

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA  
*Interpretation Act*  
ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS ORDER

I, John Laurence Hardy, Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, under section 35 of the *Interpretation Act*, make the following order commencing on 15 February 2016.

- 1 All Administrative Arrangements Orders in force immediately before the commencement of this instrument cease to have effect.
- 2 A department or other entity:
  - (a) listed in Part 1 of Schedule 1:
    - (i) is an Agency for the *Public Sector Employment and Management Act*, and
    - (ii) subject to paragraph (b), is an Agency for the *Financial Management Act*, or
  - (b) listed in Part 2 of Schedule 1 is an Agency for the *Financial Management Act* only.
- 3 The Minister holding a Ministerial office mentioned in Schedule 2 or 3 is allotted:
  - (a) general and financial administration of:
    - (i) the Acts listed in that Schedule for the Ministerial office; and
    - (ii) any other Acts not so listed relating to the areas of government for which the Minister is responsible; and
  - (b) general and financial responsibility for the areas of government listed in that Schedule for the Ministerial office; and
  - (c) general and financial administration of the Agencies listed in the Schedule for the Ministerial office to the extent that administration relates to the Acts and areas of government matters mentioned in paragraphs (a) and (b).
- 4 Subject to clause 5, an Agency listed in Schedule 2 is allotted:
  - (a) general and financial administration of:
    - (i) the Acts listed in Schedule 2 for the Agency; and
    - (ii) any other Acts not so listed relating to the areas of government for which the Agency is responsible;
  - (b) general and financial responsibility for the areas of government listed in Schedule 2 for the Agency.
- 5 An Agency listed in Schedule 3 is allotted:
  - (a) financial administration of:
    - (i) the Acts listed in Schedule 3 for the Agency; and
    - (ii) any other Acts not so listed relating to the areas of government for which the Agency has financial responsibility; and
  - (b) financial responsibility for the areas of government listed in Schedule 3 for the Agency.
- 6 Schedule 4 is included for information.
- 7 This instrument has effect subject to any Act.

Given under my hand and the Public Seal of the Northern Territory of Australia on 15 February 2016.

J. L. HARDY  
Administrator

By His Honour's Command

A. G. GILES  
Chief Minister

# Schedule 1 – Agencies

## Part 1 – Agencies for PSEMA and FMA

Department of Arts and Museums	Auditor-General's Office
Department of Business	Darwin Port Corporation
Department of Children and Families	Land Development Corporation
Department of Corporate and Information Services	Northern Territory Electoral Commission
Department of Correctional Services	Northern Territory Emergency Service
Department of Education	Northern Territory Fire and Rescue Service
Department of Health	Office of the Commissioner for Public Employment
Department of Housing	Ombudsman's Office
Department of Infrastructure	Parks and Wildlife Commission of the Northern Territory
Department of Land Resource Management	Police Civil Employment Unit
Department of Lands, Planning and the Environment	Tourism NT
Department of Local Government and Community Services	
Department of Mines and Energy	
Department of Primary Industry and Fisheries	
Department of Sport and Recreation	
Department of the Attorney-General and Justice	
Department of the Chief Minister	
Department of the Legislative Assembly	
Department of Transport	
Department of Treasury and Finance	

## Part 2 – Agencies for FMA only

Aboriginal Areas Protection Authority  
Department of Housing – NT Home Ownership  
Northern Territory Police, Fire and Emergency Services  
Northern Territory Treasury Corporation

## Schedule 2 – Allotment of general and financial management of Acts and areas of government

Agency	Act	Area of government
<b>Chief Minister</b>		<b>Adam Graham Giles</b>
Auditor-General's Office	<i>Audit Act</i>	Audit
Northern Territory Electoral Commission	<i>Electoral Act</i>	Elections and electoral matters
Ombudsman's Office	<i>Ombudsman Act</i>	<b>Ombudsman for the Northern Territory</b>
Department of the Chief Minister	<i>Administrators Pensions Act</i> <i>Assembly Members and Statutory Officers (Remuneration and Other Entitlements) Act</i> <i>Essential Goods and Services Act</i> <i>Flag and Emblem Act</i> <i>Inquiries Act</i> <i>Kenbi Land Trust Act</i> <i>Parks and Reserves (Framework for the Future) Act</i> <i>Port of Darwin Act</i> <i>Public Information Act</i> <i>Referendums Act</i> <i>Succession to the Crown (Request) (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Transfer of Powers (Further Provisions) Act</i> <i>Transfer of Powers (Self-Government) Act</i> <i>Transfer of Powers Act</i>	<b>Remuneration Tribunal</b> Coordination and development of government policy Coordination of government administration and activities Coordination of inter-governmental relations (except financial relations) Major events Government printing Obtaining information from, and directing work to be done by, agencies on behalf of the Chief Minister and Cabinet Protocol Security and emergency response Social policy Supporting Cabinet and the Executive Council
Department of the Legislative Assembly	<i>Legislative Assembly (Disclosure of Interests) Act</i> <i>Legislative Assembly (Members' Code of Conduct and Ethical Standards) Act</i> <i>Legislative Assembly (Powers and Privileges) Act</i> <i>Legislative Assembly (Security) Act</i> <i>Legislative Assembly Members (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act</i> <i>Legislative Assembly Members' Superannuation Contributions Act</i> <i>Legislative Assembly Members' Superannuation Fund Act</i>	<b>Legislative Assembly</b>
Department of the Attorney-General and Justice	<i>Amendments Incorporation Act</i> <i>Interpretation Act</i>	Parliamentary Counsel and legislative drafting

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Agency	Act	Area of government
<b>Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Services</b>		<b>Adam Graham Giles</b>
Police Civil Employment Unit	<i>Alcohol Protection Orders Act</i> <i>Child Protection (Offender Reporting and Registration) Act</i> <i>Firearms Act</i> <i>Police Administration Act (except Part III)</i> <i>Police (Special Investigative and Other Powers) Act</i> <i>Telecommunications (Interception) Northern Territory Act</i> <i>Terrorism (Emergency Powers) Act</i> <i>Weapons Control Act</i> <i>Youth Justice Act (Part 3)</i>	<b>Police Force of the Northern Territory</b> Police
Northern Territory Emergency Service	<i>Emergency Management Act</i>	Emergency services Volunteer emergency management
Northern Territory Fire and Rescue Service	<i>Fire and Emergency Act</i>	Fire and rescue services Volunteer fire and rescue management
<b>Minister for Tourism</b>		<b>Adam Graham Giles</b>
Tourism NT	<i>Tourism NT Act</i>	Territory tourism Tourist event development, attraction and acquisition Tourism strategy and infrastructure
<b>Minister for Northern and Central Australia</b>		<b>Adam Graham Giles</b>
Department of the Chief Minister		Central Australia development policy, coordination and intergovernmental liaison Northern Australia development policy, coordination and intergovernmental liaison

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<b>Minister for Economic Development and Major Projects</b>		<b>Adam Graham Giles</b>
Department of the Chief Minister		Coordination of major infrastructure, projects and investments Economic development Economic policy Indigenous economic development Investment promotion and facilitation Oil and gas strategy, policy and industry development Ports development Regional economic development Strategic defence Territory marketing and investment attraction
Darwin Port Corporation	<i>Darwin Port Corporation Act</i> (except Part 2, Division 4)	Darwin ports, except harbourmaster Offshore Supply Base
Land Development Corporation	<i>Land Development Corporation Act</i>	Development and management of strategic industrial and residential land
<b>Minister for Indigenous Affairs</b>		<b>Adam Graham Giles</b>
Department of Local Government and Community Services		Indigenous affairs Indigenous policy Office of Indigenous Affairs

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<b>Minister for Business</b>		<b>Peter Donald Styles</b>
Department of Business	<i>Associations Act</i> <i>Business Names (National Uniform Legislation) Implementation Act</i> <i>Business Names (National Uniform Legislation) Request Act</i> <i>Commercial and Private Agents Licensing Act</i> <i>Construction Industry Long Service Leave and Benefits Act</i> <i>Co-operatives (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Dangerous Goods Act</i> <i>Desert Knowledge Australia Act</i> <i>Electricity Reform Act</i> (provisions about safety regulation) <i>Ichthys LNG Project Act</i> <i>Mutual Recognition (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Northern Territory Products Symbol Act</i> <i>Procurement Act</i> <i>Radioactive Ores and Concentrates (Packaging and Transport) Act</i> <i>Return to Work Act</i> <i>Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Trans-Tasman Mutual Recognition Act</i> <i>Work Health Administration Act</i> <i>Work Health and Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Year 2000 Information Disclosure Act</i>	<b>Desert Knowledge Australia</b> <b>NT Build</b> <b>Work Health Authority</b> Business and industry development Business and skilled migration Co-operatives Dangerous goods Explosives Financial assistance to industry associations and business Incorporated associations Indigenous business enterprise support Industry, economic and labour market analysis Industry participation Procurement policy Procurement Review Board Research and innovation Safety regulation Territory business centres Work health and safety Workers rehabilitation and compensation
<b>Minister for Racing, Gaming and Licensing</b>		<b>Peter Donald Styles</b>
Department of Business	<i>Agents Licensing Act</i> <i>Architects Act</i> <i>Auctioneers Act</i> <i>Auctioneers Act Repeal Act</i> <i>Building Act</i> (provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations) <i>Consumer Affairs and Fair Trading Act</i> (Parts 3, 10 and 14) <i>Electrical Workers and Contractors Act</i> <i>Gaming Control Act</i> (except provisions about taxes and levies)	<b>Racing Commission</b> Alcohol management plans Alcohol policy Casinos, gaming, wagering and lotteries Horseracing, trotting and greyhound racing Liquor, kava and tobacco

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<b>Minister for Racing, Gaming and Licensing</b>		<b>Peter Donald Styles</b>
Department of Business (cont.)	<i>Gaming Machine Act</i> (except Part 8) <i>Kava Management Act</i> <i>Licensed Surveyors Act</i> (provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations) <i>Licensing (Director-General) Act</i> <i>Liquor Act</i> <i>Plumbers and Drainers Licensing Act</i> (provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations) <i>Plumbers and Drainers Licensing (Validation) Act</i> <i>Private Security Act</i> <i>Prostitution Regulation Act</i> <i>Racing and Betting Act</i> (except Part IV, Division 5) <i>Sale of NT TAB Act</i> <i>Soccer Football Pools Act</i> (except provisions about duties) <i>Tobacco Control Act</i> (provisions about smoking in liquor licensed premises, licensing and enforcement) <i>Totalisator Licensing and Regulation Act</i> (except provisions about wagering tax) <i>Unlawful Betting Act</i>	Occupational licenses relating to land use, including building work Occupational licenses relating to the other areas of government allotted to the agency Private security industry Prostitution and sex workers Smoking in liquor licensed premises Totalizators
<b>Minister for Asian Engagement and Trade</b>		<b>Peter Donald Styles</b>
Department of Business		Asian engagement International investment promotion Trade development, strategy and policy
<b>Minister for Employment and Training</b>		<b>Peter Donald Styles</b>
Department of Business	<i>Northern Territory Employment and Training Act</i>	<b>Northern Territory Employment and Training Authority</b> Apprenticeships and traineeships Quality of training Training and employment programs and assistance schemes Vocational education and training administration

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<b>Minister for Public Employment</b>		<b>Peter Donald Styles</b>
Office of the Commissioner for Public Employment	<i>Annual Leave Act</i> <i>Correctional Officers Arbitral Tribunal Act</i> <i>Long Service Leave Act</i> <i>Police Administration Act (Part III)</i> <i>Public Employment (Mobility) Act</i> <i>Public Holidays Act</i> <i>Public Sector Employment and Management Act</i>	Development and coordination of public and private employment strategies Industrial relations Public sector
<b>Minister for Corporate and Information Services</b>		<b>Peter Donald Styles</b>
Department of Corporate and Information Services	<i>Information Act</i> (Part 9 except provisions about archives management)	Asset systems Banking arrangements Corporate tax policy Government office accommodation Information, communications and technology policy and governance NT Fleet Public sector corporate services Public sector information systems and services Public sector workers' compensation administration Records service
<b>Minister for Multicultural Affairs</b>		<b>Peter Donald Styles</b>
Department of the Chief Minister		Multicultural affairs
<b>Minister for Defence Industries</b>		<b>Peter Donald Styles</b>
Department of the Chief Minister		Development of defence-related industries

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<b>Minister for Senior Territorians</b>		<b>Peter Donald Styles</b>
Department of the Chief Minister		Senior Territorians' policy
<b>Treasurer</b>		<b>David William Tollner</b>
<i>[no agency]</i>	<i>Utilities Commission Act</i>	<b>Utilities Commission of the Northern Territory</b>
Department of Treasury and Finance	<i>Advance Bank Integration Act</i> <i>Appropriation (2015-2016) Act</i> <i>Bank of South Australia (Merger with Advance Bank) Act</i> <i>Competition Policy Reform (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Electricity Networks (Third Party Access) Act</i> <i>Electricity Reform Act</i> (provisions about economic regulation) <i>Financial Agreement Between the Commonwealth, States and Territories (Approval) Act</i> <i>Financial Management Act</i> <i>Financial Relations Agreement (Consequential Provisions) Act</i> <i>First Home Owner Grant Act</i> <i>Fiscal Integrity and Transparency Act</i> <i>Gaming Control Act</i> (provisions about taxes and levies) <i>Gaming Machine Act</i> (Part 8) <i>Government Owned Corporations Act</i> <i>McArthur River Project Agreement Ratification Act</i> (provisions about royalties) <i>Merlin Project Agreement Ratification Act</i> (provisions about royalties) <i>Mineral Royalty Act</i> <i>Mining (Gove Peninsula Nabalco Agreement) Act</i> (provisions about royalties) <i>Motor Accidents (Compensation) Act</i> <i>Motor Accidents (Compensation) Commission Act</i> <i>Motor Vehicles Act</i> (Part V) <i>National Electricity (Northern Territory) (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Northern Territory Treasury Corporation Act</i> <i>Occupational Licensing (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Payroll Tax Act</i> <i>Petroleum Act</i> (provisions about royalties)	Borrowings and investments Budget management Commercial analysis Economic policy and analysis Economic regulation Financial management Insurance policy Intergovernmental financial relations Mining royalties Own source revenue Public finance policy Public sector superannuation policy and administration Statistical policy and coordination Taxation Utilities market regulation

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<b>Treasurer</b>		<b>David William Tollner</b>
Department of Treasury and Finance (cont.)	<i>Racing and Betting Act</i> (Part IV, Division 5) <i>Revenue Units Act</i> <i>Soccer Football Pools Act</i> (provisions about duties) <i>Stamp Duty Act</i> <i>Superannuation Act</i> <i>Superannuation Guarantee (Safety Net) Act</i> <i>Supply Act</i> <i>Taxation Administration Act</i> <i>Territory Insurance Office (Sale) Act</i> <i>Totalisator Licensing and Regulation Act</i> (provisions about wagering tax) <i>Unclaimed Superannuation Benefits Act</i> <i>Water Supply and Sewerage Services Act</i> (provisions about economic regulation)	
<b>Minister for Lands and Planning</b>		<b>David William Tollner</b>
Department of Lands, Planning and the Environment	<i>Aboriginal Land Act</i> <i>Building Act</i> (except provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations) <i>Control of Roads Act</i> (Part IV) <i>Crown Lands Act</i> (except section 79) <i>Crown Lands Freehold (Conversion from Crown Leasehold) Act</i> <i>Darwin Waterfront Corporation Act</i> <i>Heritage Act</i> <i>Lands Acquisition Act</i> <i>Lands Acquisition (Pastoral Leases) Act</i> <i>Licensed Surveyors Act</i> (except provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations) <i>Miscellaneous Acts Amendment (Aboriginal Community Living Areas) Act</i> <i>National Trust (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Northern Territory Land Corporation Act</i> <i>Palmerston Development Authority Act Repeal Act</i> <i>Pastoral Land Act</i> (provisions about Aboriginal community living areas) <i>Place Names Act</i> <i>Planning Act</i>	<b>Darwin Waterfront Corporation</b> <b>Development Consent Authority</b> <b>Northern Territory Planning Commission</b> Building advisory services Economic development facilitation Heritage conservation Land administration Land information Land use planning and development assessment Release of industrial and residential land Strategic growth and infrastructure planning

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<b>Minister for Lands and Planning</b>		<b>David William Tollner</b>
Department of Lands, Planning and the Environment (cont.)	<i>Plumbers and Drainers Licensing Act</i> (except provisions relating to the regulation and licensing of occupations) <i>Special Purposes Leases Act</i> <i>Swimming Pool Safety Act</i> <i>Valuation of Land Act</i>	
<b>Minister for Mines and Energy</b>		<b>David William Tollner</b>
Department of Mines and Energy	<i>Bonaparte Gas Pipeline (Special Provisions) Act</i> <i>Energy Pipelines Act</i> <i>Geothermal Energy Act</i> <i>McArthur River Project Agreement Ratification Act</i> (except provisions about royalties) <i>Merlin Project Agreement Ratification Act</i> (except provisions about royalties) <i>Mineral Titles Act</i> <i>Minerals (Acquisition) Act</i> <i>Mining (Gove Peninsula Nabalco Agreement) Act</i> (except provisions about royalties) <i>Mining Management Act</i> <i>National Gas (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>North East Gas Interconnector Pipeline (Special Provisions) Act</i> <i>Petroleum Act</i> (except provisions about royalties) <i>Petroleum (Submerged Lands) Act</i> <i>Tanami Exploration Agreement Ratification Act</i> <i>Trans-Territory Pipeline and Blacktip Gas Projects (Special Provisions) Act</i> <i>Validation (Mining Tenements) Act</i>	Energy (oil and gas) pipeline operation regulation Energy (oil and gas) pipeline title administration Energy (oil, gas and geothermal) operations regulation Energy (oil, gas and geothermal) policy Energy (oil, gas and geothermal) titles administration Energy industry (oil, gas and geothermal) development Environmental management of energy (oil, gas and geothermal) operations Environmental management of mining operations Mining development Mining titles administration Northern Territory Geological Survey Petroleum industry development Petroleum titles administration

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<b>Attorney-General and Minister for Justice</b>		<b>Johan Wessel Elferink</b>
<i>[no agency]</i>	<i>Legal Aid Act</i>	<b>Northern Territory Legal Aid Commission</b> Legal aid (except Aboriginal legal aid)
Department of the Attorney-General and Justice	<i>Absconding Debtors Act</i> <i>Accommodation Providers Act</i> <i>Administration and Probate Act</i> <i>Advance Personal Planning Act</i> <i>Age of Majority Act</i> <i>Aged and Infirm Persons' Property Act</i> <i>Alcohol Mandatory Treatment Act (Part 6)</i> <i>Anglican Church of Australia Act</i> <i>Anti-Discrimination Act</i> <i>Australian Crime Commission (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Bail Act</i> <i>Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act</i> <i>Business Tenancies (Fair Dealings) Act</i> <i>Caravan Parks Act</i> <i>Catholic Church in the Northern Territory Act</i> <i>Choice of Law (Limitation Periods) Act</i> <i>Classification of Publications, Films and Computer Games Act</i> <i>Commercial Arbitration (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Commission of Inquiry (Deaths in Custody) Act</i> <i>Community Justice Centre Act</i> <i>Companies (Trustees and Personal Representatives) Act</i> <i>Companies (Unclaimed Assets and Moneys) Act</i> <i>Compensation (Fatal Injuries) Act</i> <i>Construction Contracts (Security of Payments) Act</i> <i>Consumer Affairs and Fair Trading Act (except Parts 3, 10 and 14)</i> <i>Consumer Credit (National Uniform Legislation) Implementation Act</i> <i>Contracts Act</i> <i>Coroners Act</i> <i>Corporations (Financial Services Reform Amendments) Act</i>	<b>Alcohol Mandatory Treatment Tribunal</b> <b>Health Professional Review Tribunal</b> <b>Mental Health Review Tribunal</b> <b>Northern Territory Civil and Administrative Tribunal</b> Administration of justice Anti-discrimination Caravan parks Censorship Civil liberties Consumer affairs Corporate affairs Courts administration Crime prevention Criminal prosecutions Equal opportunity Financial institutions Freedom of information Land titles Land titles registration Law Law reform Legal profession Privacy Rent and price control Trade measurement

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<b>Attorney-General and Minister for Justice</b>		<b>Johan Wessel Elferink</b>
Department of the Attorney-General and Justice (cont.)	<i>Corporations (Northern Territory Request) Act</i> <i>Corporations Reform (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Court Security Act</i> <i>Courts and Administrative Tribunals (Immunities) Act</i> <i>Crimes at Sea Act</i> <i>Criminal Code Act</i> <i>Criminal Investigation (Extra-territorial Offences) Act</i> <i>Criminal Property Forfeiture Act</i> <i>Criminal Records (Spent Convictions) Act</i> <i>Cross-border Justice Act</i> <i>Crown Proceedings Act</i> <i>Cullen Bay Marina Act</i> <i>De Facto Relationships Act</i> <i>De Facto Relationships (Northern Territory Request) Act</i> <i>Defamation Act</i> <i>Director of Public Prosecutions Act</i> <i>Domestic and Family Violence Act</i> <i>Domicile Act</i> <i>Electronic Conveyancing (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Electronic Transactions (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Encroachment of Buildings Act</i> <i>Evidence Act</i> <i>Evidence (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Family Provision Act</i> <i>Fences Act</i> <i>Financial Sector Reform (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Financial Transaction Reports Act</i> <i>Fines and Penalties (Recovery) Act</i> <i>Health Practitioners Act (Part 3)</i> <i>Information Act (except Part 9)</i> <i>Juries Act</i> <i>Jurisdiction of Courts (Cross-Vesting) Act</i>	

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Department of the Attorney-General and Justice (cont.)	<i>Justices Act</i> <i>Justices of the Peace Act</i> <i>Lake Bennett (Land Title) Act</i> <i>Land Title Act</i> <i>Law of Property Act</i> <i>Law Officers Act</i> <i>Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act</i> <i>Legal Profession Act</i> <i>Limitation Act</i> <i>Local Court Act</i> <i>Local Court Act 2015</i> <i>Magistrates Act</i> <i>Married Persons (Equality of Status) Act</i> <i>Mental Health and Related Services Act (Part 15)</i> <i>Misuse of Drugs Act</i> <i>Northern Territory Civil and Administrative Tribunal Act</i> <i>Northern Territory Civil and Administrative Tribunal (Conferral of Jurisdiction for Native Title Matters) Act</i> <i>Oaths, Affidavits and Declarations Act</i> <i>Observance of Law Act</i> <i>Off-shore Waters (Application of Territory Laws) Act</i> <i>Partnership Act</i> <i>Penalty Units Act</i> <i>Personal Injuries (Civil Claims) Act</i> <i>Personal Injuries (Liabilities and Damages) Act</i> <i>Personal Property Securities (National Uniform Legislation) Implementation Act</i> <i>Powers of Attorney Act</i> <i>Presbyterian Church (Northern Territory) Property Trust Act</i> <i>Price Exploitation Prevention Act</i> <i>Printers and Newspapers Act</i> <i>Professional Standards Act</i> <i>Proportionate Liability Act</i>	

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Department of the Attorney-General and Justice (cont.)	<i>Public Interest Disclosure Act</i> <i>Public Notaries Act</i> <i>Public Seal Act</i> <i>Public Trustee Act</i> <i>Real Property (Unit Titles) Act</i> <i>Records of Depositions Act</i> <i>Registration Act</i> <i>Residential Tenancies Act</i> <i>Retirement Villages Act</i> <i>Rights of the Terminally Ill Act</i> <i>Sale of Goods Act</i> <i>Sale of Goods (Vienna Convention) Act</i> <i>Salvation Army (Northern Territory) Property Trust Act</i> <i>Sea-Carriage Documents Act</i> <i>Sentencing Act</i> <i>Sentencing (Crime of Murder) and Parole Reform Act</i> <i>Serious Crime Control Act</i> <i>Serious Sex Offenders Act</i> <i>Sexual Offences (Evidence and Procedure) Act</i> <i>Sheriff Act</i> <i>Small Claims Act</i> <i>Sources of the Law Act</i> <i>Standard Time Act</i> <i>Status of Children Act</i> <i>Statute Law Revision (Registration of Instruments) Act</i> <i>Summary Offences Act</i> <i>Supreme Court Act</i> <i>Supreme Court (Judges Long Leave Payments) Act</i> <i>Supreme Court (Judges Pensions) Act</i> <i>Supreme Court (Rules of Procedure) Act</i> <i>Surveillance Devices Act</i> <i>Termination of Units Plan and Unit Title Schemes Act</i>	

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Department of the Attorney-General and Justice (cont.)	<i>Terrorism (Northern Territory) Request Act</i> <i>The Commercial Bank of Australia Limited (Merger) Act</i> <i>The Commercial Banking Company of Sydney Limited (Merger) Act</i> <i>Trespass Act</i> <i>Trustee Act</i> <i>Unauthorized Documents Act</i> <i>Uncollected Goods Act</i> <i>Unit Title Schemes Act</i> <i>Unit Titles Act</i> <i>Uniting Church in Australia Act</i> <i>Validation (Native Title) Act</i> <i>Vexatious Proceedings Act</i> <i>Victims of Crime Assistance Act</i> <i>Victims of Crime Rights and Services Act</i> <i>Warehousemen's Liens Act</i> <i>Wills Act</i> <i>Witness Protection (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Youth Justice Act (Part 4)</i>	
<b>Minister for Children and Families</b>		<b>Johan Wessel Elferink</b>
Department of Children and Families	<i>Adoption of Children Act</i> <i>Care and Protection of Children Act (except Part 3.3)</i> <i>Guardianship of Infants Act</i>	Child protection Children's services Family and parent support services Family violence services Out of home care
Department of the Attorney-General and Justice	<i>Care and Protection of Children Act (Part 3.3)</i> <i>Children's Commissioner Act</i>	<b>Children's Commissioner</b>

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<b>Minister for Health</b>		<b>Johan Wessel Elferink</b>
<i>[no agency]</i>	<i>Menzies School of Health Research Act</i>	<b>Menzies School of Health Research</b> University medical education and research
Department of Health	<i>Adult Guardianship Act</i> <i>Alcohol Mandatory Treatment Act (except Part 6)</i> <i>Cancer (Registration) Act</i> <i>Carers Recognition Act</i> <i>Emergency Medical Operations Act</i> <i>Food Act</i> <i>Health Practitioner Regulation (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Health Practitioners Act (except Part 3)</i> <i>Health Services Act</i> <i>Medical Services Act</i> <i>Medicines, Poisons and Therapeutic Goods Act</i> <i>National Health Funding Pool and Administration (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Notifiable Diseases Act</i> <i>Private Hospitals Act</i> <i>Public and Environmental Health Act</i> <i>Radiation Protection Act</i> <i>Tobacco Control Act (except provisions about smoking in liquor licensed premises, licensing and enforcement)</i> <i>Transplantation and Anatomy Act</i> <i>Volatile Substance Abuse Prevention Act</i> <i>Water Supply and Sewerage Services Act (provisions about water quality standards)</i>	Alcohol and other drug services Alcohol management plans – assisting on health matters Alcohol treatment and rehabilitation Food standards Health (including hospital and medical services) Human quarantine NT pensioner and carer concessions Seniors Card Services to the aged Sexual assault services Water quality
Department of the Attorney-General and Justice	<i>Health and Community Services Complaints Act</i>	<b>Health and Community Services Complaints Commission</b> Community service complaints Health complaints
<b>Minister for Disability Services</b>		<b>Johan Wessel Elferink</b>
Department of Health	<i>Disability Services Act</i>	Services to the disabled, including assessment, case management, allied health and specialist services National Disability Services Scheme implementation

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Agency	Act	Area of government
<b>Minister for Mental Health Services</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Johan Wessel Elferink</b></span>		
Department of Health	<i>Mental Health and Related Services Act (except Part 15)</i>	Mental health services
<b>Minister for Correctional Services</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Johan Wessel Elferink</b></span>		
Department of Correctional Services	<i>Correctional Services Act</i> <i>International Transfer of Prisoners (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Parole Act</i> <i>Parole Orders (Transfer) Act</i> <i>Prisoners (Interstate Transfer) Act</i> <i>Youth Justice Act (except Parts 3 and 4)</i>	Correctional services Family responsibility agreements and orders Parole Youth detention Youth justice Youth justice strategy
<b>Minister for Education</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>Peter Glen Chandler</b></span>		
[no agency]	<i>Charles Darwin University Act</i>	<b>Charles Darwin University</b> Advanced education planning and development University education and research
[no agency]	<i>Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education Act</i>	<b>Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education</b> Development, accreditation and delivery of higher education and vocational training programs for indigenous people
Department of Education	<i>Education Act</i> <i>Education and Care Services (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Higher Education Act</i> <i>Teacher Registration (Northern Territory) Act</i>	Approval and accreditation of higher education institutions and courses Distance education Early years education and care services and regulation Grants for educational organisations Planning, development and administration of pre-school, transition, primary, middle, secondary and vocational education and training in schools Registration of teachers and regulation of teaching profession Student assistance schemes

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<b>Minister for Transport</b>		<b>Peter Glen Chandler</b>
Department of Transport	<i>Aerodromes Act Repeal Act</i> <i>AustralAsia Railway Corporation Act</i> <i>AustralAsia Railway (Special Provisions) Act</i> <i>AustralAsia Railway (Third Party Access) Act</i> <i>Commercial Passenger (Road) Transport Act</i> <i>Control of Roads Act (except Part IV)</i> <i>Marine Act</i> <i>Marine Safety (Domestic Commercial Vessel) (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Motor Vehicles Act (except Part V)</i> <i>Ports Management Act</i> <i>Public Transport (Passenger Safety) Act</i> <i>Rail Safety (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Road Transport Reform (Vehicles and Traffic) (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Traffic Act</i>	<b>The AustralAsia Railway Corporation</b> Aviation industry Domestic and international air services Freight industry Logistics industry Maritime industry Public transport Rail industry Regional air services development Road network management Road transport Shipping industry Transport assets Transport policy and planning Transport safety (marine, rail and road)
Darwin Port Corporation	<i>Darwin Port Corporation Act (Part 2, Division 4)</i>	Darwin ports harbourmaster
<b>Minister for Infrastructure</b>		<b>Peter Glen Chandler</b>
Department of Infrastructure		Assets and program management Infrastructure provision Procurement (infrastructure services)
<b>Minister for Essential Services</b>		<b>Peter Glen Chandler</b>
<i>[no agency]</i>	<i>Electricity Reform Act (provisions about supply and service provision under licence)</i> <i>Power and Water Corporation Act</i> <i>Power Generation Corporation Act</i> <i>Power Retail Corporation Act</i> <i>Water Supply and Sewerage Services Act (provisions about supply and service provision under licence)</i>	<b>Power and Water Corporation</b> <b>Power Generation Corporation</b> <b>Power Retail Corporation</b> Electricity generation and supply operations Public sewerage and drainage services operations Public water supplies operations Supply and service provision under licence

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<b>Minister for Veterans Support</b>		<b>Peter Glen Chandler</b>
Department of the Chief Minister		Defence community liaison Veterans support
<b>Minister for Primary Industry and Fisheries</b>		<b>Gary John Higgins</b>
Department of Primary Industry and Fisheries	<i>Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Control of Use) Act</i> <i>Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Animal Welfare Act</i> <i>Biological Control Act</i> <i>Biological Resources Act</i> <i>Fisheries Act</i> <i>Gene Technology (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Livestock Act</i> <i>Meat Industries Act</i> <i>Plant Health Act</i> <i>Poppy Regulation Act</i> <i>Veterinarians Act</i>	Animal welfare Fisheries management Hygienic production of meat for human consumption Interstate agricultural quarantine Primary industry biosecurity Primary production and industry development (including agricultural, aquaculture, horticultural, fisheries and pastoral industries) Protection of consumers of veterinary services
<b>Minister for Land Resource Management</b>		<b>Gary John Higgins</b>
Department of Land Resource Management	<i>Bushfires Act</i> <i>Lake Eyre Basin Intergovernmental Agreement Act</i> <i>Pastoral Land Act</i> (except provisions about Aboriginal community living areas) <i>Soil Conservation and Land Utilisation Act</i> <i>Territory Parks and Wildlife Conservation Act</i> (Part IV, Divisions 1 to 5) <i>Water Act</i> <i>Weeds Management Act</i>	Biodiversity conservation and assessment Conservation of pastoral land Land and water resources assessment and management Pastoral land administration Rural bushfire management Volunteer bushfire management Weed management

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Agency	Act	Area of government
<b>Minister for the Environment</b>		<b>Gary John Higgins</b>
Department of Lands, Planning and the Environment	<i>Environment Protection (Beverage Containers and Plastic Bags) Act</i> <i>Environmental Assessment Act</i> <i>Environmental Offences and Penalties Act</i> <i>Litter Act</i> <i>Marine Pollution Act</i> <i>National Environment Protection Council (Northern Territory) Act</i> <i>Northern Territory Environment Protection Authority Act</i> <i>Nuclear Waste Transport, Storage and Disposal (Prohibition) Act</i> <i>Waste Management and Pollution Control Act</i> <i>Water Efficiency Labelling Standards (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i>	<b>Northern Territory Environment Protection Authority</b> Environment protection and sustainability Environmental assessment Environmental compliance and enforcement Strategic direction on environmental matters
<b>Minister for Arts and Museums</b>		<b>Gary John Higgins</b>
<i>[no agency]</i>	<i>Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory Act</i>	<b>Board of the Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory</b>
Department of Arts and Museums	<i>Information Act (Part 9 except provisions about Records Services)</i> <i>Meteorites Act</i> <i>Publications (Legal Deposit) Act</i> <i>Strehlow Research Centre Act</i>	<b>Strehlow Research Centre Board</b> Archives management Arts and cultural development Arts Grants Board Collection and preservation of natural and cultural heritage Film, television and new media Indigenous Arts Reference Group Library and information services Management of cultural facilities

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Agency	Act	Area of government
<b>Minister for Local Government and Community Services</b>		<b>Bess Nungarrayi Price</b>
<i>[no agency]</i>	<i>Northern Territory Aboriginal Sacred Sites Act</i>	<b>Aboriginal Areas Protection Authority</b> Aboriginal sacred sites
Department of Local Government and Community Services	<i>Cemeteries Act</i> <i>Crown Lands Act</i> (section 79) <i>Jabiru Town Development Act</i> <i>Local Government Act</i> (except Chapter 8) <i>Local Government Grants Commission Act</i> <i>Local Government (Katherine Rates) Act</i> <i>Northern Territory Rates Act</i> <i>Nudity Act</i> <i>Pounds Act</i> <i>Status of Darwin Act</i> <i>Status of Palmerston Act</i>	<b>Jabiru Town Development Authority</b> <b>Northern Territory Grants Commission</b> Community development for regional centres, remote communities and homelands Coordination of funding of essential services to remote Indigenous communities not serviced by Commonwealth programs Coordination of service delivery for regional centres, remote communities and homelands Essential services for remote communities and homelands Interpreting and translating services Local government Local government funding Remote communities and homelands
Northern Territory Electoral Commission	<i>Local Government Act</i> (Chapter 8)	Local government elections and electoral matters
<b>Minister for Housing</b>		<b>Bess Nungarrayi Price</b>
Department of Housing	<i>Community Housing Providers (National Uniform Legislation) Act</i> <i>Housing Act</i>	<b>Chief Executive Officer (Housing)</b> Community and social housing Government employee housing Homelessness services Indigenous housing Public housing

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Agency	Act	Area of government
<b>Minister for Parks and Wildlife</b>		<b>Bess Nungarrayi Price</b>
Parks and Wildlife Commission of the Northern Territory	<i>Cobourg Peninsula Aboriginal Land, Sanctuary and Marine Park Act</i> <i>Nitmiluk (Katherine Gorge) National Park Act</i> <i>Parks and Wildlife Commission Act</i> <i>Territory Parks and Wildlife Conservation Act (except Part IV, Divisions 1 to 5)</i>	<b>Conservation Land Corporation</b> Botanic gardens Management of Territory parks and reserves Territory Wildlife Park and Alice Springs Desert Park Wildlife management Window on the Wetlands
<b>Minister for Men's Policy</b>		<b>Bess Nungarrayi Price</b>
Department of Local Government and Community Services		Men's policy
<b>Minister for Women's Policy</b>		<b>Bess Nungarrayi Price</b>
Department of Local Government and Community Services		Women's policy
<b>Minister for Statehood</b>		<b>Bess Nungarrayi Price</b>
Department of the Attorney-General and Justice		Constitutional development Statehood
Department of the Legislative Assembly	<i>Constitutional Convention (Election) Act</i>	Constitutional conventions
<b>Minister Assisting the Treasurer</b>		<b>Nathan Barrett</b>
Department of the Treasury and Finance		

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Agency	Act	Area of government
<b>Minister for Sport and Recreation</b>		<b>Nathan Barrett</b>
Department of Sport and Recreation	<i>Major Cricket Events Act</i>	<b>NT Institute of Sport</b> Community grants for recreation and sports associations Sport and recreation Sporting events Sporting facilities Water safety
<b>Minister for Young Territorians</b>		<b>Nathan Barrett</b>
Department of the Chief Minister		Youth affairs

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<b>Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Services</b>		<b>Adam Graham Giles</b>
Northern Territory Police, Fire and Emergency Services	<i>Alcohol Protection Orders Act</i> <i>Child Protection (Offender Reporting and Registration) Act</i> <i>Emergency Management Act</i> <i>Fire and Emergency Act</i> <i>Firearms Act</i> <i>Police Administration Act (except Part III)</i> <i>Telecommunications (Interception) Northern Territory Act</i> <i>Terrorism (Emergency Powers) Act</i> <i>Weapons Control Act</i> <i>Youth Justice Act (Part 3)</i>	<b>Police Force of the Northern Territory</b> Emergency services Fire and rescue services Police
<b>Treasurer</b>		<b>David William Tollner</b>
Northern Territory Treasury Corporation	<i>Northern Territory Treasury Corporation Act</i>	Financial asset and liability management Territory borrowings
<b>Minister for Local Government and Community Services</b>		<b>Bess Nungarrayi Price</b>
Aboriginal Areas Protection Authority	<i>Northern Territory Aboriginal Sacred Sites Act</i>	Aboriginal sacred sites
<b>Minister for Housing</b>		<b>Bess Nungarrayi Price</b>
Department of Housing – NT Home Ownership	<i>Housing Act</i>	<b>Chief Executive Officer (Housing)</b> Housing loans

## Schedule 4 – Ministers and ministerial offices

The number and designation of Ministerial offices is determined by the Administrator under section 34 of the *Northern Territory (Self-Government) Act 1978* (Cth). The Ministers are appointed by the Administrator under section 36 of that Act.

### **Adam Graham Giles**

Chief Minister  
Minister for Police, Fire and Emergency Services  
Minister for Tourism  
Minister for Northern and Central Australia  
Minister for Economic Development and Major Projects  
Minister for Indigenous Affairs

### **Johan Wessel Elferink**

Attorney-General and Minister for Justice  
Minister for Children and Families  
Minister for Health  
Minister for Disability Services  
Minister for Mental Health Services  
Minister for Correctional Services

### **Bess Nungarrayi Price**

Minister for Local Government and Community Services  
Minister for Housing  
Minister for Parks and Wildlife  
Minister for Men's Policy  
Minister for Women's Policy  
Minister for Statehood

### **Peter Donald Styles**

Minister for Business  
Minister for Racing, Gaming and Licensing  
Minister for Asian Engagement and Trade  
Minister for Employment and Training  
Minister for Public Employment  
Minister for Corporate and Information Services  
Minister for Multicultural Affairs  
Minister for Defence Industries  
Minister for Senior Territorians

### **Peter Glen Chandler**

Minister for Education  
Minister for Transport  
Minister for Infrastructure  
Minister for Essential Services  
Minister for Veterans Support

### **Nathan Barrett**

Minister Assisting the Treasurer  
Minister for Sport and Recreation  
Minister for Young Territorians

### **David William Tollner**

Treasurer  
Minister for Lands and Planning  
Minister for Mines and Energy

### **Gary John Higgins**

Minister for Primary Industry and Fisheries  
Minister for Land Resource Management  
Minister for the Environment  
Minister for Arts and Museums

## NOTE

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