

Royal Commission into the Protection and Detention of Children in the Northern Territory

2016 – 2017

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Details

The Royal Commission into the Protection and Detention of Children in the Northern Territory was set up on 1 August 2016, to look into the youth detention and welfare system over 10 years from 1 August 2006. Its report was delivered on 17 November 2017. The Royal Commission identified a number of failures within the detention and welfare systems in the Northern Territory and recommended a large number of reforms. In March 2018, the Territory Government announced it would accept the intent and direction of all 227 Royal Commission recommendations.

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Related Entries

Related Organisations

- [Children's Court, Northern Territory](#)

Related Legislation

- [Youth Justice Act 2005, Northern Territory \(2005 - current\)](#)

Resources

- [Report of the Royal Commission and Board of Inquiry into the Protection and Detention of Children in the Northern Territory](#), 2017
- Northern Territory Government, [Safer Communities: Response to the 227 Recommendations of the Royal Commission into the Protection and Detention of Children in the Northern Territory \[Media Release\]](#), 1 March 2018

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