

Information security roles and responsibilities

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The following table lists the key Police employees, committees and groups who have specific information security responsibilities.

Position	Responsibility
Assurance and Risk Committee (ARC)	Reviews the Police risk management and mitigation processes, internal control procedures and compliance with relevant statutory and regulatory requirements.
Chief Security Officer (CSO)	 Deputy Commissioner: Operational Services and Road Policing is the CSO for Police, responsible and accountable to the Commissioner: for protective security in NZ Police ensuring protective security policies and implementation is aligned with Police objectives, risks and the PSR. Deputy Commissioner: Frontline Operations is the alternative CSO.
Security and Privacy Reference Group (SPRG)	A steering group, chaired by the CSO, to support the Police implementation of the government's Protective Security Requirements, to protect people, information and other assets.
Chief Information Security Officer (CISO)	Develops and maintains policy and guidelines for all aspects of security, including - in particular - the protection of information. Oversight and assurance of information security controls across Police.
Principal Adviser: Protective Security	Guides and maintains oversight of physical and personnel security across Police.
Head IT Security Management (ITSM)	Manages cyber security across Police ICT.
Director: National Intelligence) OIA	Responsible for the protection of classified information and intelligence.

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COMSEC Officer	Responsible for the operation and protection of high-grade communications security (COMSEC) systems and the associated accountable items.
Chief Privacy Officer (CPO)	Responsible for policy and oversight regarding personal information of individuals, not limited to victims, offenders and staff.