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TOPIC: ANSTO Organisation Structure

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It has now been removed but, until very recently, there was a page in the ‘Operational Overview’ section of your website that included the following quote: “ANSTO is currently in a restructure phase. As such, the leadership team is expanding and evolving to meet the needs of the organisation”. Can you explain what was meant by this?

ANSWER

As indicated in its 2010-2015 Corporate Plan, ANSTO is building on the achievements of previous years and has repositioned its strategic priorities, focusing on:

1. Delivering World-Class Research and Innovation in Nuclear Science and Technology;
2. Expanding ANSTO’s Reach and Contribution, Exploiting Landmark Technologies;
3. Serving the Nuclear Needs of the Government, Industry, Community and People of Australia; and
4. Driving Organisational Renewal.

As a result, ANSTO has restructured its leadership team with the aim of strengthening its focus on these strategic priorities.

The 2010-2015 Corporate Plan is available on ANSTO’s website. The link is as follows:

http://www.ansto.gov.au/discovering_ansto/publications_audio_video_and_images/publications/corporate_plan_2010-2015