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- Paul Perkins, adjunct professor at the Australian National University, is a national leader in public sector reform and the emerging sustainable development movement. He provides advice to governments on science-policy-operations integration focussed on environment and natural resource management, industry development and sustainability strategies

Present and recent contributions include:

- Project Director of the National Water Industry Roadmap Study (2004-2005)
- Chairman of the National Environmental Education Council (2003-2007),
- Chairman of the Cooperative Research Centre for Contamination Assessment and Environmental Remediation (CRC CARE) (from 2004)
- Facilitator of an investment plan for a Terrestrial Ecosystems Research Infrastructure Network (TERN) , funded by Australian Government (2007)
- Member of the Australian Government's Business Roundtable on Sustainable Development (2004-2007),
- Chairman of the Barton Group, a national CEO alliance implementing the Environment Industry Development Agenda (from 2001),
- Deputy Chairman, Perpetual Water Pty Ltd, a technology start-up (from 2006)
- Chairman (elect) Kimbriki Waste Recycling, a Sydney based regional (local government) waste company

He was DCEO & later CEO of ACTEW, a unique government-owned holding company which operates electricity, water, sewerage and broadband telecommunications operations through ActewAGL, Australia's first equity-based public-private partnership multi-utility (1991 to 2003).

He was appointed as a Member of the Order of Australia (AM) in 2005 for contributions to public sector reform, environment and export development.

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