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## AUSTRALIAN ARMY

## Lieutenant General Peter LEAHY AO, ACT

For eminent service to the Australian Defence Force in command of the Australian Army and strategic staff appointments.

Lieutenant General Leahy has commanded the Australian Army in an exemplary manner. In a time of unprecedented change and uncertainty, he has provided strong leadership to subordinates and unswerving support to the Chief of the Defence Force and the other Services. His overall contribution to the Australian Defence Force has been outstanding. Lieutenant General Leahy has proved to be an exceptional senior commander and visionary strategic leader in the Australian Defence Force.