ALRC Audit Committee 2020–21

During 2020–21 the Audit Committee was made up of three members, appointed by the President. As at 1 July 2020 the ALRC Audit Committee was comprised as follows:

**Chair and External Member: Jennifer Clark**

Ms Clark has an extensive background in business, finance and governance through a career as an Investment Banker and as a Non-Executive Director. She has been the chair or member of over 20 audit, risk and finance committees in the Commonwealth and private sectors over the past 30 years. Ms Clark is a Fellow of the Australian Institute of Company Directors and has substantial experience in financial and performance reporting, audit and risk management.

**External Member: Cherie Enders**

Ms Enders’ early career included senior management roles in banking, insurance and funds management organisations before she moved into large local government authority as a general manager of corporate and commercial operations. Ms Enders is now the Chief Operating Officer for a commonwealth statutory authority for the regulation of maritime safety. Throughout her career, her work has largely focussed on developing organisations through capability improvement, process redesign and cultural growth. Ms Enders holds qualifications in psychology, financial and business management and HR/organisation development. Ms Enders is a current member of the Australian Institute of Company Directors.

**External Member: Lily Viertmann – term commenced 1 July 2020**

Ms Viertmann has held senior roles in the Commonwealth and State Government in a number of portfolios including treasury, finance, health, defence, environment and industrial relations. She has over 10 years’ experience as Chief Finance Officer in a number of Commonwealth entities. She has a Bachelor of Economics and a Master in Business Administration majoring in Financial Management. She is a Fellow Certified Practising Accountant and a graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors. She was, until August 2020, the Chief Finance Officer, Chief Risk Officer and the Chief Audit Executive of a Commonwealth Agency.