

Snapshot: Legislation websites

You can learn more about incorporation under different laws here:

- The Office of the Registrar of Indigenous Corporations

<http://www.oric.gov.au/>

- Australian Securities Investments Commission

<http://www.asic.gov.au/>

- Northern Territory Department of Justice—Consumer Business Affairs

http://www.nt.gov.au/justice/licenreg/baal/club_assoc.shtml

- Northern Territory Business Channel

<http://www.tbc.nt.gov.au/>

- Western Australian Department of Consumer and Employment Protection -
Associations

<http://www.docep.wa.gov.au/associations/>

- South Australian Office of Consumer & Business Affairs—Associations

<http://www.ocba.sa.gov.au/associations/>

- Australian Capital Territory Department of Justice and Community Safety

<http://www.ors.act.gov.au>

- Tasmanian Department of Consumer Affairs and Fair Trading

http://www.consumer.tas.gov.au/registrations/incorporated_associations

- Queensland Office of Fair Trading—Associations

<http://www.fairtrading.qld.gov.au/incorporated-associations.htm>

- Consumer Affairs Victoria—Associations

<http://www.consumer.vic.gov.au/>

- New South Wales Office of Fair Trading—Associations

http://www.fairtrading.nsw.gov.au/Cooperatives_and_associations/About_associations.html

Cooperatives

An Indigenous organisation might also choose to form a cooperative. A cooperative is a type of organisation which exists for the benefit of its members. You can learn more about forming a cooperative under state or territory laws by following the links to these websites.

- New South Wales Office of Fair Trading—Co-operatives

http://www.fairtrading.nsw.gov.au/Cooperatives_and_associations/Running_a_cooperative.html

- Northern Territory Co-operatives Act

http://www.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/nt/consol_act/ca157/

- Queensland Office of Fair Trading

<http://www.fairtrading.qld.gov.au/cooperatives.htm>

- South Australian Office of Consumer & Business Affairs

<http://www.ocba.sa.gov.au/cooperatives/>

- Tasmanian Department of Justice—Consumer Affairs and Fair Trading

[h http://www.consumer.tas.gov.au/registrations/co-operatives](http://www.consumer.tas.gov.au/registrations/co-operatives)

- Consumer Affairs Victoria

<http://www.consumer.vic.gov.au/>

- Western Australian Department of Commerce

<http://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/ConsumerProtection/Content/Business/Cooperatives/index.htm>

- Australian Capital Territory Cooperatives Act 2002

<http://www.legislation.act.gov.au/a/2002-45/current/pdf/2002-45.pdf>