

# Attorney-General's Department

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*Responsible for:* Policy, legislation, advice and programs related to federal courts and tribunals, family law, alternative dispute resolution, intercountry adoption, and administrative law and civil procedure

*Responsible for:* Policy, legislation, advice and programs related to human rights, Indigenous law and justice, legal assistance and native title

*Responsible for:* Policy, legislation, advice and programs related to personal property securities, bankruptcy and Commonwealth legal services

*Responsible for:* Administration and oversight of Australian territories, and policy, legislation, advice and programs related to copyright, electronic commerce and classification

*Responsible for:* Drafting of legislative and other instruments, maintenance of the Federal Register of Legislative Instruments, publication of legislative materials, and related legal services

*Responsible for:* Policy, legislation, advice and programs related to international law

*Responsible for:* Strategic policy and law reform, portfolio coordination, constitutional law, cabinet and ministerial coordination and public affairs

*Responsible for:* Financial planning and management, portfolio budget statements, compliance and risk management and property management

*Responsible for:* Human resources, governance, property support services, information communications technology, information management, the Departmental Security Unit and secure services such as the Australian Secure Network

*Responsible for:* Policy, legislation, advice and programs related to developing resilience to all hazards, including the areas of critical infrastructure protection, chemical, electronic and identity security, and protective security policy

*Responsible for:* Operational coordination of responses to all hazards, including natural disasters, terrorism and pandemics. Also incorporates the national security hotline, disaster relief, dignitary protection and protective security

*Responsible for:* Developing national security capability; coordinating procedures, training, exercises, evaluation, procurement and R&D for all-hazards; managing the National Counter-Terrorism Committee Administered Fund; delivering training and education; administering grants to volunteer organisations and for disaster mitigation

*Responsible for:* Policy, legislation and advice on national security, counter-terrorism, surveillance devices, telecommunications interception and for delivery of vetting and background checking services which incorporates AusCheck and the Australian Security Vetting Service

*Responsible for:* Policy, legislation, advice and programs related to criminal law, criminal justice processes, operational law enforcement, border management and crime prevention, including liaison with AFP, Customs and ACC.

*Responsible for:* Policy, legislation, advice and programs on international criminal justice issues

\* Acting as at 24 August 2009