Department of Communities and Justice

Executive Structure

SECRETARY
Michael Tidball

NSW Anti-Slavery Commissioner
James Cockayne

A/Executive Director
Office of the Secretary
Sarah Morris

Homes NSW
Chief Executive Officer
Rebecca Pinkstone

- Head of Housing Portfolio
  Michael wheatley
- Executive Director
  Strategy,Policy and Regulation
  Renee Wirth
- Executive Director
  Programs and Partnerships
  Humair Ahmad
- Chief Executive
  Aboriginal Housing Office
  Famey Williams
- Executive Director
  Disaster Welfare and Business Continuity
  Feargus O'Connor
- Executive Director
  Housing Services
  Tara Vella

Courts, Tribunals and Service Delivery
Deputy Secretary
Chris D'Aeth

- A/Executive Director
  (Principal Registar)
  Superior Courts
  Rebel Kenna
- A/Executive Director
  Court Services
  Sue Jenner
- Executive Director
  (Principal Registrar)
  NSW Civil & Admin Tribunal
  Michelle Brazel
- Sheriff of NSW
  Sheriff's Office
  Tracey Hall
- A/Executive Director
  Strategy Reform & Support
  Cara Lawson
- A/Commissioner
  Victims Rights
  Victim Services
  Annette Farrell

Child Protection and Permanency
A/Deputy Secretary
Lauren Dean

- Executive District Director
  Mid North Coast, Northern NSW and New England
  Nicola Jeffers
- A/Executive District Director
  South Western Sydney
  Paul Garrahy
- A/Executive District Director
  Western Sydney Nepean Blue Mountains
  Elaine Thomson
- Executive District Director
  Hunter and Central Coast
  Belinda Edwards
- Executive District Director
  Illawarra Shoalhaven and Southern NSW
  Sydney, South East Sydney and Northern Sydney
  Tracey Stokoe
- A/Executive District Director
  Murrumbidgee, Far West & Western NSW
  Nicholas Backo
- A/Executive Director
  Community Services Statewide Services
  Tracey New
  Until 24/03/2025
- A/Senior Practitioner
  (Executive Director)
  Office of the Senior Practitioner
  Elaine Thomson

Strategy, Policy and Commissioning
A/Deputy Secretary
Jessica Stewart
(until 30 April)

- Executive Director
  Disability, Inclusion and Early Intervention
  Zoe Dendle
- Executive Director
  Partnerships
  Melinda Norton
- Executive Director
  FACSIAR
  Matthew Fusarelli
  (until 30 April)
- Executive Director
  BOCSAR
  Jackie Fitzgerald
- Executive Director
  Women, Family and Community Safety
  Jennifer Quincey
- Women's Safety Commissioner
  Hannah Tonkin
- A/Executive Director
  Commissioning and Planning
  Susan Mullard

System Reform
A/Deputy Secretary
Paul O'Reilly

- Executive Director
  Child & Family
  Stuart Malcher
- Executive Director
  High Cost Emergency Arrangements
  Briony Foster
- A/Executive Director
  Youth Justice
  Candice Neilson

Law Reform and Legal Services
A/Deputy Secretary
Mark Follett
(until 2 June)

- General Counsel Legal
  Lida Kaban
  - Commissioner
    Surveillance Devices
    Don McKenzie
  - A/Executive Director
    Policy, Reform & Legislation
    Sallie McLean
    (until 2 June)
  - Chairperson
    Law Reform Commission
    The Hon T F Bathurst AC QC
  - Chairperson
    Sentencing Council
    The Hon Peter McClellan AM
  - A/President
    Anti-Discrimination NSW Board
    Chris D'Aeth
    (until 9 September)
  - Senior Public Defender
    Public Defender's Office
    Richard Wilson SC
  - Legal Services Commissioner
    Office of the Legal Services Commissioner
    Samantha Gulliver
  - Inspector of Custodial Services
    Fiona Rafter
  - Solicitor General & Crown Advocate
    Michael Sexton SC & Dr David Kell SC
  - CEO, Legal Services Council & Commissioner, Uniform Legal Services Regulation
    Legal Services Council
    Heather Moore

Corporate Services
A/Deputy Secretary
Gelina Talbot

- Chief Financial Officer
  Finance & Procurement
  Matt Easdown
- A/Chief Digital Information Officer
  Information & Digital Services
  Jay Huntley
- Chief People Officer
  People
  Catherine Carvolth
- Executive Director
  Infrastructure & Assets
  Katherine Tollner
- Executive Director
  Shared Services & Customer Experience
  Andrew Peir
- Executive Director
  Communications
  Stephen Lally
- A/Executive Director
  myWorkZone Service Support and Operations
  Joan Gilbert
- Executive Director
  Major Program Delivery
  Alastair Hunter
- Executive Director
  Reporting & Analytics
  Rebekah Bonney
- Executive Director
  Financial Performance & Transformation
  Bronwyn (Bronny) Roy
- Director
  Governance Risk Audit and Compliance
  Chief Audit Executive
  Brenda Turner & Lakshmi Satyanarayana

Transforming Aboriginal Outcomes
A/Executive Director
Bianca Jarrett

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