

Deputy Senior Crown Prosecutor – Sydney

\$338,930 p.a. plus Conveyance Allowance \$17,515 p.a.

The Attorney General is seeking applications from qualified persons for appointment as Deputy Senior Crown Prosecutors 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 in order to provide the highest level of advice to, and representation on behalf of, the Director of Public Prosecutions. The position holder also advises the Director of Public Prosecutions on matters referred for advice and exercises functions which have been delegated by the Director of Public Prosecutions.

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

Interested applicants must be an Australian Lawyer; eligible for admission as a legal practitioner of the Supreme Court of New South Wales; extensive experience as a Counsel in jury trials and/or appellate advocacy in criminal matters; extensive knowledge of NSW criminal laws, the rules of evidence and relevant Prosecution Guidelines and legal principles applicable to Crown Prosecutors and the relevant Rules of the NSW Bar Association; strong interpersonal, organisational, analytical, problem solving and time management skills with the ability to make decisions under pressure; mentoring skills and an interest in continuing professional development; ability to prioritise a consistently busy workload and continually maintain a high level of quality of professional work; 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: Monday, 25 April 2022 (11:59PM).

If you would like to discuss this opportunity further contact Ms Sally Dowling SC on (02) 9285 8888.

Applications must be lodged electronically. Please go to jobs.dcj.nsw.gov.au and search job reference number (42139).