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APA Risk Management Policy





1 Purpose

APA Group Limited (APA) is Australia's leading energy infrastructure business. Our purpose is to strengthen communities through 'responsible energy' and our vision is to be 'world class' in energy solutions.

The Risk Management Policy (Policy) sets out the principals, objectives and responsibilities for risk management and articulates the key elements of the Risk Management System (RMS) aligned to the international risk management standard ISO 31000.

Effective application of the Policy helps APA maintain appropriate risk exposures to manage uncertainty in its business and support achievement of APA's strategic priorities and goals, in line with its risk appetite.

2 Scope

This Policy applies to all risks and all risk management activities, APA directors, subsidiaries, controlled entities, employees, consultants, contractors and all other people when they represent APA. Application of the RMS ensures a consistent approach and common language for risk management across APA.

The Risk Management System (RMS) sets out the principles and key processes for risk management. These are used to align with other specialist risk capabilities including engineering risk, IT security, process safety, workplace health and safety, environment and heritage risk, climate risk, treasury risk, tax risk and project risk.

3 Risk management position and principles

Risk is inherent in all aspects of APA's activities and key to our decision making, providing confidence in our ability to achieve the strategic priorities and goals underpinning our vision and purpose. We maintain risk management practices focussed on cost effective management of risk while maintaining alignment with our risk appetite. This allows APA to both protect and enhance value for our stakeholders.

We adopt the following principles to ensure uncertain adverse outcomes are minimised and uncertain opportunities are maximised:

- Consistent, structured and embedded: We maintain a single, structured, embedded and fit for purpose risk management system, focussed on identifying and managing the uncertainties impacting value.
- **Integrated in key decisions:** We consider risk as an integral part of APA decision making, with application across strategic planning, our growth or change projects and operations, providing for informed risk taking consistent with our risk appetite.
- Risk aware culture: We promote risk awareness in all aspects of our business, driven by a strong "tone at the top", which encourages issue escalation and transparency.

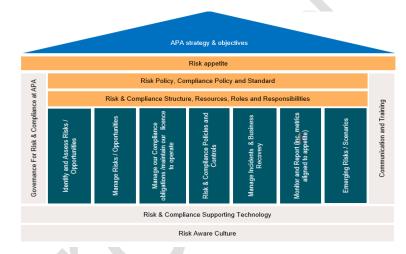


- Ownership: We are accountable for our actions and empower management to take ownership of risk to ensure it is managed and regularly monitored, with an assurance capability to check critical controls in place.
- **Resourcing:** We act responsibly in the conduct of our business and will allocate sufficient resources for effective risk management.
- **Continual improvement:** We continually improve our risk management system to ensure our practices remain appropriate and effective.

4 Risk management objectives

The RMS sets out the approach for ensuring risk is effectively identified, managed and monitored.

The RMS consists of three core components being the risk structure, risk management framework and risk management support.



The key objectives of the Risk Management System are to:

- Systemically identify and manage all of APA's material risks.
- Provide for considered risk taking in decisions, consistent with APA's risk appetite.
- Provide for effective internal controls and action planning to manage current or emerging risks.
- Regularly monitor, review and update APA's risk registers and risk profile reflecting new or changed risks in line with business activities.
- Provide for alignment to specialist risk areas including critical infrastructure security risk, project risk, health & safety risk, environment & cultural heritage risk, sustainability & climate risk and cyber risk.
- Incorporate key strategic emerging risks into APA's strategic planning process.
- Ensure effective systems for recovery in the event of the unexpected occurring and improving controls to prevent or limit impact on reoccurrence.
- Continually educating, communicating and raising awareness of good risk management practices to APA personnel.



5 Roles and responsibilities

For the purposes of monitoring and managing risk across APA, the following specific responsibilities apply:

Position	Responsibilities		
APA Group Board (Board)	Approve APA's Risk Appetite Statement		
	Approve relevant regulated risk and compliance plans and reports		
	Approve the D&O insurance program		
Risk Management Committee (RMC)	 Review and assess the adequacy and suitability of APA's Risk Management Framework to ensure that APA Group is operating within APA Group's Risk Appetite. 		
	Approve the Risk Management Policy and Risk Management System		
	 Review and monitor current and emerging material risks and early warning risk indicators 		
	Review APA's material financial and non-financial risks		
	Approve key risk and compliance policies		
	 Review any required regulatory related risk and compliance reports, including the Security of Critical Infrastructure (SoCI) Risk Management Plan and the Modern Slavery Statement. 		
	Review insurance arrangements (excluding D&O).		
	Review the crisis management arrangements and testing		
Executive Risk Management Committee / ELT	Review the Risk Management Policy and RMS		
	 Review current and emerging material risks and actions risks including early warning risk indicators 		
	Review relevant regulated risk and compliance plans and reports		
	Approve Business Recovery Policy / Crisis Management Plan		
	Review insurance arrangements		
CFO	Ownership of the Risk Management Policy		
	Approve Risk & Compliance Standard		
Managing Director	Own implementation of the Risk Management Policy and RMS across APA		
	Promote a risk aware culture across APA		
	Approval of material / enterprise risks reported to ARMC		
Group Executives	Implementation of the Risk Management Policy and RMS		
	Implementation of relevant regulated risk and compliance		
	plans/approaches. • Ownership of material risks for APA		
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	 Apply Risk Appetite in key APA decisions. Promote a risk aware culture across APA. 		
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Group Risk, Compliance & Insurance	processes, IT governance, risk & compliance systems, tools and training		
	 Maintain and monitor risk metrics including risk appetite tolerances and early warning indicators 		
	Monitor material/enterprise risks in the APA risk profile		
	Monitor the control environment for material/enterprise risks		
	 Maintain the Business Recovery Policy, Framework and Crisis Management Plan 		
	Maintain Security Risk Governance		



6 Related documents

- Risk Management System and Standard.
- Compliance Policy, Compliance Management System and Standard.
- Business Recovery Policy (Business Continuity, Crisis Management and Emergency Response).
- Treasury Risk Management Policy.
- Tax Policy.
- Accounting Policy.
- Technology Policy and Standard.
- Project Risk Framework.
- Health, Safety and Wellbeing Policy and Management System
- Environment and Heritage Policy and Management System.
- Climate Policy and Climate Change Management Framework
- Insurance Standard.

7 Version Control

Date	Version	Changes
24 Nov 2015	V1	Update Enterprise Risk metrics
03 Nov 2017	V2	Review with Group Policy Template
01 Nov 2019	V3	Routine review and updates
01 Nov 2020	V4	Rationalisation following creation of Risk & Compliance
		Standard
01 Nov 2021	V5	Update for critical infrastructure security risk, early warning risk metrics, key risk management specialist areas and new brand
20 Nov 2022	V6	Update for refreshed governance model, refreshed RMS and critical infrastructure document references