

Deputy Senior Crown Prosecutor – Southern Region based in Wollongong \$332,150 p.a. plus Conveyance Allowance \$17,090 p.a.

The Attorney General is seeking applications from qualified persons for appointment as Deputy Senior Crown Prosecutor (Wollongong) under the *Crown Prosecutors Act 1986* for a fixed term of up to seven years that may be renewed, following an initial twelve-month probationary period.

The role of Deputy Senior Crown Prosecutor is to conduct proceedings and act as independent Counsel on behalf of the Director of Public Prosecutions in significant trials or appeals in the Superior Courts. The appointee will advise the Director of Public Prosecutions at the highest level and exercises functions which have been delegated by the Director of Public Prosecutions.

Deputy Senior Crown Prosecutor also assist the Senior Crown Prosecutor in the day to day management of Crown Prosecutors, including providing mentoring and guidance.

Applicants must be Australian lawyers eligible for admission as a legal practitioners of the Supreme Court of New South Wales. Preferred candidates will have extensive experience as Counsel in jury trials and/or appellate advocacy in criminal matters; extensive knowledge of NSW criminal law, rules of evidence and relevant Prosecution Guidelines, the legal principles applicable to Crown Prosecutors and the relevant Rules of the NSW Bar Association.

Applicants should have strong, analytical, problem-solving and time-management skills and the demonstrated ability to prioritise a consistently busy workload and make high-level decisions under pressure. The role of Deputy Senior Crown Prosecutor further requires mentoring and organisational skills, knowledge of the ODPP Code of Conduct and a strong commitment to ethical practices.

Note: Probity checks will be conducted.

Applications in Word or PDF, accompanied by a detailed curriculum vitae and the names of at least two referees, must be completed online.

Applications close: Sunday, 23 May 2021 (11.59 pm).

If you would like to discuss this opportunity further contact the Director of Public Prosecutions on (02) 9285 8888.

Applications must be lodged electronically. Please go to iworkfor.nsw.gov.au and search job reference number (20059)