

# ACT Government Solicitor

## What We Do

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In addition to performing the role of Solicitor-General pursuant to the [Law Officer's Act 2011](#), the Solicitor-General has been directed by the Attorney-General to perform the functions of the Chief Solicitor and accordingly is also responsible for the legal practice and management of the ACT Government Solicitor (ACTGS).

Together with the Office of the Solicitor-General, the ACTGS operates as a legal practice through three sections:

- **Property and Commercial** - focusing on commercial matters, procurement, land and property
- **Government Law** - focusing on advice and litigation regarding administrative law and regulatory functions
- **Litigation and Dispute Resolution** - focusing on civil and commercial claims against the Territory.

Our activities are delivered through the efforts of a committed team of lawyers, paralegals, legal assistants as well as our corporate staff.

Detail on ACTGS activity can be found in the [Justice and Community Safety Annual Report 2015-16](#).