

Position Description Solicitor

General Functions and Tasks:

1. Supporting the Chief Executive Officer in the achievement of NTSCORP's goals and objectives;
2. Supporting the Principal Solicitor in the achievement of NTSCORP's goals and objectives;
3. Together with the Principal Solicitor, provides legal advice to Native Title holders and claimants and native title prescribed bodies corporate;
4. Together with the Principal Solicitor, provides advocacy and representation to Native Title holders and claimants before the Federal Court of Australia and other Courts and Tribunals;
5. Together with the Principal Solicitor, assists Native Title holders and claimants in negotiations with third parties in relation to settlement of claims, Indigenous Land Use Agreements, future acts and related agreements;
6. Contributes to the development and implementation of appropriate strategies to achieve Native Title and other positive outcomes for Native Title holders and claimants;
7. Contributes to the development and implementation of policies relating to Native Title law and practice and related areas such as PBCs and cultural heritage;
8. Together with the Principal Solicitor, briefs and manages external legal and other service providers as required;
9. Participating on various internal and external committees and in conferences and training;
10. A part of the position's duties will include out-of-hours and on-call cover; and
11. Performs related work as assigned and such other duties as the Principal Solicitor or the Chief Executive Officer may determine.