

Justice and Community Safety Directorate

ACT Government Solicitor

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The ACT Government Solicitor is the primary source of legal services to the ACT government, its directorates and agencies, and ACT statutory officers. The office provides strategic advice and practical legal solutions.

The ACT Government Solicitor was established as a body corporate by the [Government Solicitor Act 1989](#) to act as legal practitioner for the Territory, its Ministers and agencies.

The government solicitor office is a legal practice managed through three operational sections:

1. **property and commercial** - focusing on commercial matters, procurement, land and property
2. **government law** - focusing on advice and litigation regarding administrative law and regulatory functions
3. **civil litigation** - focusing on civil and commercial claims against the Territory.

The role of the Government Solicitor's office is to help clarify legal issues, and establish the most effective way to meet particular legal service or advice requirements. Visit their [website](#) for more information.

The ACT Government Solicitor does not represent other clients.