



Western Australia

# *Economic Regulation Authority*

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## **SENIOR POSITIONS IN ECONOMIC REGULATION**

The Economic Regulation Authority (Authority) is seeking applications from exceptional individuals to head the Secretariat of this newly established independent Government agency located in Perth Western Australia. The Authority was established on 1 January 2004 with economic regulatory functions in gas, rail, water, and will shortly assume similar responsibilities in electricity. The functions of the Authority include pricing, licensing, performance monitoring and the undertaking of specific inquiries referred to the Authority by Government, particularly for utility services.

### **GENERAL MANAGER**

**Position Number ERA24041 Salary \$114,753**

The General Manager is responsible for the ongoing operations of the Authority and to support the Governing Body in carrying out its functions. The key attributes and responsibilities of the General Manager are to:

- provide leadership, strategic direction with a focus on results;
- take responsibility for the planning and implementation of the financial and other administrative functions of the Authority;
- coordinate and plan the activities of the Authority;
- manage the resources, including human resources, of the Authority;
- develop and maintain the framework of regulatory activities including public consultation and provide advice on regulatory matters as required; and
- develop and maintain the framework for performance monitoring and benchmarking for efficient and effective economic regulation.

### **DIRECTOR WATER DIVISION**

**Position Number ERA24040 Salary \$91,299 - \$98,163**

This position directs the operations, functions and administration of the Division. The Director has overall responsibility for the administration of the water licensing scheme including the granting, amending and transferring of licences, public consultation and for the management of referrals on matters including pricing, quality, reliability, investment and business practices in the water industry.

### **DIRECTOR RAIL DIVISION**

**Position Number ERA24004 Salary \$91,299 - \$98,163**

This position directs the operations, functions and administration of the Rail Division. The Director has overall responsibility for the administration of the rail access regime

including determinations by the Authority, monitoring, public consultation and for the management of referrals on matters including pricing, quality, reliability, investment and business practices in the rail industry.

**Further Information:** For further job-related information on these positions please contact the Chairman of the Authority, Mr Lyndon Rowe, on (08) 9213 1900. Additional information is also available on the ERA website: [www.era.wa.gov.au](http://www.era.wa.gov.au).

**Application Kits:** It is essential that applicants address the criteria for advertised positions. The criteria may be obtained as part of an application kit available by calling 9262 1185 (24 hour service) or by emailing a request to [human.resources@dtf.wa.gov.au](mailto:human.resources@dtf.wa.gov.au).

**Closing Date for these Positions:** No later than 5:00pm 8 June 2004. Applications and supporting documentation received after the specified closing date and time will not be accepted. Proforma and telephone applications will not be accepted.