

**CLARE SHARP – A/G ASSISTANT SECRETARY, BUSINESS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DIVISION**

Clare has recently taken up the role of A/g Assistant Secretary within the Community and Economic Development Division. The Division is responsible for developing indigenous business and economic policy and rolling out the Community Development Programme (CDP). Clare is primarily responsible for the Indigenous Procurement Policy, Business Policy & Development and Economic Development within remote Australia.

Clare has Bachelors of Law and a Bachelor of Arts, (first class honours from the ANU). Prior to joining the Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet, Clare worked as a Senior Associate at Ashurt, specialising in complex procurement, government contracting and administrative law.

