

# Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998, New South Wales

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Other Names: • PIPP

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## **Details**

The Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998 (PIPP) deals with how NSW government agencies manage personal information. It applies to state government agencies, statutory or declared authorities, the police service and local councils. The Act also sets out the role of the NSW Privacy Commissioner. It does not apply to health records and does not apply to private information gathered by non-government (private) agencies. Information from private agencies could potentially be sought through the Commonwealth (Australian) Privacy Act 1988. In 2014 the Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998 was current.

### More info

#### Related Entries

#### **Related Legislation**

- Privacy Act 1988, Commonwealth of Australia (1988 current)
- Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009, New South Wales (2009 current)

The Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009 (GIPAA) and the Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998 are the two pieces of legislation that regulate access to information from the New South Wales Government.

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