

## Information about Australian Data Privacy Laws for 2022

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**Sydney, New South Wales Oct 10, 2022 ([IssueWire.com](https://www.issuewire.com))** - The Australian Federal Privacy Act 1988, also known as The Privacy Act, was introduced as an effort to protect the privacy of individuals and ascertain responsible management of personally identifiable information (PII). This Act enables individuals to access information on how their PII will be used and disclosed under different circumstances. Additionally, it allows individuals a right to request PII access, appeal for information corrections, and even demand a halt to direct marketing.

**The Managing Director Says**, "Although the Privacy Act applies at the federal level, the nation nevertheless relies on a patchwork of different regional regulations to protect its inhabitants. So that they can uphold the laws that are particular to their territorial jurisdictions, organizations would benefit from knowing what other laws are in place. Therefore, **DataBench** has issued this guide on the most important Australian data privacy regulations of 2022."

**Information Privacy Act 2014 (Australian Capital Territory):** The [Data Privacy Act](#) targets its primary purposes only. This Act's first purpose is to protect individuals' privacy within the capital territory. The second purpose is to keep a check and balance individuals' privacy while public entities carry out their activities. Finally, this Act ensures responsible and transparent handling of personal information by public sector agencies and contracted service providers. Individuals can also report any questionable privacy issues.

**Information Act 2002 (Northern Territory):** This Act mandates openness between public sector

organizations and those impacted by their policies and procedures. It also demands that people have their privacy protected, including the right to request data correction in their files and the ability to seek remediation if their privacy has been violated.

**Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act Of 1998 (New South Wales):** The New South Wales act establishes the groundwork for how and from whom organizations may acquire personal information. It also mandates that an organization gives customers access to their files.

**Information Privacy Act 2009 (Queensland):** The right of individuals to have their personal information gathered and maintained is protected by the Queensland Information Privacy Act 2009. Moreover, how Queensland Government departments and offices might collect and archive personal information is regulated under this Act.

**Personal Information Protection Act 2004 (Tasmania):** The "Personal Information Protection Act" specifies the terms for data collection. It also establishes guidelines on the disclosure and usage of the data.

So these are the [Australian Privacy Laws](#) that individuals should know about in 2022.

### **About DataBench**

DataBench is a data protection compliance and discovery platform that helps organizations comply with the Data Privacy Act and the GDPR (General Data Protection Regulation). Organizations requiring assistance implementing Australian Privacy Laws may rely on DataBench as their data privacy and compliance automation partner.



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