

# CHIEF MINISTER AND MINISTER FOR DEFENCE SUPPORT INDUSTRY AWARDS



## RECOGNISING OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS BY THE NORTHERN TERRITORY DEFENCE SUPPORT INDUSTRY

## THE AWARDS

**Chief Minister's Award** - Outstanding Contribution to the Defence Industry. Value of award \$5 000.

**Minister for Defence Support Award** - Outstanding Emerging Defence Business. Value of award \$4 000.

## ABOUT THE AWARDS

The awards will recognise outstanding achievements by local businesses which are consistent with or have contributed to the aims of the Northern Territory Defence Support Industry Development Strategy during the year.

1. Chief Minister's Award – recognising best overall contribution to the NT defence support industry.
2. Minister for Defence Support Award – recognition of achievements by an emerging defence business that has added to the local industry's capability to service the needs of Defence.

The achievement can be specific to the business nominated or it can be to the industry in general. The nominees will be judged against elements of the Northern Territory Defence Support Industry Development Strategy vision, which is *to develop a strong, sustainable and growing Defence support industry with capability aligned to the needs of Defence.*

Those elements are:

1. workforce development
2. building business capabilities
3. profiling and promotion of industry capability
4. establishment of strategic partnerships
5. research and development
6. linking industry to opportunity
7. development of strategic infrastructure.

The awards are designed to enhance the winners' reputation amongst industry peers locally and nationally, as a business that has made an outstanding achievement in helping to grow this important sector. The awards will raise the winners' profile in the Defence support sector and contribute to the continued growth and capability of support for the future needs of Defence.

### HOW TO NOMINATE

Businesses may self nominate, be nominated by a third party or nominate another business. Simply complete the nomination coversheet and submit submission by close of business 6 August 2010. Return to:

The Executive Officer  
AIDN-NT  
GPO Box 37919  
WINNELLIE NT 0821

### SELECTION PROCESS

Awards to be decided by a selection panel consisting representatives from:

- AIDN-NT
- Northern Territory Government
- Defence

### ANNOUNCEMENT OF WINNER

The awards will be announced and presented on the night of the Gala Dinner on Tuesday 21 September 2010.