Commonwealth of Australia

STATUTORY DECLARATION Statutory Declarations Act 1959

1 Insert the name and occupation		I, ¹			
making the dec	laration	Address:			
		Occupation:			
2 Set out matter of to in numbered	declared	make the following declaration under the Statutory Declarations Act 1959:			
paragraphs					
		I understand that a person who intentionally makes a false statement in a statutory declaration is guilty of an offence under section 11 of the <i>Statutory Declarations Act 1959</i> , and I believe that the statements in this declaration are true in every particular.			
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4 Place 5 Day 6 Month and year	r	Declared at ⁴	on ⁵	of ⁶	
7 Signature of per before whom the declaration is mover)	rson ne	Before me,			
8 Full name, qual and address of before whom th declaration is m printed letters	person ne				

Note 1 A person who intentionally makes a false statement in a statutory declaration is guilty of an offence, the punishment for which is imprisonment for a term of 4 years — see section 11 of the Statutory Declarations Act 1959.

Note 2 Chapter 2 of the Criminal Code applies to all offences against the Statutory Declarations Act 1959 — see section 5A of the Statutory Declarations Act 1959.

A statutory declaration under the Statutory Declarations Act 1959 may be made before -

1. a person who is currently licensed or registered under a law to practise in one of the following occupations:

ChiropractorDentistLegal practitionerMedical practitionerNurseOptometristPatent attorneyPharmacistPhysiotherapistPsychologistTrade marks attorneyVeterinary surgeon

- 2. a person who is enrolled on the roll of the Supreme Court of a State or Territory, or the High Court of Australia, as a legal practitioner (however described); or
- 3. a person who is in the following list:
 - Agent of the Australian Postal Corporation who is in charge of an office supplying postal services to the public
 - Australian Consular Officer or Australian Diplomatic Officer (within the meaning of the Consular Fees Act 1955)
 - Bailiff
 - Bank officer with 5 or more continuous years of service
 - Building society officer with 5 or more years of continuous service
 - Chief executive officer of a Commonwealth court
 - Clerk of a court
 - Commissioner for Affidavits
 - Commissioner for Declarations
 - Credit union officer with 5 or more years of continuous service
 - Employee of the Australian Trade Commission who is:
 - a. in a country or place outside Australia; and
 - b. authorised under paragraph 3
 - c. of the Consular Fees Act 1955; and
 - d. exercising his or her function in that place
 - Employee of the Commonwealth who is:
 - a. in a country or place outside Australia; and
 - b. authorised under paragraph 3 (c) of the Consular Fees Act 1955; and
 - c. exercising his or her function in that place
 - Fellow of the National Tax Accountants' Association
 - Finance company officer with 5 or more years of continuous service
 - Holder of a statutory office not specified in another item in this list
 - Judge of a court
 - Justice of the Peace
 - Magistrate
 - Marriage celebrant registered under Subdivision C of Division 1 of Part IV of the Marriage Act 1961
 - Master of a court
 - Member of Chartered Secretaries Australia
 - Member of Engineers Australia, other than at the grade of student
 - Member of the Association of Taxation and Management Accountants
 - Member of the Australian Defence Force who is:
 - a. an officer; or
 - b. a non-commissioned officer within the meaning of the *Defence Force Discipline Act 1982* with 5 or more years of continuous service; or
 - c. a warrant officer within the meaning of that Act
 - Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia, the Australian Society of Certified Practising Accountants or the National Institute of Accountants
 - Member of:
 - a. the Parliament of the Commonwealth; or
 - b. the Parliament of a State; or
 - c. a Territory legislature; or
 - d. a local government authority of a State or Territory
 - Minister of religion registered under Subdivision A of Division 1 of Part IV of the Marriage Act 1961
 - Notary public
 - Permanent employee of the Australian Postal Corporation with 5 or more years of continuous service who is employed in an office supplying postal services to the public
 - Permanent employee of:
 - a. the Commonwealth or a Commonwealth authority; or
 - b. a State or Territory or a State or Territory authority; or
 - c. a local government authority;
 - with 5 or more years of continuous service who is not specified in another item in this list
 - Person before whom a statutory declaration may be made under the law of the State or Territory in which the declaration is made
 - Police officer
 - Registrar, or Deputy Registrar, of a court
 - Senior Executive Service employee of:
 - a. the Commonwealth or a Commonwealth authority; or
 - b. a State or Territory or a State or Territory authority
 - Sheriff
 - Sheriff's officer
 - Teacher employed on a full-time basis at a school or tertiary education institution