

# TANDANYA 2022-23 Annual Report

# TANDANYA NATIONAL ABORIGINAL CULTURAL INSTITUTE

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To:

The Honourable Andrea Michaels MP

This annual report will be presented to Parliament to meet the statutory reporting requirements of Premier and Cabinet Circular *PC013 Annual Reporting*.

This report is verified to be accurate for the purposes of annual reporting to the Parliament of South Australia.

Submitted on behalf of the TANDANYA National Aboriginal Cultural Institute by:

Phillip Saunders

Chief Executive

Date

19/23 Signature



#### From the Chief Executive

I begin by acknowledging Kaurna meyunna and Kaurna yarta; the Kaurna people and their traditional lands, the Adelaide Plains upon which TANDANYA is situated. Acknowledgment and respect are also extended to all other First Nations people and communities throughout Australia.

TANDANYA is now on the cusp of a new beginning following a few difficult years. The Acting Chief Executive, Nancia Guivarra left in September, and on 24 October 2022 I became Chief Executive Officer to stabilise the organisation on an interim basis. I was joined by General Manager, Tarnya Van Driel, both of us in part-time roles and we faced significant challenges. As the new management team (1.2 FTE), supported by the Board we identified urgent financial and administrative issues and several significant health and safety issues in the building which needed immediate attention and we were able to call on our lessor, the Aboriginal Lands Trust to temporarily fix a priority building safety issue.

Following this, TANDANYA was able to continue its commitment in providing the main theatre venue to artists for the Adelaide Fringe, curate and install an exhibition in the main gallery and to host the launch of the official, "Yes" campaign for Voice to Parliament held on 23 February 2023.

Behind the scenes this year our team has been actively reviewing the organisation's operations and governance, resolving legacy issues, continuing to hire safe areas of the building while investigating emerging building safety issues, which resulted in the TANDANYA building closing the doors in April 2023.

We hosted the 2021-22 Annual General Meeting resulting in a refreshed and energised board charged with the drive to celebrate the last thirty-four years of operating as a nationally and internationally significant exhibition space for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander arts and culture and drive forward a TANDANYA that can support the community at the grassroots and work with the wider community to educate, collaborate and inspire!

TANDANYA opened in 1989 and is the oldest Aboriginal owned and run cultural centre in Australia and will continue to bring people and communities together to share stories and build connections. In the short term we want to open our doors and am pleased to be working with state government to achieve this.

The TANDANYA building has always been a place for creativity and with our current building issues we are focusing on developing and producing arts projects across South Australia in remote and city-based venues in partnership with likeminded organisations and artists promoting First Nations arts and cultures.

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TANDANYA's management team are focused on gaining support from government and philanthropists to repair and restore the building as an iconic site in Adelaide.

We appreciate the ongoing support of the South Australian Government through the Department of the Premier and Cabinet and the Aboriginal Lands Trust.

TANDANYA values nurturing generations and is committed to intergenerational knowledge transmission.

TANDANYA will continue to be an organisation for First Nations artists – whether they are emerging, mid-career or established. We are collaborating and working in partnership with other arts organisations and together we will make a rich contribution of First Nations Peoples and communities to Australian life and how this continuation of 75,000 years of storytelling enriches us.

The National Aboriginal Cultural Institute is entering a new era reporting a balance sheet surplus of \$134,066 (compared to the previous year reporting a deficit of \$283,630) and the prospect of inviting new creative energy into the organisation ensuring TANDANYA will create a successful future in readiness for our 50<sup>th</sup> birthday in 2039.

Signature

Phillip Saunders
Chief Executive

**TANDANYA National Aboriginal Cultural Institute** 

27 September 2023

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# Overview: about the agency

# Our strategic focus

Our Purpose	TANDANYA National Aboriginal Cultural Institute's purpose includes:  Showcase the vibrancy and raise awareness of the diversity of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander arts and culture.  Facilitate community cultural development, maintenance, and presentation of art, culture and activities that contribute to the social, economic, and cultural advancement of Aboriginal and/orTorres Strait Islander peoples.  Be economically viable by strengthening our relationships and building partnerships with the Australian and South Australian Governments and their agencies, local government, non-government organisations and private enterprise.  Advance the principles of Reconciliation through culturally appropriate teaching and learning about Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures, arts, histories, and heritage.  Promote employment and career opportunities for Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people in the arts and cultural sector.  Maintain workplace standards that are safe, productive and nurture positive growth.
Our Vision	The National Aboriginal Cultural Institute – TANDANYA is recognised as the leading multi-arts and cultural base that creates understandings of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander cultures through artistic expression, participation, and interaction. Culture. Connection. Community. TANDANYA is a place of creativity.
Our Values	Nurturing Generations – We are committed to intergenerational knowledge transmission. It is important for our children and young people to develop the wisdom to know when things need to evolve and when things should remain constant.  Respect – We follow cultural protocols and pay respect to our ancestors. We acknowledge the Elders and leaders who laid the foundations of TANDANYA. We provide safe, supportive, and inclusive spaces for everyone.

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	Integrity – We are honest and accountable. We have clear and open communication with our members, communities, partners and other stakeholders and networks.  TANDANYA's objectives and artistic programming aim to create
Our functions, objectives and deliverables	opportunities that ultimately has a positive effect on the overall wellbeing of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people. The promotion and support of cultural expression, cultural maintenance, and cultural identity represents core identified community needs for Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people. Emotional, spiritual, and physical well-being is innately connected to cultural identity – and identity is expressed through cultural practices. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities and/or individual artists have limited opportunity to present and promote work produced in an environment in which cultural practices and identity are being supported. In supporting cultural expression through the arts, the expression of heritage, identity and relationship to country is empowered. All activities, both operational and artistic have core objectives of ensuring:
	<ol> <li>Inclusion and recognition.</li> <li>Development, production and showcasing arts. and cultural practices.</li> <li>Expanded public awareness supported by marketing and communication.</li> </ol>
	4. Increased potential to generate earnings.

#### **Our Board members**

In 2022-23 four board members resigned or their term expired.

Name	Position	Term Dates
Dr Ali Baker	Chair	1 April 2021 to 11 October 2022 Resigned
Patricia Waria-Read	Member Minister for the Arts	30 August 2021 – 19 May 2023
	Appointment Acting Chair	11 October 2022 – 19 May 2023
Major Sumner (Uncle Moogy)	Member	20 June 2020 – 19 May 2023
Dominic Guerrera	Member	13 Nov 2021 – 11 October 2022 Resigned

#### **Our Board members**

Four members of the board are appointed by the Minister for the Arts and one member is appointed by the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs and one member appointed by the Aboriginal Lands Trust. All Board members meet the requirements of the Constitution of National Aboriginal Cultural Institute Incorporated TANDANYA.

Refer to <u>Board | Tandanya National Aboriginal Cultural Institute</u> for profiles on current Board members.

As of 30 June 2023 four new board members were appointed and or elected as board terms will expire for four board members at the 26 October 2023 Annual General Meeting.

Name	Position	Term Dates	Term
Lee-Ann Buckskin	Minister for the Arts Appointment	19 May 2023 Two year term	to 2025 AGM
Aaron Ken	Minister for the Arts Appointment	19 May 2023 Two year term	to 2025 AGM
Lilla Berry	Elected through the membership	19 May 2023 Two year term	to 2025 AGM
Ellen Bertani	Elected through the membership	19 May 2023 Two year term	to 2025 AGM
Jacqui Flynn	Minister for the Arts Appointment	30 August 2021 (re-appointed Nov 2021)	26 October 2023 AGM
Karl Telfer	Minister for the Arts Appointment	20 June 2020 to 2023 AGM (re-appointed Nov 2021)	26 October 2023 AGM
Diat Alferink	Aboriginal Affairs and Reconciliation	20 June 2020 to 2023 AGM (re-appointed Nov 2021)	26 October 2023 AGM
Eddie Newchurch	Aboriginal Lands Trust	20 June 2020 to 2023 AGM (re-appointed Nov 2021)	26 October 2023 AGM

#### Changes to TANDANYA

The Operational Review prepared in April 2022 by Kerrynne Liddle BA, MBA, GAICD identifed several operational issues and making recommendations for improvement. The Tandanya Board sought this review to inform its decision on the structure and

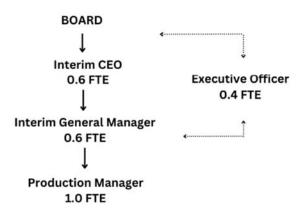
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resources required to deliver its 2021- 2024 *Strategic Plan* and to respond to future challenges, as well as opportunity.

In November 2023, the interim leadership team in consultation with the TANDANYA Board reviewed the organisation's operations to inform its decision on the structure and resources required to continue successfully for the next twelve months until the recruitment for the new Artistic/Creative Director and Executive Producer (General Manager).

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#### **Our Minister**

The Hon Andrea Michaels MP is the Minister for Arts

#### **Our Executive team**

DATE	EXECUTIVE NAME	ROLE
16/02/22 — 30/9/2022	Nancia Guivarra **	Acting Chief Executive Officer – responsible for creative vision and earned income business streams including various rooms for venue hire, café/restaurant functions, gallery shop.
24/10/22 – 31/12/2023	Phillip Saunders	Interim Chief Executive Officer (0.6 FTE), responsible for creative vision, human resource management, key

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		government and stakeholder relationships.
24/10/22 – 31/12/2023	Tarnya Van Driel	General Manager (0.6FTE) – responsible for financial management, organisational/arts funding development, building & facilities management, building health and safety.
December – 31/12/2023	Julia Tymukas	Executive Officer – responsible for servicing the board and working with the CEO and GM organisational development and funding management.

# Legislation administered by the agency

Not Applicable

# The agency's performance

#### TANDANYA's specific objectives and performance

The objectives of TANDANYA include creating employment and training opportunities for the Indigenous community, promoting visual and performing arts opportunities for artists, economic development, education, and social inclusion. TANDANYA also supported local Indigenous businesses by contracting their services at the Institute however, due to the building issues and risk of safety the building was closed in April 2023 until funding is sourced to complete a Building Safety and Compliance Report.

Organisational objectives	Indicators	Performance
Visual Arts Performing Arts Community Engagement Gallery Shop	<ul> <li>Visitation</li> <li>Number and diversity of exhibitions, festivals, and other events</li> <li>Community driven projects</li> <li>Educational opportunities</li> <li>Level of support and exposure achieved for Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander artists</li> </ul>	Impacted by organisational difficulties however programmes as outlined below were delivered.
Inclusion		

#### **Corporate performance summary**

#### **NAIDOC Week**

4-8 July 2022

TANDANYA celebrated the National Aboriginal and Islanders Day Observance Committee (NAIDOC) week by organising a series of events including:

- An opening event with a Kaurna Didgeridoo and Smoking Ceremony by Robert Taylor, Karno Martin, and Jakirah Telfer prior to a dance performance by Tjarutja Dance Theatre Collective
  - Attendance 80-100
- First Nations Boomerang Making workshops (2) by Ian Harradine
   40 Participants
- Basket Weaving workshops (2) by Bessie Rigney & Ellen Trevorrow

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20 Participants

 A Food, Wine and Film screening of "Wrong Side of the Road" (1981) with a Q & A hosted by Actor Peter Butler

50 Attendances

 'CLUB TANDANYA' with musicians Glenn Skuthorpe and Tilly Tjala Thomas attended by Mr Kyam Maher, Minister for Aboriginal Affairs

150 Attendances

#### In 2022 – 2023 TANDANYA featured two exhibitions:

#### Wild Dog

15 July – 20 August 2022

Conceived and artistically directed by Kaurna, Narungga artist Jacob Boehme, *Wild Dog* connects First Peoples across the Australian continent to share, preserve and maintain Dingo storylines. A development outcome for the *Wild Dog* project was initiated in 2019 and Jacob worked with elders and community leaders in SA and QLD. It showcased at Tarnanthi Festival 2021 and produced by Insite Arts International and Country Arts South Australia.

Wild Dog maps and connects Dingo storylines from Kaurna, Adelaide in the southeast to Lardil, Mornington Island in the north, extending into Bunun, Taiwan in East Asia. The project revives, re-establishes, and strengthens the traditional trade and ceremonial routes through South Australia, Northern Territory and Queensland. Wild Dog forges ongoing collaborations between different nations ensuring the urgent continuance of intergenerational cultural knowledge and skills transfer between Elders and next generations.

"This project is about preserving our sacred stories and dreaming and most importantly bringing attention to the plight of one of our most persecuted and ecologically important native animals - the dingo. Without his existence, these stories, lore and dreaming are lost," Jacob Boehme

2,983 Attendances

**Karromarranendi** (2) - rejoice in the Kaurna language.

23 February – 28 March 2023

Featuring selected works from the Tandanya collection which highlighted the dynamism and diversity of contemporary First Nations artistic and cultural practices. The Guest Curator, Michael Diorio (former Education Manager at Tandanya) curated the exhibition to coincide with the Yes Campaign for Indigenous Voice to Parliament. The visual arts collection showcased artwork owned by Tandanya and on loan from private First Nations collectors.

3,763 Attendances.

#### Adelaide Fringe 2023 Program at TANDANYA

17 February to 19 March 2023

The Fringe theatre program in the theatre was not curated by TANDANYA. Between June and October 2022, six performing arts companies hired the Ngunyawayiti Theatre and main gallery to perform a range of productions and one of these were First Nations artists, Brisbane-based collective Pink Matter.

27 performances featured six productions in the Ngunyawayiti Theatre and main gallery with 1,378 attendances.

TANDANYA engaged Kaurna/Narungga woman Nikki Ashby to curate the "Tonight's Aboriginal Islander Live "(TAIL) T.A.I.L featuring seven First Nations South Australian musical artists and they performed live acoustic, RnB, Blues, Jazz, Reggae, and soul vibes. Performers included: Katie Aspel, Kuko, Rob Edwards, Jardine Kiwat, Scott Rathman, Corey Theatre and Live Djay.

19 performances/nights in the bar and café and approximately 585 people attended.

TANDANYA also hosted the Adelaide Fringe Artists Box Office team for artists to collect Fringe passes and information packs which due to the increased foot traffic increased sales in our gallery retail shop.

#### Adelaide Fringe 2023 - Inparrinthi Theatre Programme:

The interim leadership team at TANDANYA inherited a Fringe program featuring artists from interstate and overseas who booked and hired the main theatre venue at lower than expected rate based on a percentage of their ticket sales which generated \$8,069 for 27 nights/performances where the audience attendance was 1,378 (On average 51 attendances each night).

The following artists performed at Inparrinthi:

#### 1. POETS CLUB with Hope

Presented by Hope Haami, a Takatāpui beatboxer, writer, performer, mother from Te Ā tihaunui-a-Papārangi and Taranaki iwi of Aotearoa. Fusing together beatboxing, spoken word, drag and movement to deliver captivating beat rhyming experiences about identity, culture, queerness, motherhood and navigating trauma. Hope is a member of the legendary Beatbox Alliance and a top-four finisher in the female division of the World Beatboxing Championships and is a world-renowned and highly respected artist. Producing four national beatboxing tours under their belt, Hope One has reached over 5,000 young people across New Zealand and Australia. They have shared the stage with some of hip hop's biggest names and gained worldwide

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recognition through touring with the multi-award-winning theatre show, Hot Brown Honey.

#### 2. Betwixt

Brisbane-based First Nations collective Pink Matter and ushered street dance into a new realm of theatre in this vibrant multi-disciplinary work. Fusing street dance with spoken word, 'Betwixt' took a glimpse into the journeys of five artists as they embodied the five elements – water, air, fire, earth, and spirit. Each share a story of ruin and resilience, delving into everything from relationships and upbringing to identity and sense of self.

#### 3. Jazz Masters

"Jazz Masters" was an exciting new jazz trio featuring Chicagoan, pianist, Tim Barton, Adelaide native Phil Banytis guitarist and tenor saxophonist English transplant Derek Pascoe. These three exceptional jazz soloists pooled their talents to form a high energy, super jazz inspired show with original compositions, jazz traditional standards, blues, and two-beat swing.

#### 4. Nick Parnell- Songs of Hope and Comfort

Inspired by cellist Yo-Yo Ma's Songs of Comfort & Hope, Vibes Virtuoso Nick Parnell combined the smooth, intoxicating sounds of the vibraphone with double bass - bringing the music in which he found solace throughout the pandemic. Featuring modern arrangements of traditional folk songs like Danny Boy, to classical works including Joep Beving's Amalgamation Waltz, to the inspiration of pop music such as Coldplay's Clocks, Nick created an experience of pure bliss that transported the audience from the worries of the day to day to the joy and hope of tomorrow.

#### 5. Black is The Color of My Voice

Inspired by the life of Nina Simone and featuring many of her most iconic songs performer Apphia Campbell stared in her own acclaimed play that followed the successful singer and activist as she sought redemption after her father's untimely death. The performance reflected on the journey that took Nina Simone from a young piano prodigy destined for a life of service to a renowned jazz vocalist at the forefront of the Civil Rights movement. This Australian premiere followed sell-out tours and seasons in Shanghai, New York, Edinburgh and in London's West End and was also a huge hit of the Adelaide Fringe.

#### 6. Voices of a Siren

An award-winning solo performance about women over three generations. A mystic siren called out from distant shores and took the audience on an astral journey of healing, forgiveness, and reconciliation. The performance was an awakening of the feminine within through monologues, dance, chanting, and live music liberating a past bondage leading to spiritual metamorphosis.

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#### Adelaide Fringe 2023 - "Tonight's Aboriginal Islander Live "(TAIL) T.A.I.L

On short notice, the Interim staff engaged Nikki Ashby, a descendant of Kaurna and Narungga peoples to curate a program of eight First Nations artists to perform in the café/bar area before or after the Fringe performances in the Inparrinthi theatre. Nikki is a highly acclaimed performing artist, actor for stage and screen, choreographer, dancer and producer and TANDANYA is extremely grateful to her for working with the following artists:

#### 1. Corey Theatre

A singer songwriter who calls Adelaide home. Hailing from Western Victoria this Gunditjmara-Belgian artist's music forms an important voice on the Australian music scene. Using catchy melodies Corey tells tales of Country, love, political injustices, and the merits of taking a laid-back approach to life. Drawing on community knowledge and historical documents Corey is using his music as medium to revive the Gunditjmara language, a tongue that has not been spoken fluently for close to a hundred years.

#### 2. Scott Rathman Jnr

A descendant of the Arrernte people of central Australia, has performed for 13 years as a country/country rock singer/songwriter and is a young Aboriginal leader in the community.

#### 3. Live D-jay MoZzi

Drawing on his Wangkangurru Adnyamathanha, Cook Island and Maori heritage, Dre created interactive DJ sets under his MC moniker MoZzi. His show MoZzi x Inkatja sold out at the 2021 Adelaide Fringe, and he has been a frequent contributor to the Art Gallery of South Australia's Neo program as well as the annual Wilpena Pound New Year's event. He was featured on Triple J as part of the 2021 NAIDOC Mix UP line-up.

#### 4. Katie Aspel

A Ngarrindjeri/Gunditjmara woman inspired by Chloe x Halle, Marlon Williams and Alessia Cara experiments with different sounds by working with a variety of producers. She has performed all over South Australia notably at the Fringe festival (winner of the emerging artist award) SA Music Awards and regionally.

#### 5. Jardine Kiwat Mackay (Nth Queensland)

Jardine supported Warrumpi Band, Rough Image, Hawaiian Quartet, Trochus and Fishtrap with drums, guitar, vocals, and percussion nationally and internationally. A cultural teacher in Torres Strait Island dance, singer/songwriter, Jardine believes in the understanding of all cultures and the preservation of learning of generational cultural knowledge through song music and dance.

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#### 6. Kuko

In the Ngarrindjeri language, Kuko meaning two. Kuko is the collaboration of Sonya Rankine and Phil Noel, guitarist who first met as students at the Centre for Aboriginal Studies in Music and began creating songs together 15 years ago. Sonya a Ngarrindjeri, Narungga, Ngadjuri & Wirangu woman from Moonta Bay on Narungga country. Phil a Dhangatti man from NSW who grew up in Sydney and has called SA home for 33 years, currently living at Myponga on Kaurna country. At the heart of Kuko is jazz and blues which is the core of Sonya's original songs that are self-reflective and soulful. Sonya and Phil brought new energy to their much loved arrangements of original songs and favourite covers.

#### Rob Edwards

Soulfully inspired, multi-instrumentalist singer-songwriter, Rob Edwards combined moving melodies of jazz, blues, and R&B with the powerful art of storytelling creating a unique and authentic sound.

19 performances/nights in the bar and café and approximately 585 people attended.

#### The Yes Voice Launch

On 23 February 2023, TANDANYA hosted the national campaign launch for Yes Voice to Parliament including workshops and performances (Tuesday 21 – Thursday 23 February 2023), over 450 key people attended including key First Nations leaders from across Australia.

The three day event used the arts to promote key First Nations artists and leaders to speak about the history of First Nations protest and explained the importance of the referendum for Australia. The launch gained national media attention and gave TANDANYA profile as a key First Nations venue.

Notable speakers included: interim TANDANYA CEO, Phillip Saunders, Dale Agius, South Australia's Commissioner for First Nations Voice to Parliament, Dean Parkin, Director of From the Heart and Rachel Perkins Australian film and television director, producer, and screenwriter.

Notable artists included:

#### 1. Emma Donovan

ARIA nominated, award winning Indigenous singer and songwriter Emma Donovan, who was accompanied by contemporary guitarist and educator Tom Martin. Emma is best known for her work with the greatly admired Melbourne rhythm combo, The Putbacks and the extraordinary Black Arm Band project. Emma has toured and recorded with the best in the Australian music scene including Paul Kelly, The Teskey Brothers, Yothu Yindi, Kee'ahn, The Meltdown, Paul Grabowsky, Jen Cloher, Spinifex Gum and the late Uncle Archie Roach and Aunty Ruby Hunter.

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#### 2. Dr Shellie Morris

Dr Shellie Morris is a multi-award-winning singer/songwriter creating and singing in 17 Australian Aboriginal languages. Shellie is the 2014 Northern Territory Australian of the Year, the 2014 NAIDOC National Artist of the Year, a multi–Deadly Award winner and a driving force of the acclaimed album Ngambala Wiji li-Wunungu and the internationally award-winning musical documentary Prison Songs. In April 2021, Shellie was awarded an Honorary Award of Doctor of Music from Sydney University for her unique and ongoing work with Indigenous communities to build resilience and self-esteem through song writing and musical collaborations.

#### 3. Tjarutja – South Australian First Nations Dance Theatre Collective

Tjarutja (Anangu) meaning Aboriginal people from the South. Led by acclaimed Artistic Director, Gina Rings. Gina comes from the Kokatha people of the West Coast of South Australia and has been involved in the arts for more than 25 years starting with a traineeship with Bangarra in 1995. The collective features dancers, Caleena Sansbury, Rikki Wilson, Janelle Egan and Melanie Koolmatrie.

#### **Employment opportunity programs**

Program name	Performance
Nil to report	Nil to Report

#### Agency performance management and development systems

Performance management and development system	Nil to report
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#### Work health, safety and return to work programs

Program name	Performance
Employee Assistance Program	Nil to report

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Workplace injury claims	Current year 2022-23	Past year 2021-22	% Change (+ / -)
Total new workplace injury claims	0	3	-300%
Fatalities	0	0	0
Seriously injured workers*	0	0	0
Significant injuries (where lost time exceeds a working week, expressed as frequency rate per 1000 FTE)	0	0	0

<sup>\*</sup>number of claimants assessed during the reporting period as having a whole person impairment of 30% or more under the Return to Work Act 2014 (Part 2 Division 5)

Work health and safety regulations	Current year 2022-23	Past year 2021-22	% Change (+ / -)
Number of notifiable incidents (Work Health and Safety Act 2012, Part 3) *	0	0	0
Number of provisional improvement, improvement and prohibition notices (Work Health and Safety Act 2012 Sections 90, 191 and 195)	0	0	0

Return to work costs**	Current year 2022-23	Past year 2021-22	% Change (+ / -)
Total gross workers compensation expenditure (\$)	\$231,357.25	\$206,832	12%
Income support payments – gross (\$)	\$128,508.58	\$47,726	170%

<sup>\*\*</sup>before third party recovery

#### Data for previous years is available at:

https://data.sa.gov.au/data/dataset/TANDANYA-annual-reporting-regulatory-data/resource/99336ac0-6028-4685-8e9e-4690625c6a8a?inner\_span=True

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#### **Executive employment in the agency**

Executive classification	Number of executives
Interim Chief Executive (equivalent to ASO 8 pro rata)	0
Acting Chief Executive	0

Data for previous years is available at:

<u>Tandanya Annual Reporting Regulatory Data - Tandanya Annual Reporting Regulatory Data - data.sa.gov.au</u>

The Office of the Commissioner for Public Sector Employment has a workforce information page that provides further information on the breakdown of executive gender, salary and tenure by agency.

### **Financial performance**

#### Financial performance at a glance

The following is a brief summary of the overall financial position of the agency. The information is unaudited. Full audited financial statements for 2022-23 are attached to this report.

Statement of Comprehensive Income	2022-23 Budget \$000s	2022-23 Actual \$000s	Variation \$000s	2021-22 Actual \$000s
Total Income	1,615	1,278	(337)	1,072
Total Expenses	1,543	1,148	(395)	1,293
Net Result	72	130	58	(221)
Total Comprehensive Result	72	134	62	(284)

Statement of Financial Position	2022-23 Budget \$000s	2022-23 Actual \$000s	Variation \$000s	2021 – 22 Actual \$000s
Current assets	115	214	99	115
Non-current assets	1,080	1,016	(64)	1,080
Total assets	1,195	1,230	35	1,195
Current liabilities	193	114	79	193
Non-current liabilities	36	16	20	36
Total liabilities	229	130	99	229
Net assets	966	1,100	134	966
Equity	966	1,100	134	966

#### Consultants' disclosure

The following is a summary of external consultants that have been engaged by the agency, the nature of work undertaken, and the actual payments made for the work undertaken during the financial year.

#### Consultancies with a contract value below \$10,000 each

Consultancies	Purpose	\$ Actual payment
All consultancies below \$10,000 each - combined	Terri Janke & Co Legal Advice	\$1,800

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#### Consultancies with a contract value above \$10,000 each

Consultancies	Purpose	\$ Actual payment
Fair Work Lawyers	Legal Advice	\$17,421.10
	Total	\$17,421.10

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See also the <u>Consolidated Financial Report of the Department of Treasury and Finance</u> for total value of consultancy contracts across the South Australian Public Sector.

#### Contractors' disclosure

The following is a summary of external contractors that have been engaged by the agency, the nature of work undertaken, and the actual payments made for work undertaken during the financial year.

#### Contractors with a contract value below \$10,000

Contractors	Purpose	\$ Actual payment
All contractors below \$10,000 each - combined	N/A	\$0.00

#### Contractors with a contract value above \$10,000 each

Contractors	Purpose	\$ Actual payment
N/A	N/A	\$ 0.00
	Total	\$ 0.00

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The details of South Australian Government-awarded contracts for goods, services, and works are displayed on the SA Tenders and Contracts website. <u>View the agency</u> list of contracts.

The website also provides details of across government contracts.

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### Risk management

#### Risk and audit at a glance

Not applicable.

#### Fraud detected in the agency

Category/nature of fraud	Number of instances
Not applicable	0

NB: Fraud reported includes actual and reasonably suspected incidents of fraud.

#### Strategies implemented to control and prevent fraud

Data for previous years is available at:

https://data.sa.gov.au/data/dataset/TANDANYA-annual-reporting-regulatory-data/resource/99336ac0-6028-4685-8e9e-4690625c6a8a?inner\_span=True

#### **Public interest disclosure**

Number of occasions on which public interest information has been disclosed to a responsible officer of the agency under the *Public Interest Disclosure Act 2018:* 

Not applicable

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Note: Disclosure of public interest information was previously reported under the *Whistleblowers Protection Act 1993* and repealed by the *Public Interest Disclosure Act 2018* on 1/7/2019.

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# Reporting required under any other act or regulation

Act or Regulation	Requirement
N/A	N/A

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N/A	N/A

Reporting required under the *Carers' Recognition Act* 2005

Not Applicable

# **Public complaints**

# Number of public complaints reported

Complaint categories	Sub-categories	Example	Number of Complaints
			2022-23
Professional behaviour	Staff attitude	Failure to demonstrate values such as empathy, respect, fairness, courtesy, extra mile; cultural competency	0
Professional behaviour	Staff competency	Failure to action service request; poorly informed decisions; incorrect or incomplete service provided	0
Professional behaviour	Staff knowledge	Lack of service specific knowledge; incomplete or out-of-date knowledge	0
Communication	Communication quality	Inadequate, delayed or absent communication with customer	0
Communication	Confidentiality	Customer's confidentiality or privacy not respected; information shared incorrectly	0
Service delivery	Systems/technology	System offline; inaccessible to customer; incorrect result/information provided; poor system design	0
Service delivery	Access to services	Service difficult to find; location poor; facilities/ environment poor standard; not accessible to customers with disabilities	0
Service delivery	Process	Processing error; incorrect process used; delay in processing application; process not customer responsive	0
Policy	Policy application	Incorrect policy interpretation; incorrect policy applied; conflicting policy advice given	0
Policy	Policy content	Policy content difficult to understand; policy unreasonable or disadvantages customer	0

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Complaint categories	Sub-categories	Example	Number of Complaints
			2022-23
Service quality	Information	Incorrect, incomplete, out-dated or inadequate information; not fit for purpose	0
Service quality	Access to information	Information difficult to understand, hard to find or difficult to use; not plain English	0
Service quality	Timeliness	Lack of staff punctuality; excessive waiting times (outside of service standard); timelines not met	0
Service quality	Safety	Maintenance; personal or family safety; duty of care not shown; poor security service/ premises; poor cleanliness	1
Service quality	Service responsiveness	Service design doesn't meet customer needs; poor service fit with customer expectations	0
No case to answer	No case to answer	Third party; customer misunderstanding; redirected to another agency; insufficient information to investigate	0
		Total	

Additional Metrics	Total
Number of positive feedback comments	0
Number of negative feedback comments	0
Total number of feedback comments	0
% complaints resolved within policy timeframes	0

Data for previous years is available at:

https://data.sa.gov.au/data/dataset/d70aead0-f61b-4279-b677-685d564b7fd1

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# **Service Improvements**

N/A			

# **Compliance Statement**

TANDANYA Is compliant with Premier and Cabinet Circular 039 – complaint management in the South Australian public sector	Y
TANDANYA has communicated the content of PC 039 and the agency's related complaints policies and procedures to employees.	Υ

# National Aboriginal Cultural Institute Inc

ABN: 50 197 852 194

#### **Board Member's Declaration**

In the Board Member's opinion:

- (a) There are reasonable grounds to believe that the Association is able to pay all of its debts as and when they become due and payable.
- (b) the financial statements and notes satisfy the requirements of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board.

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Board member.

Dated 28/9/23



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# AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION TO THE MEMBERS OF NATIONAL ABORIGINAL CULTURAL INSTITUTE INC

In accordance with the requirements of subdivision 60-40 of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the audit of National Aboriginal Cultural Institute Inc for the year ended 30 June 2023 there have been no contraventions of the independence requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's *APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards)* in relation to the audit.

MOORE AUSTRALIA AUDIT (SA/NT) PTY LTD

STEPHEN CAMILLERI Director

Adelaide, South Australia Dated: 28 September 2023

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

# TO THE MEMBERS OF NATIONAL ABORIGINAL CULTURAL INSTITUTE INC (CONT)

#### **Board Members' Responsibility for the Financial Report**

The Board Members of the Association are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards – Simplified Disclosures and the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*. This responsibility includes such internal control as the Board Members determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view so that it is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the Board Members are responsible for assessing the Association's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board Members either intend to liquidate the Association or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located on the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at: <a href="www.auasb.gov.au/auditors\_responsibilities/ar4.pdf">www.auasb.gov.au/auditors\_responsibilities/ar4.pdf</a>. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

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STEPHEN CAMILLERI

Director

Adelaide, South Australia Dated: 28 September 2023

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