



FRDC Committee Member's Code of Conduct

By FRDC committee members		
1.	In relation to committees of the Fisheries Research and Development Corporation I acknowledge:	
a)	the requirement to act with honesty and integrity; and to exercise due care, diligence, and skill	
b)	the requirement to use information appropriately; and the prohibition of improper use of inside information or position. I will treat all committee information and discussion as in-confidence.	
c)	my duties to:	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">act in good faithact fairly and impartiallyavoid or declare material personal interests	
2.	I recognise that although the committee's primary responsibility is to the FRDC, I should also have appropriate regard for:	
a)	those who invest in the FRDC; and	
b)	the interests of all stakeholders.	
3.	I acknowledge that confidential information received by me in the course of my duties remains the property of the entity from which it was obtained. I also acknowledge that it would be improper to disclose that information, or allow it to be disclosed, unless disclosure has been authorised by that entity, or the person from whom the information was provided.	
4.	I will respect the views and practices of people with whom I have contact on FRDC business, and treat those people with dignity and goodwill.	
5.	I acknowledge my responsibility to report corrupt practice, breaches of the law and matters detrimental to the FRDC or its reputation.	
6.	I acknowledge my obligation, at all times, to comply with the spirit as well as the letter of this code.	
7.	I acknowledge my obligation to be independent in judgement and actions, and to take all reasonable steps to be satisfied as to the soundness of all decisions taken by the committee.	
Name	Signature	Date