



Northern Territory of Australia

Financial Management Act 1995
Interpretation Act 1978
Public Sector Employment and Management Act 1993

Administrative Arrangements Order 2025

I, Hugh Crosby Heggie, Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, under section 35 of the *Interpretation Act 1978* and for the *Financial Management Act 1995* and the *Public Sector Employment and Management Act 1993*, make the following order.

1 Commencement and application

- (1) This order commences on 24 October 2025.
- (2) This order has effect subject to any Act.

2 Revocation of previous order

The order entitled "Administrative Arrangements Order (No. 4) 2024" dated 28 November 2024 and notified in *Gazette* No. S102 of 28 November 2024, is revoked.

3 Nomination of Agencies for *Financial Management Act 1995* and *Public Sector Employment and Management Act 1993*

- (1) A department or other authority or body listed in Schedule 1, Part 1, is nominated as an Agency for:
 - (a) the *Financial Management Act 1995*; and
 - (b) the *Public Sector Employment and Management Act 1993*.
- (2) A department or other authority or body listed in Schedule 1, Part 2, is nominated as an Agency for the *Financial Management Act 1995*.
- (3) A department or other authority or body listed in Schedule 1, Part 3, is nominated as an Agency for the *Public Sector Employment and Management Act 1993*.

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Allocation to Ministers of administration of Acts and Agencies and of responsibility for areas and activities of government and government authorities and entities

The Minister holding a Ministerial office mentioned in Schedule 2 is allocated:

- (a) administration of each Act listed in Schedule 2, column 1 for the Ministerial office; and
- (b) responsibility for each area or activity of government and government authority or government entity listed in Schedule 2, column 2 for the Ministerial office; and
- (c) administration of each Agency specified in Schedule 2 for the Ministerial office to the extent that administration relates to the Acts, areas or activities of government and government authorities or entities mentioned in paragraphs (a) and (b).

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Allocation to Agencies of administration of Acts and responsibility for areas and activities of government and government authorities and entities

An Agency listed in Schedule 2 is allocated:

- (a) administration of each Act listed in Schedule 2, column 1, for the Agency; and
- (b) responsibility for each area or activity of government and government authority or government entity listed in Schedule 2, column 2, for the Agency.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Northern Territory of Australia on 23 October 2025.

Responsible Minister:

L. E. FINOCCHIARO
Chief Minister

H. C. HEGGIE
Administrator

Schedule 1 Nomination of Agencies

Part 1 Agencies for *Financial Management Act 1995* and *Public Sector Employment and Management Act 1993*

Attorney-General's Department	Department of People, Sport and Culture
Auditor-General's Office	Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet
Department of Agriculture and Fisheries	Department of the Legislative Assembly
Department of Children and Families	Department of Tourism and Hospitality
Department of Corporate and Digital Development	Department of Trade, Business and Asian Relations
Department of Corrections	Department of Treasury and Finance
Department of Education and Training	Land Development Corporation
Department of Health	Northern Territory Electoral Commission
Department of Housing, Local Government and Community Development	Northern Territory Fire and Emergency Service
Department of Lands, Planning and Environment	Office of the Independent Commissioner Against Corruption
Department of Logistics and Infrastructure	Ombudsman's Office
Department of Mining and Energy	

Part 2 Agencies for *Financial Management Act 1995*

Aboriginal Areas Protection Authority	Northern Territory Police Force
NT Home Ownership	Northern Territory Treasury Corporation

Part 3 Agency for *Public Sector Employment and Management Act 1993*

Police Civil Employment Unit

Schedule 2**Allocation of administration of Acts and Agencies and responsibility for areas and activities of government and government authorities and entities****Chief Minister****Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet**

<i>Assembly Members and Statutory Officers (Remuneration and Other Entitlements) Act 2006</i>	Remuneration Tribunal
<i>Assembly Members' Remuneration (Basic Salary) Act 2022</i>	Approvals Fast Track Taskforce
<i>Flag and Emblem Act 1985</i>	Cabinet and Executive Council services
<i>Inquiries Act 1945</i>	Coordination, development and delivery of government policy and priority projects
<i>Interpretation Act 1978</i>	Coordination of government administration and activities
<i>Public Information Act 2010</i>	Coordination of intergovernmental relations (except financial relations)
<i>Referendums Act 1998</i>	Northern Australia development policy, coordination and intergovernmental liaison
<i>Succession to the Crown (Request) (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2013</i>	Northern Territory Government Gazette
<i>Transfer of Powers Act 1976</i>	Obtaining information from, and directing work to be done by, Agencies on behalf of the Chief Minister and Cabinet
<i>Transfer of Powers (Further Provisions) Act 1977</i>	Parliamentary Counsel – drafting and publication of legislation
<i>Transfer of Powers (Self-Government) Act 1978</i>	Protocol
	Royal Commissions and inquiries
	Security and emergency recovery
	Statehood
	Strategic communications
	Territory regional leadership and policy coordination
	Whole of government economic development strategy

Department of the Legislative Assembly

<i>Constitutional Convention (Election) Act 2011</i>	Legislative Assembly
	Constitutional conventions
<i>Legislative Assembly (Disclosure of Interests) Act 2008</i>	
<i>Legislative Assembly (Members' Code of Conduct and Ethical Standards) Act 2008</i>	
<i>Legislative Assembly Members (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1987</i>	
<i>Legislative Assembly (Powers and Privileges) Act 1992</i>	
<i>Legislative Assembly (Security) Act 1998</i>	

Auditor-General's Office

<i>Audit Act 1995</i>	Audit
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Northern Territory Electoral Commission

<i>Electoral Act 2004</i>	Elections and electoral matters
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Office of the Independent Commissioner Against Corruption

<i>Independent Commissioner Against Corruption Act 2017</i>	Integrity
	Public interest disclosures
	Whistleblower protection

Ombudsman's Office

<i>Information Act 2002</i> (Parts 6 and 7, except sections 98(1) to (3), (5) and (6) and 99)	Ombudsman for the Northern Territory
<i>Ombudsman Act 2009</i>	Freedom of information
	Privacy

Minister for Police

Northern Territory Police Force

<i>Child Protection (Offender Reporting and Registration) Act 2004</i>	Police Civil Employment Unit
<i>Criminal Property Forfeiture Act 2002 (Part 10A)</i>	Police Force of the Northern Territory
<i>Firearms Act 1997</i>	Crime prevention
<i>Police Administration Act 1978 (except Part III)</i>	Emergency response
<i>Police (Special Investigative and Other Powers) Act 2015</i>	Policing
<i>Telecommunications (Interception) Northern Territory Act 2001</i>	
<i>Terrorism (Emergency Powers) Act 2003</i>	
<i>Weapons Control Act 2001</i>	
<i>Youth Justice Act 2005 (Part 3)</i>	

Minister for Fire and Emergency Services

Northern Territory Fire and Emergency Service

<i>Bushfires Management Act 2016</i>	Bushfires NT
<i>Emergency Management Act 2013</i>	Northern Territory Emergency Service
<i>Fire and Emergency Act 1996</i>	Northern Territory Fire and Rescue Service
	Emergency services
	Fire and rescue services
	Rural bushfire management
	Volunteer bushfire management
	Volunteer emergency management
	Volunteer fire and rescue management

Minister for Defence NT

Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet

Defence community liaison
Defence-related industries
Strategic defence relations and engagement

Minister for Territory Coordinator

Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet

Territory Coordinator Act 2025 Facilitate projects of strategic and economic significance to the Territory
Territory Coordinator

Minister for Agriculture and Fisheries

Department of Agriculture and Fisheries

<i>Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Control of Use) Act 2004</i>	Agriculture Animal protection
<i>Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Northern Territory) Act 1994</i>	Conservation of pastoral land
<i>Animal Protection Act 2018</i>	Fishing (except recreational fishing) Horticulture
<i>Biological Control Act 1986</i>	Hygienic production of meat for human consumption
<i>Biological Resources Act 2006</i>	Interstate agricultural quarantine
<i>Fisheries Act 1988</i>	Pastoral land administration
<i>Gene Technology (Northern Territory) Act 2004</i>	Primary industry biosecurity
<i>Hemp Industry Act 2019</i>	Primary production and industry development
<i>Livestock Act 2008</i>	Protection of consumers of veterinary services
<i>Meat Industries Act 1996</i>	
<i>Pastoral Land Act 1992</i> (except provisions about Aboriginal community living areas)	
<i>Plant Health Act 2008</i>	
<i>Poppy Regulation Act 2014</i>	
<i>Veterinarians Act 1994</i>	

Minister for Mining and Energy

Department of Mining and Energy

<i>Bonaparte Gas Pipeline (Special Provisions) Act 2007</i>	Economic regulation (energy) Energy industry development
<i>Electricity Reform Act 2000</i> (except provisions about price regulation, provisions about the setting of licence fees and provisions about supply and service provision under licence)	Energy (oil, gas and geothermal) titles administration Energy (oil and gas) pipeline operation regulation and pipeline title administration
<i>Energy Pipelines Act 1981</i>	Energy operations regulation, including regulating the integrity of wells, surface infrastructure and land access
<i>Geothermal Energy Act 2009</i>	Energy policy and strategy
<i>Ichthys LNG Project Act 2008</i>	Environmental management of geothermal energy operations
<i>Legacy Mines Remediation Act 2023</i>	Gas industry development
<i>McArthur River Project Agreement Ratification Act 1992</i> (except provisions about royalties)	Mining industry development
<i>Merlin Project Agreement Ratification Act 1998</i> (except provisions about royalties)	Mining policy and strategy
<i>Minerals (Acquisition) Act 1953</i>	Mining titles administration
<i>Mineral Titles Act 2010</i>	Northern Territory Geological Survey
<i>Mining (Gove Peninsula Nabalco Agreement) Act 1968</i> (except provisions about royalties)	Offshore Supply Base
<i>National Electricity (Northern Territory) (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2015</i>	Oil and gas strategy, policy and industry development
<i>National Gas (Northern Territory) Act 2008</i>	Petroleum industry development
<i>North East Gas Interconnector Pipeline (Special Provisions) Act 2015</i>	Petroleum titles administration
<i>Petroleum Act 1984</i> (except provisions about royalties, provisions relating to environmental regulation of exploration and production of petroleum and Part V, Division 2)	Regulation and management of mining and energy operations
<i>Petroleum (Submerged Lands) Act 1981</i>	Utilities market regulation (energy)
<i>Solar Project (Australia-Asia Power Link) (Special Provisions) Act 2022</i>	

*Tanami Exploration Agreement
Ratification Act 2004*

*Trans-Territory Pipeline and Blacktip
Gas Projects (Special Provisions)
Act 2005*

*Validation (Mining Tenements)
Act 1987*

Minister for Corrections

Department of Corrections

Correctional Services Act 2014 Correctional services

*International Transfer of Prisoners
(Northern Territory) Act 2000* Youth detention

*Prisoners (Interstate Transfer)
Act 1983* Youth justice

Youth Justice Act 2005 (except
Parts 3 and 4)

Minister for Renewables

Department of Mining and Energy

Office of Sustainable Energy

Renewables strategic policy

Minister for Recreational Fishing

Department of Agriculture and Fisheries

Recreational fishing

Treasurer

Department of Treasury and Finance

Administrators Pensions Act 1981 Budget management

Advance Bank Integration Act 1998 Commercial analysis

Appropriation (2025-2026) Act 2025 Commercial contract management
Economic policy and analysis

Schedule 2 Allocation of administration of Acts and responsibility for areas or activities of government and government authorities or entities

<i>Bank of South Australia (Merger with Advance Bank) Act 1996</i>	Economic regulation (excluding energy)
<i>Companies (Unclaimed Assets and Moneys) Act 1963</i>	Financial management
<i>Competition Policy Reform (Northern Territory) Act 1996</i>	Insurance policy
<i>Electricity Reform Act 2000</i> (provisions about price regulation and provisions about the setting of licence fees)	Intergovernmental financial relations
<i>Financial Agreement Between the Commonwealth, States and Territories (Approval) Act 1994</i>	Mining and petroleum royalties
<i>Financial Management Act 1995</i>	Own source revenue
<i>Financial Relations Agreement (Consequential Provisions) Act 2000</i>	Promotion of economic growth
<i>First Home Owner Grant Act 2000</i>	Public finance policy
<i>Fiscal Integrity and Transparency Act 2001</i>	Public sector superannuation policy and administration
<i>Gaming Control Act 1993</i> (provisions about taxes and levies)	Public sector wages policy
<i>Gaming Machine Act 1995</i> (Part 8)	Public sector workers' compensation administration
<i>Government Owned Corporations Act 2001</i>	Statistical policy and coordination
<i>Legislative Assembly Members' Pensions Act 1979</i>	Taxation
<i>Legislative Assembly Members' Superannuation Contributions Act 2004</i>	Utilities market regulation (excluding energy)
<i>McArthur River Project Agreement Ratification Act 1992</i> (provisions about royalties)	
<i>Merlin Project Agreement Ratification Act 1998</i> (provisions about royalties)	
<i>Mineral Royalties Act 2024</i>	
<i>Mineral Royalty Act 1982</i>	
<i>Mining (Gove Peninsula Nabalco Agreement) Act 1968</i> (provisions about royalties)	
<i>Motor Accidents (Compensation) Act 1979</i>	

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Motor Accidents (Compensation) Commission Act 2014

Motor Vehicles Act 1949 (Part V)

Payroll Tax Act 2009

Petroleum Act 1984 (provisions about royalties)

Petroleum Royalty Act 2023

Racing and Wagering Act 2024
(Part 5, Division 1)

Revenue Units Act 2009

Soccer Football Pools Act 1978
(provisions about duties)

Stamp Duty Act 1978

Superannuation Act 1986

Superannuation Guarantee (Safety Net) Act 1993

Taxation Administration Act 2007

Territory Insurance Office (Sale) Act 2014

Totalisator Licensing and Regulation Act 2000 (provisions about wagering tax)

Unclaimed Superannuation Benefits Act 1998

Water Supply and Sewerage Services Act 2000 (except sections 32(1) and (5), 46, 49(3), 50(2), 52(2), 55(1), 57(2), 61(1) and 63(5), (6) and (7))

Northern Territory Treasury Corporation

Northern Territory Treasury Corporation Act 1994

Financial asset and liability management

Territory borrowings

Not allocated to an Agency

Utilities Commission Act 2000

Utilities Commission of the Northern Territory

Minister for Logistics and Infrastructure

Department of Logistics and Infrastructure

<i>Aerodromes Act Repeal Act 2002</i>	The AustralAsia Railway Corporation
<i>AustralAsia Railway Corporation Act 1996</i>	Administration of arrangements with operator for Port of Darwin
<i>AustralAsia Railway (Special Provisions) Act 1999</i>	Assets and program management (except repairs, maintenance and minor new works for social and remote housing (including public housing))
<i>AustralAsia Railway (Third Party Access) Act 1999</i>	Commercial passenger vehicle industry
<i>Commercial Passenger (Road) Transport Act 1991</i>	Designated ports (including regional harbourmasters)
<i>Control of Roads Act 1953</i>	Freight and logistics industry development
<i>Marine Act 1981</i>	Infrastructure planning, management and delivery
<i>Marine Safety (Domestic Commercial Vessel) (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2013</i>	Maritime industry development
<i>Motor Vehicles Act 1949</i> (except Part V)	Ports development
<i>Port of Darwin Act 2015</i>	Procurement (infrastructure services)
<i>Public Transport (Passenger Safety) Act 2008</i>	Public transport
<i>Rail Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2012</i>	Rail industry development
<i>Traffic Act 1987</i>	Recreational boating safety
	Regional air services development
	Road network management
	Road safety
	Road transport
	Strategic growth and infrastructure planning
	Transport assets
	Transport policy and planning
	Whole of government strategic logistics and infrastructure policy, planning and delivery required for the development of the Northern Territory

Minister for Housing Construction

Department of Logistics and Infrastructure

Housing construction industry development

Attorney-General

Attorney-General's Department

<i>Absconding Debtors Act 1978</i>	Anti-Discrimination Commissioner
<i>Accommodation Providers Act 1981</i>	Children's Commissioner
<i>Administration and Probate Act 1969</i>	Commissioner of Consumer Affairs
<i>Advance Personal Planning Act 2013</i>	Director of Public Prosecutions
<i>Age of Majority Act 1974</i>	Health and Community Services Complaints Commission
<i>Anglican Church of Australia Act 1975</i>	Liquor Commission
<i>Anti-Discrimination Act 1992</i>	Northern Territory Civil and Administrative Tribunal
<i>Australian Crime Commission (Northern Territory) Act 2005</i>	Public Guardian
<i>Bail Act 1982</i>	Public Trustee for the Northern Territory
<i>Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act 1996</i>	Work Health Authority
<i>Business Tenancies (Fair Dealings) Act 2003</i>	Administration of justice
<i>Caravan Parks Act 2012</i>	Anti-discrimination
<i>Care and Protection of Children Act 2007 (Part 3.3)</i>	Caravan parks
<i>Catholic Church in the Northern Territory Act 1979</i>	Censorship
<i>Children's Commissioner Act 2013</i>	Civil and administrative review
<i>Choice of Law (Limitation Periods) Act 1994</i>	Civil liberties
<i>Classification of Publications, Films and Computer Games Act 1985</i>	Community justice
<i>Commercial Arbitration (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2011</i>	Community service complaints
<i>Community Based Sentences (Interstate Transfer) Act 2023</i>	Constitutional development
<i>Community Justice Centre Act 2005</i>	Consumer affairs
	Corporate affairs
	Courts administration
	Criminal prosecutions

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<i>Companies (Trustees and Personal Representatives) Act 1981</i>	Dangerous goods
<i>Compensation (Fatal Injuries) Act 1974</i>	Equal opportunity
<i>Construction Contracts (Security of Payments) Act 2004</i>	Explosives
<i>Consumer Affairs and Fair Trading Act 1990</i> (except Parts 10 and 14)	Financial institutions
<i>Consumer Credit (National Uniform Legislation) Implementation Act 2010</i>	Guardianship of adults
<i>Contracts Act 1978</i>	Health complaints
<i>Coroners Act 1993</i>	Land titles
<i>Corporations (Financial Services Reform Amendments) Act 2002</i>	Land titles registration law
<i>Corporations (Northern Territory Request) Act 2001</i>	Law reform
<i>Corporations Reform (Northern Territory) Act 2001</i>	Legal profession
<i>Courts and Administrative Tribunals (Immunities) Act 2008</i>	Parole
<i>Court Security Act 1998</i>	Safety regulation
<i>Crimes at Sea Act 2000</i>	Trade measurement
<i>Criminal Code Act 1983</i>	Work health and safety
<i>Criminal Investigation (Extra-territorial Offences) Act 1985</i>	Workers rehabilitation and compensation
<i>Criminal Property Forfeiture Act 2002</i> (except Part 10A)	
<i>Criminal Records (Spent Convictions) Act 1992</i>	
<i>Cross-border Justice Act 2009</i>	
<i>Crown Proceedings Act 1993</i>	
<i>Cullen Bay Marina Act 1992</i>	
<i>Dangerous Goods Act 1998</i>	
<i>De Facto Relationships Act 1991</i>	
<i>De Facto Relationships (Northern Territory Request) Act 2003</i>	
<i>Defamation Act 2006</i>	
<i>Director of Public Prosecutions Act 1990</i>	

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Domestic and Family Violence Act 2007 (except Chapter 5A)

Domicile Act 1979

Electrical Safety Act 2022

Electronic Conveyancing (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2013

Electronic Transactions (Northern Territory) Act 2000

Encroachment of Buildings Act 1982

Evidence Act 1939

Evidence (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2011

Expungement of Historical Homosexual Offence Records Act 2018

Family Provision Act 1970

Fences Act 1972

Financial Sector Reform (Northern Territory) Act 1999

Financial Transaction Reports Act 1992

Guardianship of Adults Act 2016

Health and Community Services Complaints Act 1998

Health Care Decision Making Act 2023 (except Part 4)

Health Practitioners Act 2004 (Part 3)

Information Act 2002 (Parts 1 to 5, sections 98(1) to (3), (5) and (6) and 99, Parts 7A, 8 and 10 to 13)

Judicial Commission Act 2020

Juries Act 1962

Jurisdiction of Courts (Cross Vesting) Act 1987

Justices of the Peace Act 1991

Lake Bennett (Land Title) Act 2005

Land Title Act 2000

Law Officers Act 1978

Law of Property Act 2000

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Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1956

Legal Profession Act 2006

Limitation Act 1981

Liquor Commission Act 2018

Local Court Act 2015

Local Court (Civil Procedure) Act 1989

Local Court (Criminal Procedure) Act 1928

Married Persons (Equality of Status) Act 1989

Mental Health and Related Services Act 1998 (Part 15)

Misuse of Drugs Act 1990

Monetary Units Act 2018

Monitoring of Places of Detention (Optional Protocol to the Convention Against Torture) Act 2018

Mutual Recognition (Northern Territory) Act 1992

Northern Territory Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act 2014

Northern Territory Civil and Administrative Tribunal (Conferral of Jurisdiction for Native Title Matters) Act 2014

Oaths, Affidavits and Declarations Act 2010

Off-shore Waters (Application of Territory Laws) Act 1985

Parole Act 1971

Parole Orders (Transfer) Act 1981

Partnership Act 1997

Penalty Units Act 2009

Personal Injuries (Liabilities and Damages) Act 2003

Personal Property Securities (National Uniform Legislation) Implementation Act 2010

Personal Violence Restraining Orders Act 2016

Powers of Attorney Act 1980

Presbyterian Church (Northern Territory) Property Trust Act 1986

Price Exploitation Prevention Act 1949

Printers and Newspapers Act 1984

Professional Standards Act 2004

Proportionate Liability Act 2005

Public Notaries Act 1992

Public Seal Act 1954

Public Trustee Act 1979

Radioactive Ores and Concentrates (Packaging and Transport) Act 1980

Real Property (Unit Titles) Act 1975

Registration Act 1927

Residential Tenancies Act 1999

Retirement Villages Act 1995

Return to Work Act 1986

Rights of the Terminally Ill Act 1995

Sale of Goods Act 1972

Sale of Goods (Vienna Convention) Act 1987

Salvation Army (Northern Territory) Property Trust Act 1976

Sea-Carriage Documents Act 1998

Sentencing Act 1995

Sentencing (Crime of Murder) and Parole Reform Act 2003

Serious Crime Control Act 2009

Serious Sex Offenders Act 2013

Sexual Offences (Evidence and Procedure) Act 1983

Sheriff Act 1962

Small Claims Act 2016

Sources of the Law Act 1985

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Standard Time Act 2005
Status of Children Act 1978
Summary Offences Act 1923
Supreme Court Act 1979
Supreme Court (Judges Long Leave Payments) Act 1980
Supreme Court (Judges Pensions) Act 1980
Supreme Court (Rules of Procedure) Act 1987
Surrogacy Act 2022
Surveillance Devices Act 2007
Termination of Units Plans and Unit Title Schemes Act 2014
Terrorism (Northern Territory) Request Act 2003
The Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Limited (Merger) Act 1982
The Commercial Bank of Australia Limited (Merger) Act 1982
Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2010
Trans-Tasman Mutual Recognition Act 1998
Trespass Act 2023
Trustee Act 1893
Uncollected Goods Act 2004
Unit Titles Act 1975
Unit Title Schemes Act 2009 (except Part 4.1)
Uniting Church in Australia Act 1977
Validation (Native Title) Act 1994
Vexatious Proceedings Act 2006
Victims of Crime Assistance Act 2006
Victims of Crime Rights and Services Act 2006
Warehousemen's Liens Act 1969

Wills Act 2000

Witness Protection (Northern Territory) Act 2002

Work Health Administration Act 2011

Work Health and Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2011

Youth Justice Act 2005 (Part 4)

Not allocated to an Agency

Legal Aid Act 1990

Northern Territory Legal Aid Commission

Legal aid (except Aboriginal legal aid)

Minister for Tourism and Hospitality

Department of Tourism and Hospitality

Liquor Act 2019

Tourism NT

Tobacco Control Act 2002 (provisions about smoking in liquor licensed premises)

Film, television and new media
Liquor regulation and compliance

Tourism NT Act 2012

Smoking in liquor licensed premises

Not allocated to an Agency

Darwin Waterfront Corporation Act 2006

Darwin Waterfront Corporation

Minister for Major Events

Not allocated to an Agency

Northern Territory Major Events Company

Minister for Parks and Wildlife

Department of Tourism and Hospitality

<i>Cobourg Peninsula Aboriginal Land, Sanctuary and Marine Park Act 1981</i>	Conservation Land Corporation
<i>Nitmiluk (Katherine Gorge) National Park Act 1989</i>	Parks and Wildlife Commission of the Northern Territory
<i>Parks and Reserves (Framework for the Future) Act 2003</i>	Territory Wildlife Parks
<i>Parks and Wildlife Commission Act 1980</i>	Botanic gardens
<i>Territory Parks and Wildlife Conservation Act 1976</i> (except Part 4, Divisions 1 to 5)	Conservation and wildlife Management of Territory parks and reserves Wildlife management Window on the Wetlands

Minister for Racing

Department of Tourism and Hospitality

<i>Gaming Control Act 1993</i> (except provisions about taxes and levies)	Northern Territory Racing and Wagering Commission
<i>Gaming Machine Act 1995</i> (except Part 8)	Casinos, gaming, wagering and lotteries
<i>Racing and Wagering Act 2024</i> (except Part 5, Division 1)	Horseracing, trotting and greyhound racing
<i>Sale of NT TAB Act 2000</i>	Totalisators
<i>Soccer Football Pools Act 1978</i> (except provisions about duties)	
<i>Totalisator Licensing and Regulation Act 2000</i> (except provisions about wagering tax)	

Minister for Health

Department of Health

<i>Alcohol Harm Reduction Act 2017</i>	Alcohol and other drug services
<i>Cancer (Registration) Act 2009</i>	Alcohol management plans
<i>Disability Services Act 1993</i> (Parts 3 to 7)	Alcohol treatment and rehabilitation
<i>Food Act 2004</i>	Food security

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<i>Health Care Decision Making Act 2023 (Part 4)</i>	Forensic disability services
<i>Health Practitioner Regulation (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2010</i>	Health (including hospital and medical services)
<i>Health Practitioners Act 2004 (except Part 3)</i>	Human quarantine
<i>Health Service Act 2021</i>	Morgues (Territory wide)
<i>Medical Services Act 1982</i>	Public health
<i>Medicines, Poisons and Therapeutic Goods Act 2012</i>	Restrictive Practices Authorisation Unit
<i>National Disability Insurance Scheme (Authorisations) Act 2019</i>	Services to people who are aged
<i>National Health Funding Pool and Administration (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2012</i>	Sexual assault services
<i>Notifiable Diseases Act 1981</i>	Water quality
<i>Private Hospitals Act 1981</i>	
<i>Public and Environmental Health Act 2011</i>	
<i>Radiation Protection Act 2004</i>	
<i>Termination of Pregnancy Law Reform Act 2017</i>	
<i>Tobacco Control Act 2002 (except provisions about smoking in liquor licensed premises, licensing and enforcement)</i>	
<i>Transplantation and Anatomy Act 1979</i>	
<i>Volatile Substance Abuse Prevention Act 2005</i>	
<i>Water Supply and Sewerage Services Act 2000 (sections 46, 49(3) and 50(2))</i>	

Not allocated to an Agency

Menzies School of Health Research Act 1985 **Menzies School of Health Research**

University medical education and research

Minister for Mental Health

Department of Health

Mental Health and Related Services Act 1998 (except Part 15) Mental health services

Minister for Alcohol Policy

Department of Health

Alcohol policy (except liquor regulation and compliance)

Minister for Aboriginal Affairs

Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet

Aboriginal Land Act 1978 Aboriginal affairs policy and coordination
Kenbi Land Trust Act 2011 Aboriginal land strategic policy
Treaty Commissioner Act 2020

Minister for Housing, Local Government and Community Development

Department of Housing, Local Government and Community Development

<i>Burial and Cremation Act 2022</i>	Chief Executive Officer (Housing)
<i>Community Housing Providers (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2013</i>	Desert Knowledge Australia
<i>Crown Lands Act 1992 (section 79)</i>	Northern Territory Grants Commission
<i>Desert Knowledge Australia Act 2003</i>	NT Home Ownership
<i>Housing Act 1982</i>	Aboriginal housing
<i>Jabiru Town Development Repeal Act 2021</i>	Aboriginal Interpreter Service
<i>Local Government Act 2019 (except Chapter 8)</i>	Community and social housing
<i>Local Government Grants Commission Act 1986</i>	Community development for regional centres and remote communities
	Government employee housing
	Housing loans
	Interpreting and translating services

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<i>Local Government (Katherine Rates) Act 1999</i>	Local decision making Local government
<i>Northern Territory Rates Act 1971</i>	Local government funding
<i>Nudity Act 1975</i>	Provision of funding for essential services for remote communities and homelands
<i>Pounds Act 1930</i>	Public housing
<i>Status of Darwin Act 1959</i>	Remote communities and homelands
<i>Status of Palmerston Act 2000</i>	Repairs, maintenance and minor new works for social and remote housing (including public housing)
	Town camps

Northern Territory Electoral Commission

<i>Local Government Act 2019 (Chapter 8)</i>	Local government elections and electoral matters
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Minister for Essential Services

Not allocated to an Agency

<i>Electricity Reform Act 2000</i> (provisions about supply and service provision under licence)	Jacana Energy
<i>Power and Water Corporation Act 1987</i>	Power and Water Corporation
<i>Power Generation Corporation Act 2014</i>	Power Generation Corporation
<i>Power Retail Corporation Act 2014</i>	Power Retail Corporation
<i>Water Supply and Sewerage Services Act 2000</i> (sections 32(1) and (5), 52(2), 55(1), 57(2), 61(1) and 63(5), (6) and (7))	Territory Generation Electricity generation and supply operations Public sewerage and drainage services operations Public water supplies operations Supply and service provision under licence

Minister for Lands, Planning and Environment

Department of Lands, Planning and Environment

<i>Building Act 1993</i> (except provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations)	Development Consent Authority
<i>Crown Lands Act 1992</i> (except section 79)	Northern Territory Environment Protection Authority
<i>Crown Lands Freehold (Conversion from Crown Leasehold) Act 1980</i>	Planning Commission
<i>Environmental Offences and Penalties Act 1996</i>	Aboriginal Rangers
<i>Environment Protection Act 2019</i>	Biodiversity conservation and assessment
<i>Environment Protection (Beverage Containers and Plastic Bags) Act 2011</i>	Building advisory services
<i>Heritage Act 2011</i>	Environmental assessment compliance and enforcement
<i>Lake Eyre Basin Intergovernmental Agreement Act 2009</i>	Environmental management of energy (oil and gas) operations
<i>Lands Acquisition Act 1978</i>	Environmental management of mining operations
<i>Lands Acquisition (Pastoral Leases) Act 1982</i>	Environment protection and sustainability
<i>Licensed Surveyors Act 1983</i> (except provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations)	Environment strategy and policy
<i>Litter Act 1972</i>	Heritage conservation
<i>Marine Pollution Act 1999</i>	Land administration
<i>Miscellaneous Acts Amendment (Aboriginal Community Living Areas) Act 1989</i>	Land information
<i>National Environment Protection Council (Northern Territory) Act 1994</i>	Land resources assessment and management
<i>National Trust (Northern Territory) Act 1976</i>	Land use planning and development assessment
<i>Northern Territory Environment Protection Authority Act 2012</i>	Lands and planning
<i>Northern Territory Land Corporation Act 1989</i>	Office of Climate Change
<i>Nuclear Waste Transport, Storage and Disposal (Prohibition) Act 2004</i>	Release of industrial and residential land
	Strategic direction on environmental matters
	Weed management

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Pastoral Land Act 1992 (provisions about Aboriginal community living areas)

Petroleum Act 1984 (provisions relating to environmental regulation of exploration for and production of petroleum and Part V, Division 2)

Place Names Act 1967

Planning Act 1999

Plumbers and Drainers Licensing Act 1983 (except provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations)

Soil Conservation and Land Utilisation Act 1969

Special Purposes Leases Act 1953

Swimming Pool Safety Act 2004

Territory Parks and Wildlife Conservation Act 1976 (Part 4, Divisions 1 to 5)

Valuation of Land Act 1963

Waste Management and Pollution Control Act 1998

Water Efficiency Labelling Standards (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2014

Weeds Management Act 2001

Land Development Corporation

Land Development Corporation Act 2003

Development and management of strategic industrial and residential land

Aboriginal Areas Protection Authority

Northern Territory Aboriginal Sacred Sites Act 1989 Aboriginal sacred sites

Minister for Corporate and Digital Development

Department of Corporate and Digital Development

<i>Fines and Penalties (Recovery) Act 2001</i>	Data Centre Services
<i>Information Act 2002</i> (Part 9 provisions about records services)	Fines Recovery Unit
	NT Fleet
	Banking arrangements
	Corporate services reform
	Corporate taxation advice
	Cyber security emergency response and recovery
	Cyber security of government computing environment
	Cyber security policy, strategy and intergovernmental relations
	Digital government
	Enterprise information communication technology projects
	Freedom of information administration support
	Government office accommodation
	Human resources
	Information and communication technology industry engagement and participation
	Information and communication technology policy and governance
	Public sector corporate services
	Public sector information architecture, information communication technology systems and services
	Records services
	Shared corporate services
	Whole of government data sharing policy and governance

Minister for Water Resources

Department of Lands, Planning and Environment

Minister for Education and Training

Department of Education and Training

<i>Bachelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education Act 1999</i>	Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education
<i>Education Act 2015</i>	Apprenticeships and traineeships
<i>Higher Education Act 2004</i>	Approval and accreditation of higher education institutions and courses
<i>Teacher Registration (Northern Territory) Act 2004</i>	Development, accreditation and delivery of higher education and vocational training programs for Indigenous people
<i>Training and Skills Development Act 2016</i>	Distance education
	Grants for educational organisations
	Planning, development and administration of schools and vocational education and training in schools
	Quality of training
	Student assistance schemes
	Teacher registration and regulation of teaching profession
	Training and employment programs and assistance schemes
	Vocational education and training administration

Not allocated to an Agency

<i>Charles Darwin University Act 2003</i>	Charles Darwin University
	Advanced education planning and development
	University education and research

Minister for Early Education

Department of Education and Training

<i>Education and Care Services (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2011</i>	Early years education and care services and regulation
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Minister for Public Service

Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet

<i>Annual Leave Act 1981</i>	Commissioner for Public Employment
<i>Correctional Officers Arbitral Tribunal Act 1950</i>	Development and coordination of public employment strategies
<i>Long Service Leave Act 1981</i>	Industrial relations
<i>Police Administration Act 1978 (Part III)</i>	Public sector management and development
<i>Public Employment (Mobility) Act 1989</i>	
<i>Public Holidays Act 1981</i>	
<i>Public Sector Employment and Management Act 1993</i>	

Minister for Trade, Business and Asian Relations

Department of Trade, Business and Asian Relations

<i>Agents Licensing Act 1979</i>	NT Build
<i>Architects Act 1963</i>	Procurement Review Board
<i>Associations Act 2003</i>	Business and industry support and development
<i>Auctioneers Act 1935</i>	Business innovation support and development
<i>Building Act 1993</i> (provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations)	Civil space industry
<i>Business Names (National Uniform Legislation) Implementation Act 2012</i>	Cooperatives
<i>Business Names (National Uniform Legislation) Request Act 2011</i>	Domestic and international air services
	Essential goods and services

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<i>Commercial and Private Agents Licensing Act 1979</i>	Financial assistance to industry associations and business
<i>Construction Industry Long Service Leave and Benefits Act 2005</i>	Incorporated associations
<i>Consumer Affairs and Fair Trading Act 1990 (Parts 10 and 14)</i>	Industry engagement and participation
<i>Co-operatives (National Uniform Legislation) Act 2015</i>	Investment attraction
<i>Essential Goods and Services Act 1981</i>	Investment facilitation
<i>Kava Management Act 1998</i>	Investment promotion and market engagement
<i>Licensed Surveyors Act 1983</i> (provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations)	Kava and tobacco
<i>Plumbers and Drainers Licensing Act 1983</i> (provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations)	Occupational licences relating to land use, including building work
<i>Plumbers and Drainers Licensing (Validation) Act 1990</i>	Occupational licenses relating to the other areas of government allocated to the Agency
<i>Private Security Act 1995</i>	Private security industry
<i>Procurement Act 1995</i>	Procurement policy and reform
<i>Sex Industry Act 2019</i>	Sex work industry
<i>Tobacco Control Act 2002</i> (provisions about licensing and enforcement)	Small business
<i>Unit Title Schemes Act 2009</i> (Part 4.1)	Territory Business Centres
	Trade development, strategy and policy

Minister for International Education, Migration and Population

Department of Trade, Business and Asian Relations

International education strategy
International engagement
Population policy

Minister for Workforce Development

Department of Trade, Business and Asian Relations

Labour market analysis
Office of Workforce Development
(including business and skilled migration)

Minister for Advanced Manufacturing

Department of Trade, Business and Asian Relations

Whole of government oversight of the development of advanced manufacturing industries

Minister for Children and Families

Department of Children and Families

<i>Adoption of Children Act 1994</i>	Child guardianship
<i>Guardianship of Infants Act 1972</i>	Children and families policy
	Children's services
	Family and parent support services
	Family responsibility agreements and orders
	Homelessness services
	Out of home care
	Whole of government children's strategic policy

Minister for Child Protection

Department of Children and Families

<i>Care and Protection of Children Act 2007 (except Part 3.3)</i>	Child protection
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Minister for Prevention of Domestic Violence

Department of Children and Families

<i>Domestic and Family Violence Act 2007 (Chapter 5A)</i>	Family violence services Whole of government responsibilities for the prevention of domestic, family and sexual violence
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Minister for People, Sport and Culture

Department of People, Sport and Culture

<i>Carers Recognition Act 2006</i>	Strehlow Research Centre Board
<i>Information Act 2002 (Part 9 provisions about archives management)</i>	Archives management Collection and preservation of natural and cultural heritage
<i>Major Cricket Events Act 2003</i>	Community grants for recreation and sports associations
<i>Meteorites Act 1988</i>	
<i>Publications (Legal Deposit) Act 2004</i>	Library and information services
<i>Strehlow Research Centre Act 2005</i>	Management of cultural facilities Management of sport and recreation facilities Northern Territory Sports Academy Sport and recreation grants, subsidies and sector support Water safety

Not allocated to an Agency

<i>Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory Act 2014</i>	Board of the Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory
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Minister for Disability

Department of People, Sport and Culture

<i>Disability Services Act 1993 (except Parts 3 to 7)</i>	Disability policy and grants for disability services and supports
<i>National Disability Insurance Scheme (Worker Clearance) Act 2020</i>	National Disability Insurance Scheme co-governance, funding and policy
	National Disability Insurance Scheme worker screening policy

Minister for Arts

Department of People, Sport and Culture

Arts and culture development and policy
Arts grants

Minister for Youth, Seniors and Equality

Department of People, Sport and Culture

Gender equity and diversity policy and grants
Pensioner and carer concessions
Seniors Card
Seniors policy and grants
Youth policy, grants and engagement

Minister for Multicultural Affairs

Department of People, Sport and Culture

Grants for multicultural events, activities, facilities and supports
Multicultural policy

Minister for Veterans

Department of People, Sport and Culture

Veterans' support and engagement

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[Minister for Fire and Emergency Services](#)
[Minister for Defence NT](#)
[Minister for Territory Coordinator](#)

Gerard Phillip Maley

[Minister for Agriculture and Fisheries](#)
[Minister for Mining and Energy](#)
[Minister for Corrections](#)
[Minister for Renewables](#)
[Minister for Recreational Fishing](#)

William Carl Yan

[Treasurer](#)
[Minister for Logistics and Infrastructure](#)
[Minister for Housing Construction](#)

Marie-Clare Joy Boothby

[Attorney-General](#)
[Minister for Tourism and Hospitality](#)
[Minister for Major Events](#)
[Minister for Parks and Wildlife](#)
[Minister for Racing](#)

Steven Mark Edgington

[Minister for Health](#)
[Minister for Mental Health](#)
[Minister for Alcohol Policy](#)
[Minister for Aboriginal Affairs](#)
[Minister for Housing, Local Government and Community Development](#)
[Minister for Essential Services](#)

Joshua Roland Burgoyne

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[Minister for Corporate and Digital Development](#)
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