

Australian Government

Australian Radiation Protection and Nuclear Safety Agency



Protective Security Policy

Commitment statement

ARPANSA's commitment to protective security will be demonstrated through effective application of the protective security policy framework. ARPANSA will develop and apply a fit for purpose security framework that is compliant to the requirements, relevant and applicable across the agency. ARPANSA is equally committed to utilising our expertise to develop a protective security culture within the agency.

ARPANSA's commitment

This policy shows the commitment of ARPANSA's management to:

- develop and foster a protective security culture within **ARPANSA**
- employ a holistic protective security approach •
- the protective security of all ARPANSA activities through the promotion of core values, beliefs and behaviours
- prioritise protective security with other organisational goals and thereby achieving business objectives without undue risk
- maintain protective security systems and set measurable objectives and targets to ensure continued improvement aimed at the elimination or reduction of security incidents

- be a leader in protective security •
- embed protective security systems across the whole organisation
- ensure that continuous improvements are measured, evaluated and reported against the agency goals and objectives
- consult with key stakeholder, experts and the workforce for protective security improvements
- report, investigate and learn from all protective • security incidents
- comply with the *Protective Security Policy Framework* • (PSPF) and the related requirements of the Public Governance, Performance and Accountability Act (PGPA).

Security is everyone's responsibility and while ARPANSA's Executive Group have additional responsibilities to allocate resources, provide instruction and ensure compliance, every person has a duty to prevent protective security incidents; a duty to ourselves and others by identifying potential risks in and around our workplace, wherever that may be. To achieve this, all workers at all levels need to be actively engaged in the process.

This policy will be reviewed biennially.

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CEO of ARPANSA

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