

Commonwealth Government  
**RUDD MINISTRY**

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TITLE	MINISTER	OTHER CHAMBER
<b>Prime Minister</b> <b>Cabinet Secretary</b> <b>Minister for Climate Change and Water</b> <i>Parliamentary Secretary for Early Childhood Education and Childcare</i> <i>Parliamentary Secretary</i>	The Hon Kevin Rudd MP Senator the Hon John Faulkner Senator the Hon Penny Wong <i>The Hon Maxine McKew MP</i> <i>The Hon Anthony Byrne MP</i>	Senator the Hon Chris Evans The Hon Lindsay Tanner MP The Hon Wayne Swan MP
<b>Minister for Education</b> <b>Minister for Employment and Workplace Relations</b> <b>Minister for Social Inclusion</b> (Deputy Prime Minister) Minister for Youth Minister for Employment Participation <i>Parliamentary Secretary for Social Inclusion and the Voluntary Sector</i> <i>Parliamentary Secretary Assisting the Prime Minister for Social Inclusion</i>	The Hon Julia Gillard MP The Hon Julia Gillard MP The Hon Julia Gillard MP  The Hon Kate Ellis MP The Hon Brendan O'Connor MP <i>Senator the Hon Ursula Stephens</i>	Senator the Hon Kim Carr Senator the Hon Penny Wong Senator the Hon Penny Wong  Senator the Hon Penny Wong Senator the Hon Penny Wong
<b>Treasurer</b> Assistant Treasurer Minister for Competition Policy and Consumer Affairs Minister for Superannuation and Corporate Law	The Hon Wayne Swan MP The Hon Chris Bowen MP The Hon Chris Bowen MP Senator the Hon Nick Sherry	Senator the Hon Stephen Conroy Senator the Hon Stephen Conroy Senator the Hon Stephen Conroy The Hon Lindsay Tanner MP
<b>Minister for Immigration and Citizenship</b> (Leader of the Government in the Senate) <i>Parliamentary Secretary for Multicultural Affairs and Settlement Services</i>	Senator the Hon Chris Evans  <i>The Hon Laurie Ferguson MP</i>	The Hon Robert McClelland MP
<b>Special Minister of State</b> (Vice President of the Executive Council) <b>Minister for Finance and Deregulation</b>	Senator the Hon John Faulkner  The Hon Lindsay Tanner MP	The Hon Lindsay Tanner MP  Senator the Hon Nick Sherry
<b>Minister for Trade</b> <i>Parliamentary Secretary</i> <b>Minister for Foreign Affairs</b> <i>Parliamentary Secretary for Pacific Island Affairs</i> <i>Parliamentary Secretary for International Development Assistance</i>	The Hon Simon Crean MP The Hon John Murphy MP The Hon Stephen Smith MP <i>The Hon Duncan Kerr MP</i> <i>The Hon Bob McMullan MP</i>	Senator the Hon John Faulkner  Senator the Hon John Faulkner
<b>Minister for Defence</b> Minister for Veterans' Affairs Minister for Defence Science and Personnel <i>Parliamentary Secretary for Defence Procurement</i> <i>Parliamentary Secretary</i>	The Hon Joel Fitzgibbon MP The Hon Alan Griffin MP The Hon Warren Snowdon MP <i>The Hon Greg Combet AM MP</i> <i>The Hon Dr Mike Kelly AM MP</i>	Senator the Hon John Faulkner Senator the Hon John Faulkner Senator the Hon John Faulkner
<b>Minister for Health and Ageing</b> Minister for Ageing Minister for Sport <i>Parliamentary Secretary</i>	The Hon Nicola Roxon MP The Hon Justine Elliot MP The Hon Kate Ellis MP <i>Senator the Hon Jan McLucas</i>	Senator the Hon Chris Evans Senator the Hon Stephen Conroy Senator the Hon Chris Evans
<b>Minister for Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs</b> Minister for Housing Minister for the Status of Women <i>Parliamentary Secretary for Disabilities and Children's Services</i>	The Hon Jenny Macklin MP  The Hon Tanya Plibersek MP The Hon Tanya Plibersek MP <i>The Hon Bill Shorten MP</i>	Senator the Hon Chris Evans  Senator the Hon Chris Evans Senator the Hon Penny Wong
<b>Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government</b> (Leader of the House) <i>Parliamentary Secretary for Regional Development and Northern Australia</i>	The Hon Anthony Albanese MP  <i>The Hon Gary Gray AO MP</i>	Senator the Hon Stephen Conroy
<b>Minister for Broadband, Communications and the Digital Economy</b> (Deputy Leader of the Government in the Senate)	Senator the Hon Stephen Conroy	The Hon Anthony Albanese MP
<b>Minister for Innovation, Industry, Science and Research</b> Minister for Small Business, Independent Contractors and the Service Economy <i>Minister Assisting the Finance Minister on Deregulation</i>	Senator the Hon Kim Carr The Hon Dr Craig Emerson MP	The Hon Dr Craig Emerson MP Senator the Hon Kim Carr
<b>Minister for the Environment, Heritage and the Arts</b>	The Hon Peter Garrett AM MP	Senator the Hon Penny Wong
<b>Attorney-General</b> Minister for Home Affairs	The Hon Robert McClelland MP The Hon Bob Debus MP	Senator the Hon Joe Ludwig Senator the Hon Joe Ludwig
<b>Minister for Human Services</b> (Manager of Government Business in the Senate)	Senator the Hon Joe Ludwig	The Hon Tanya Plibersek MP
<b>Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry</b>	The Hon Tony Burke MP	Senator the Hon Nick Sherry
<b>Minister for Resources and Energy</b> <b>Minister for Tourism</b>	The Hon Martin Ferguson AM MP The Hon Martin Ferguson AM MP	Senator the Hon Kim Carr Senator the Hon Nick Sherry

Each box represents a portfolio. **Cabinet Ministers are shown in bold type.** As a general rule, there is one department in each portfolio. However, there is a Department of Climate Change in the Prime Minister's portfolio and a Department of Veterans' Affairs in the Defence portfolio. Except for the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet, the Department of Finance and Deregulation, the Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations, the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, the Department of the Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts, the Department of Climate Change and the Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism the title of each department reflects that of the portfolio minister.