BIOTECHNOLOGY - THE REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

National

Industry and Institutions

- Apply to the GTR for a license to "deal" with GMOs
- Accredited by the GTR to "deal" with GMOs

Office of the Gene Technology Regulator (GTR)

Gene Technology Technical Advisory Committee

Gene Technology Ethics Committee

Gene Technology Community Consultative Committee

Gene Technology Ministerial Council

Victorian Minister for Health

Other Commonwealth Regulators

FSANZ – GM food standards & labelling
APVMA – veterinary and agricultural chemicals
TGA – therapeutics
NICNAS – industrial chemicals
AQIS – imported products regulation (not approval)

These must seek the advice of GTR but are not obligated to follow that advice.

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