



Australian Government

Department of Climate Change
and Energy Efficiency

Clean Energy Regulator CEO/Chair and Members

- Forefront of climate change regulation & economic reform
- Full time and part time roles

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The Clean Energy Regulator will have significant powers to enforce the carbon pricing mechanism. The organisation will operate with a high level of operational independence, with a Board comprised of a Chair, who will also be appointed as CEO, and between 2 and 4 Members. We are now seeking applications from qualified candidates interested in exploring these high profile and challenging leadership roles.

CEO/Chair

The CEO/Chair will provide strategic and operational leadership of the new Regulator, a sizeable and diverse organisation which will consolidate existing regulatory activities with the administration of the carbon pricing mechanism, and will work collaboratively with the Members and the senior executive team to build the new organisation. The CEO/Chair will be accountable for administering an effective, robust and credible regulatory function, engaging with Government, industry and the community, representing the Regulator both locally and internationally, and driving a high performing organisation in the delivery of a challenging and highly scrutinised environmental and economic reform program.

Candidates should possess Senior Executive and/or Board level experience, supported by a sound understanding of regulatory environments and the requirements of effective corporate management and governance. The role will require outstanding organisational leadership and strategic capabilities obtained within a dynamic, complex, reform-oriented environment. Excellent stakeholder engagement and representational skills will be essential, underpinned by the credibility and reputation required to engage effectively with Government, industry and the community, both domestically and internationally. **Ref: 5947**

Candidates for all roles will require highly attuned judgement, and the proven capacity to operate within the Government context, resolving ambiguity and driving outcomes in this highly sensitised area of economic reform.

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Members

Members will be required to contribute to the strategic direction and guidance of the Clean Energy Regulator, providing expert advice and supporting the CEO/Chair in all aspects of the full range of regulatory and compliance responsibilities. Members may be appointed on either a part time or full time basis.

Candidates will require high level leadership capability, with substantial knowledge and significant standing in one of a number of fields, including economics, energy, greenhouse technologies, financial markets, land resource management, and/or public administration and regulation. **Ref: 5948**

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