# ORGANIZATIONAL Chart

**Board of Public Safety**

**Director Vernon M. Keenan**



**Assistant Director Christina Ash**



**Assistant Director:** Assists the Director in establishing agency policies and coordinates the management of administrative, personnel and new program issues.

• Represents the Director on various boards and assumes the duties of the Director in his absence.

## Investigative Division

**Kent Wilson**
**Director for Investigations**

• At the request of the Governor, law enforcement and district attorneys, the Investigative Division provides criminal investigative assistance to the law enforcement community statewide.

• Combats illicit drug trade through specialized drug enforcement units.

• Provides specialized services, including computer forensics, health care fraud investigations and explosives and bomb disposal.

## Georgia Crime Information Center

**Paul Heppner**
**Deputy Director**

• Operates the Georgia Criminal Justice Information System (CJIS) network and audits systems for other agencies.

• Maintains Georgia's repository for all criminal history records and fingerprints.

• Staffs and operates the Georgia Firearms Program.

• Collects and compiles crime statistics, the Sexually Violent Offender Registry, and the Protective Order Registry.

## Division of Forensic Sciences

**Dan Kirk**
**Deputy Director**

• Furnishes scientific support to the state's criminal justice community.

• Provides scientific, forensic testing, including Firearms, Trace Evidence, Chemistry, Questioned Documents, Toxicology, Forensic Biology/DNA, Pathology, and Latent Fingerprints.

• Provides expert testimony in court.

## Administration

• Supports the Investigative Division, GCIC and DOFS in carrying out their duties.

• Consists of: Finance Office (Ray Higgins, Fiscal Officer/Treasurer); Legal Services (Mark Jackson, Director); Personnel Office (LuAnne Worley, Director); Professional Standards (Bill Malueg, Inspector); Public Affairs (John Bankhead, Director); Staff Services (Jon Paget, Director).