

**BPA Policy 130-1**  
**Functional Statement for the Office of the**  
**Administrator and Chief Executive Officer**  
**Leadership and Authority**

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### 130-1.1 Functional Statement for the Office of the Administrator and Chief Executive Officer

The Office of the Administrator and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) provides overall leadership and direction in the planning, development, and administration of policies that govern the operation of a large public utility. The CEO interacts at the highest levels with key customers and government, business, and interest group leaders. The CEO represents Bonneville Power Administration (BPA) policies and strategies to the congressional delegation and other high-ranking government officials.

The CEO provides leadership on overall business strategic objectives and ensures that BPA responsibilities established by statutes and directives are carried out, including those pertaining to environment, safety, and health considerations. The CEO provides general leadership on overall business strategic objectives, as well as decisions that impact those strategic objectives. The CEO oversees and provides direction and guidance for program execution and administration to the Office of General Counsel.

### 130-1.2 Office of General Counsel

General Counsel provides legal expertise, which supports Bonneville Power Administration (BPA) programs through legal advice and representation, including but not limited to the general areas of transmission, natural resources, power, lands, federal resources and treaties, generation and finance, personnel, and ratemaking.

For a complete description of the functional responsibilities of the General Counsel and the organizations that comprise BPA’s Office of General Counsel, see BPA Manual Chapter 4, Functional Statement for the Office of General Counsel.

### 130-1.3 Review

BPA Functional Statements are reviewed and updated as required due to changes in delegations of authority, statutory changes, or organizational changes.

### 130-1.4 Revision History

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