Australian Government

Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development, Communications, Sport and the Arts

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Organisational structure
current as at 1 December 2025

Secretary
Jim Betts
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Angela French

GROUP (Deputy Secretary)

- **Deputy Secretary Creative Economy and the Arts** — Phil Smith*
- **Deputy Secretary Transport** — Marisa Purvis-Smith
- **Deputy Secretary Sport, Territories and Regions** — David Mackay
- **Deputy Secretary Infrastructure** — Jess Hall
- **Deputy Secretary Communications and Media** — James Chisholm
- **Chief Operating Officer** — Maree Bridger
- **Deputy Secretary Financial Sustainability Taskforce** — Ruth Wall*

DIVISION (First Assistant Secretary / SES Band 2)

- **Office for the Arts** — Alison Todd*
- **Domestic Aviation and Reform** — Stephanie Werner
- **International Aviation, Technology and Services** — Richard Wood
- **Surface Transport Emissions and Policy** — Paula Stagg
- **Aviation Consumer Ombuds Scheme** — Samantha Palmer
- **Regional Development and Local Government** — Jennie Hood*
- **Territories** — Kim Forbes
- **Partnerships and Projects** — Lisa Rauter
- **Office for Sport** — Travis Haslam
- **Road and Vehicle Safety** — Anita Langford
- **Commonwealth Infrastructure Projects** — Greg Cox
- **Land Transport Infrastructure** — Andrew Bourne
- **Digital Platforms, Safety and Classification** — Sarah Vandenbroek
- **Media Policy** — Margaret Lopez*
- **Communications Infrastructure** — Lisa La Rance
- **Communications Services and Consumer** — Sam Grunhard
- **Triple Zero Custodian** — Clare Chapple
- **Finance, Budget and Governance** — Cha Jordanoski
- **Information Technology** — Jeff Goedecke (CIO)
- **Legal, Legislation Liaison and Privacy** — Christie McClure*
- **Data, Research, and Strategy** — Georgia O'Cianain*
- **Enabling Services** — Susan Charles*
- **First Nations Partnerships** — Lil Gordon

BRANCH (Assistant Secretary / SES Band 1)

- **Arts Development and Investment** — Julia Balkwell*
- **Screen, Inclusion and Workforce** — Jason Potkins*
- **Domestic Policy and Programs** — Belinda Sachse*
- **Western Sydney Airport Regulatory Policy** — David Jansen
- **Land Transport Policy** — Sally Todd
- **Collections and Cultural Heritage** — Ann Campton
- **National Cultural Policy and Programs** — Marie Gunnell
- **Sydney Airport Slots & Consumer Aviation Reforms** — Ben Meagher
- **International Aviation** — Jim Wolfe
- **Maritime and Shipping** — Mark Wright*
- **First Nations Policy** — David Doble*
- **Creative Industries** — Jesse Fatnowna
- **Airports** — Sarah Nattey
- **Safety and Future Technology** — Naa Opoku
- **Transport Partnerships and Emerging Technology** — Mike Makin
- **Airport Environment** — Tori Wright
- **Transport Accessibility and Future Fuels** — Brendon Buckley
- **Reducing Surface Transport Emissions** — Tristan Kathage
- **Aviation Response Taskforce** — Daniel Caruso
- **Strategic Fleet** — Andrew Johnson
- **New Vehicle Efficiency Standards Regulator** — Karen Najjar
- **Regional Policy** — Jacinta McDonald
- **Indian Ocean Territories** — Cian Manton*
- **Office of Northern Australia** — Casey Greentree
- **Policy and Programs** — Greg Perrett
- **National Sports Tribunal** — Glenn Turnor (Dept CEO)
- **Local Government, Regional Intelligence and Data** — John Bowdery*
- **Territories Enabling Services** — Jo Neuling
- **Northern Australia Investments and Projects** — Jane Christie
- **Major Events** — Carolyn Paterson
- **Regional Programs** — Jo Hutchinson*
- **Norfolk Island and Mainland Territories** — Kylie Donovan
- **Partnership Programs** — Erin Cassie
- **Major Projects and Programs** — Guy Norrie*
- **Vehicle Safety Policy and Partnerships** — Melissa Cashman
- **Western Sydney International Delivery** — Jennifer Stace
- **QLD Infrastructure Investment and Brisbane 2032 Games Venues** — Bill Brummitt
- **Online Safety** — Anthea Fell
- **Broadcasting and Gambling** — Ruvani Panagoda*
- **Broadband and Emerging Communications** — Shanyn Sparreboom
- **Regional Mobile Infrastructure Programs** — Karen Lindsay*
- **Custodian Implementation** — Chris Fogarty*
- **Enterprise Resource Planning Program** — Anthony Howatson
- **Budget Engagement & Strategy** — Mike Hogben
- **Strategy, Architecture & Cyber Security** — Kim Patterson*
- **Legal Services Commercial Law & Privacy** — Kathryn Grimes
- **BITRE and BCARR** — David Mitchell*
- **Communication** — Cathie Kennedy
- **People/Chief People Officer** — Panny Anastasiades*
- **Taskforce** — Rebecca Rush
- **Projects, Policy and Coordination** — Bek Hendriks
- **Culture, Capability and Collaboration** — David Lindenbaur
- **Office of Road Safety** — Susan Cattermole
- **Freight Terminals** — David Muldoon
- **Budget, Policy and Assurance** — Simon Milnes
- **Digital Platforms, International and Policy** — Andrew Hyles
- **Media Reform** — James Penprase
- **Markets, Competition & Spectrum** — Andrew Irwin
- **Regional Connectivity** — Karly Pidgeon
- **Custodian Operations** — Kath Silleri
- **Financial Management** — Jodi George
- **Digital Delivery** — Alex Clarke
- **Legal Services Public Law & Legislation Liaison** — Paul Toole*
- **Strategy, Economic Policy & Evaluation** — Simon O'Mahony*
- **Integrated Services** — Sonia Bradley
- **Vehicle Safety Operations** — Amanda Miczarek
- **Taskforce** — Joanna Piva
- **WA and NT Infrastructure Investment** — Melony Czajor
- **Classification** — Mitchell Cole
- **News and Journalism** — Andrew Verdon*
- **Digital Inclusion & Deployment** — Jason Ashurst
- **Post and International** — Ben Phelps
- **Targeted Infrastructure Programs** — Katrina Kendall
- **Rail Delivery** — Rachel Figurski
- **NSW and ACT Infrastructure Investment** — Lok Potticary
- **Universal Services** — Nicolle Power
- **Consumer Safeguards** — Kate McMullan
- **High Speed Rail and Infrastructure Advisory** — James Savage
- **VIC, TAS and SA Infrastructure Investment** — Lachlan Wood
- **Infrastructure Investment Reform** — Toby Robinson
- **RPM Taskforce** — Paul Cutting
- **Assurance, Integrity, Risk & Governance** — Andrew Burke
- **Data, Systems & Information Management** — Andreas Bleich
- **Government Services** — Kate Feros

PORTFOLIO ENTITY / OFFICAL

- Australian National Maritime Museum
- National Gallery of Australia
- Screen Australia
- Airservices Australia
- Australian Maritime Safety Authority
- Creative Australia
- Australian Film, Television and Radio School
- National Archives of Australia
- Australian Transport Safety Bureau
- National Transport Commission
- Bundanon Trust
- National Library of Australia
- National Film and Sound Archive
- Civil Aviation Safety Authority
- National Museum of Australia
- National Portrait Gallery of Australia
- Museum of Australian Democracy
- National Capital Authority
- Northern Australia Infrastructure Facility
- Australian Sports Commission
- National Sports Tribunal
- Sport Integrity Australia
- Australian Sports Foundation
- High Speed Rail Authority
- Infrastructure Australia
- National Intermodal Corporation Ltd
- Australian Rail Track Corporation Ltd
- WSA Co. Ltd
- eSafety Commissioner
- Australian Broadcasting Corporation
- Special Broadcasting Service Corporation
- NBN Co. Ltd
- Australian Postal Corporation
- Australian Communications and Media Authority