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Introduction

Part one of the Federal Magistrates Court of Australia 2005-06 annual report contains an annual review of the Federal Magistrates Court's work, examining the major legal and administrative developments over the year.

Part two provides a brief introduction to and overview of the Federal Magistrates Court of Australia ('Federal Magistrates Court') – its establishment, objectives, organisational details and jurisdiction.

Part three contains information on the performance of the Federal Magistrates Court, the work of the Court, examples of cases and information on complaints, appeals, court circuits and primary dispute resolution.

Part four contains information on governance, corporate planning, performance reporting and review, remuneration of senior executives and an analysis of financial performance.

Information about external scrutiny and management of human resources is contained in part five.

Part six contains information on purchasing, assets management, consultancies and competitive tendering and contracting.

Financial statements are contained in part seven. Appendixes in part eight provide details on staffing levels, report compliance, resources, presentations, consultancies and fraud control.

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