

AusIndustry

an independent body established by the Australian government to assist with the administration of its innovation and venture capital programs

The Australian  
Competition and  
Consumer Commission

an independent authority, aiming to ensure that individuals and businesses comply with the Commonwealth competition, fair trading and consumer protection laws

australiandesign.org

an initiative of the Australian Design Awards aimed at supporting, promoting and enriching the Australian industrial design community

Australian Securities  
and Investments  
Commission

one of Australia's corporate, market and financial services regulators, ensuring that financial markets are fair and transparent

Business.gov

deals with businesses at the start-up stage and provides advice on business structure, marketing plans and export strategies

<p>The Council of Small Business of Australia</p>	<p>the peak body of small business organisations; provides support packages to small businesses</p>
<p>Innovation Australia</p>	<p>a board that supports programs involving innovations that are developing renewable energy and green technologies</p>
<p>IP Australia</p>	<p>the Australian Government agency responsible for intellectual property including administering patents, trademarks and plant breeder's rights</p>
<p>NRMA Motoring &amp; Services</p>	<p>one of many non-government agencies prepared to commit to innovation and new products e.g. the Optalert technology</p>
<p>Standards Australia</p>	<p>a regulatory body that establishes criteria that all products and processes are required to work towards</p>