In 2018–19, the Australian Government invested $135.2 million in the Indian Ocean Territories, through the Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Cities and Regional Development, which is directly responsible for providing essential infrastructure, the legal framework and state-type services to the community. For more information, please visit [www.regional.gov.au/territories/indian_ocean/](http://www.regional.gov.au/territories/indian_ocean/) or contact [indianoceanterritories@infrastructure.gov.au](mailto:indianoceanterritories@infrastructure.gov.au). It is our commitment to provide good governance, laws and services to ensure people living in our IOT have access to services comparable to other similar Australian communities.