Appendix E Mapping between old and new confidentiality classifications

The following table provides a default mapping between old and new classification labels

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| **QGISCF** | **Federal Current (2017)** | **QGISCF 2018** | **Federal (2018) indicative** | **Notes on QGISCF 2018** |
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| PUBLIC | UNCLASSIFIED | OFFICIAL | OFFICIAL | Official information is the day-to-day information of government. It may have low confidentiality impacts. OFFICIAL information may not have Confidentiality requirements but may have Integrity or Availability requirements when controlled e.g. on public website. Protect as normal government information. |
| UNCLASSIFIED | [Additional labels such as the Creative Commons Licence should be used to signify the information is Publication ready.](https://creativecommons.org/share-your-work/) |
| COMMERCIAL-IN-CONFIDENCE | FOUO | SENSITIVE | OFFICIAL: Sensitive | Commercial information may be OFFICIAL depending on Impact  FOUO information may be OFFICIAL depending on impact |
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| IN-CONFIDENCE | SENSITIVE | SENSITIVE may be used where there is a need to restrict the audience that can access the information (e.g. a need to know basis). This could include the Privacy Act or secrecy provisions in other legislation. For internal use, Agencies may wish to use additional labelling e.g. Privacy/Clinical, but not required |
| Examples |
| Legal professional privileged information; |
| LEGAL-IN-CONFIDENCE | SENSITIVE: Legal | Sensitive personal information as recognised by the Queensland Information Privacy Act 2009 – religion, sexual orientation, political affiliation |
| X-IN-CONFIDENCE | SENSITIVE: Personal |  |
| CABINET-IN-CONFIDENCE | SENSITIVE: Cabinet, PROTECTED | PROTECTED | PROTECTED | [“The Queensland Cabinet Handbook – Governing Queensland” dictates security classification, markings and handling for Queensland Cabinet material.](https://www.premiers.qld.gov.au/publications/categories/policies-and-codes/handbooks/cabinet-handbook.aspx) |
| PROTECTED | PROTECTED | PROTECTED information has high confidentiality requirements i.e. Direct actual risk to individual life / lives. Example: Identities of undercover officers |
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| HIGHLY PROTECTED (HP) | HP removed in 2010. Federal Agencies either reclassified to PROTECTED or SECRET depending on risk assessment |
| or SECRET (depending on risk assessment) | or SECRET (depending on risk assessment) | HIGHLY PROTECTED material must be assessed by the owner to PROTECTED or SECRET depending on risk. This could be via domain classification. Refer to PSPF and Queensland Police where appropriate. |

Classification mappings Australian Government classification system mapping to the 2013 Queensland Government classification schema and Simplified Queensland Government classification schema