act • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Body corporate status but is prescribed as a non-corporate Commonwealth entity • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Treasury	Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chairperson – Australian Securities and Investments Commission Act 2001 section 9A(b)	General Govt Sector	Material	86 768 265 615	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Securities and Investments Commission Act 2001 section 8 • ASIC can engage staff under section 120 of the above Act • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Body corporate status but is prescribed as a non-corporate Commonwealth entity • Listed entity under enabling legislation

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Treasury	Australian Taxation Office	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Commissioner of Taxation – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 7(c)	General Govt Sector	Material	51 824 753 556	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Taxation Administration Act 1953 section 4A • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Treasury	Commonwealth Grants Commission	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Commission – Commonwealth Grants Commission Act 1973 section 7 (3)(b)	General Govt Sector		64 703 642 210	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commonwealth Grants Commission Act 1973 section 7 • Staffed under delegation from the Secretary to the Department of State • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Treasury	Inspector-General of Taxation	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Inspector-General – Inspector-General of Taxation Act 2003 section 36A(c)	General Govt Sector		51 248 702 319	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inspector-General of Taxation Act 2003 section 6 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Treasury	National Competition Council	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Council President – Competition and Consumer Act 2010 section 29A(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		56 552 760 098	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Competition and Consumer Act 2010 section 29A • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Treasury	Office of the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board (AUASB)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chair of the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board - Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 16(b)	General Govt Sector		80 959 780 601	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Securities and Investments Commission Act 2001 section 227AA • AUASB can engage staff under section 227AB of the above Act • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under PGPA Rule
Treasury	Office of the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB)	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chair of the Australian Accounting Standards Board – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 17(b)	General Govt Sector		92 702 019 575	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Securities and Investments Commission Act 2001 section 226 • AASB can engage staff under section 226A of the above Act • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014

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Treasury	Productivity Commission	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chair – Productivity Commission Act 1998 section 5(2)(b)	General Govt Sector		78 094 372 050	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Productivity Commission Act 1998 section 5 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i> • Listed entity under enabling legislation
Treasury	Royal Australian Mint	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Chief Executive Officer – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Rule 2014 schedule 1 item 20(c)	General Govt Sector		45 852 104 259	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staffed through the Department of State • Listed entity under PGPA Rule 2014
Treasury	Australian Reinsurance Pool Corporation	Corporate Commonwealth entity	The members of the Corporation – Terrorism and Cyclone Insurance Act 2003 section 12 with reference to section 20(2) note	Public Financial Corporation	Material	74 807 136 872	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Terrorism and Cyclone Insurance Act 2003 section 9 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Treasury	Housing Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Board – Housing Australia Act 2018 section 15, with reference to section 25 note (membership section 17)	General Govt Sector/ Public Financial Corporation	Material	22 498 714 570	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Housing Australia Act 2018 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Treasury	Reserve Bank of Australia	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Governor – Reserve Bank Act 1959 section 7A(1)	Public Financial Corporation	Material	50 008 559 486	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reserve Bank Act 1959 • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Veterans' Affairs (part of the Defence Portfolio)	Department of Veterans' Affairs	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 1	General Govt Sector	Material	23 964 290 824	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian Constitution and Administrative Arrangements Order • Department of State
Veterans' Affairs (part of the Defence Portfolio)	Australian War Memorial	Corporate Commonwealth entity	Council of the Memorial – Australian War Memorial Act 1980 sections 4 and 9, with reference to section 14(2) note (membership section 10)	General Govt Sector	Material	64 909 221 257	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Australian War Memorial Act 1980 section 4 • Statutory Agency under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>



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Parliamentary Department (not a portfolio)	Department of Parliamentary Services	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Secretary of the Department – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 12(2) item 2, see also Parliamentary Service Act 1999 section 7	General Govt Sector	Material	52 997 141 147	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parliamentary Service Act 1999 section 7 and section 54(3)(a) • Parliamentary Department, under the <i>Parliamentary Service Act 1999</i> • The Department of Parliamentary Services can engage staff under section 22 of the above Act • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Parliamentary Department (not a portfolio)	Department of the House of Representatives	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	The Clerk of the House – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 2, see also Parliamentary Service Act 1999 section 7	General Govt Sector		18 526 287 740	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parliamentary Service Act 1999 section 54(1)(b) • Parliamentary Department, under the <i>Parliamentary Service Act 1999</i> • The Department of the House of Representatives can engage staff under section 22 of the above Act • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Parliamentary Department (not a portfolio)	Department of the Senate	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	The Clerk of the Senate – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 2, see also Parliamentary Service Act 1999 section 7	General Govt Sector		23 991 641 527	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parliamentary Service Act 1999 section 54(1)(a) • Parliamentary Department, under the <i>Parliamentary Service Act 1999</i> • The Department of the Senate can engage staff under section 22 of the above Act • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>
Parliamentary Department (not a portfolio)	Parliamentary Budget Office	Non-corporate Commonwealth entity	Parliamentary Budget Officer – Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act 2013 section 12(2) item 2, see also Parliamentary Service Act 1999 section 7	General Govt Sector		49 775 240 532	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parliamentary Service Act 1999 section 64A(1) • Parliamentary Department, under the <i>Parliamentary Service Act 1999</i> • The Parliamentary Budget Office can engage staff under section 22 of the above Act • Does not engage staff under the <i>Public Service Act 1999</i>

ⁱ **General Government Sector** means that the agency is classified in Government Finance Statistics in the [General Government Sector](#).

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- The GGS sector, public non-financial corporations and public financial corporations are classifications based on those used by the Australian Bureau of Statistics and comply with international standards.
 - The primary function of entities classified in the GGS sector is to provide public services that are mainly non-market in nature, and for the collective consumption of the community, or that involve the transfer or redistribution of income. These services are largely financed through taxes and other compulsory levies, although user charging and external funding have increased in recent years.
 - All non-corporate Commonwealth entities are classified in the GGS sector.
- ⁱⁱ **Material** means “material entity” as classified by the Department of Finance. This means that the body is included in the group of Commonwealth entities which together make up at least 99% of total revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities based on the audited financial statements of those entities amended for known changes to materiality. Material entities are required to produce more detailed financial information than non-material entities, for the purposes of providing monthly, end-of-year and estimates reports to the Department of Finance. All Departments of State, Public Financial Corporations and, Public Non-financial Corporations are classified as material.
- ⁱⁱⁱ All entities and their associated **Australian Business Numbers** can be found on [ABN Lookup](#).
- ^{iv} Relevant Commonwealth legislation may be found at www.legislation.gov.au.
- **Statutory Agency** (recorded against some bodies in the far right hand column) means the agency is identified in its enabling legislation as a Statutory Agency for the purposes of the *Public Service Act 1999*, whereby the legislation provides for the Agency Head to employ APS employees for that Agency.
 - **Executive Agency** (recorded against some entities in the far right hand column) means the agency has been made an Executive Agency, through an Order made by the Governor-General, under subsection 65(1) of the [Public Service Act 1999](#), whereby the Agency Head employs APS employees for that Agency.