

Alignment of classifications to BIL, protective marking and access requirements

Classification	<i>Sensitive information</i>		<i>Security classified information</i>		
	OFFICIAL	OFFICIAL: Sensitive	PROTECTED	SECRET	TOP SECRET
Business Impact Level (BIL)	1 Low	2 Low to medium	3 High	4 Extreme	5 Catastrophic
Compromise of information would be expected to cause	Not applicable. This is the majority of routine information created or processed by the South Australian public sector.	Limited damage to an individual, organisation or government generally if compromised.	Damage to the state or national interest, organisations or individuals.	Serious damage to the state or national interest, organisations or individuals.	Exceptionally grave damage to the state or national interest, organisations or individuals.
Text-based marking	Optional OFFICIAL	Mandatory OFFICIAL: Sensitive	Mandatory PROTECTED	Mandatory SECRET	Mandatory TOP SECRET
If text-based markings cannot be used	Colour marking not required	Colour marking not required	Blue colour marking required	Salmon (pink) colour marking required	Red colour marking required
Need-to-know	Not required, but recommended	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Valid personnel security clearance	Not applicable. Effective employment screening is a sufficient security control	Not applicable. Effective employment screening is a sufficient security control.	Yes Baseline	Yes Negative Vetting 1	Yes Negative Vetting 2 (or above)