

# **Statutory Declarations Regulations**

**SR 1993 No. 156 as amended**

made under the

*Statutory Declarations Act 1959*

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**1 Citation** [see Note 1]

These Regulations may be cited as the Statutory Declarations Regulations.

**2 Interpretation**

In these Regulations, unless the contrary intention appears:

*Act* means the *Statutory Declarations Act 1959*.

**3 Persons before whom a statutory declaration may be made — paragraph 8 (b) of the Act**

For the purposes of paragraph 8 (b) of the Act, the following persons are prescribed:

- (a) a person who is authorised under a law in force in a State or Territory to practise as a member of a profession listed in Part 1 in the Schedule;
- (b) a person listed in Part 2 in the Schedule.

**4 Repeal of Statutory Declarations Regulations**

Statutory Rules 1991 No. 398 are repealed.

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## **Schedule**                      **Persons before whom a Statutory Declaration may be made**

regulation 3

### **Part 1**                              **Members of certain professions**

Chiropractor  
Dentist  
Legal practitioner  
Medical practitioner  
Nurse  
Patent attorney  
Pharmacist  
Physiotherapist  
Psychologist  
Veterinary surgeon

### **Part 2**                              **Other persons**

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 1985)  
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  
Civil marriage celebrant  
Clerk of a court

Commissioner for Affidavits

Commissioner for Declarations

Credit union officer with 5 or more years of continuous service

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 Part

Judge of a court

Justice of the Peace

Magistrate

Master of a court

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) 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 the Institute of Corporate Managers, Secretaries and Administrators

Member of the Institution of Engineers, Australia, other than at the grade of student

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 Division 1 of Part IV of the *Marriage Act 1961*

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Notary public

Permanent employee of:

- (a) the Commonwealth or of a Commonwealth authority;  
or
- (b) a State or Territory or of 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 Part

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

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 officer of the Commonwealth,  
or of a State or Territory, or of a Commonwealth, State or  
Territory authority

Sheriff

Sheriff's officer

Teacher employed on a full-time basis at a school or  
tertiary education institution

## Notes to the Statutory Declarations Regulations

### Note 1

The Statutory Declarations Regulations (in force under the *Statutory Declarations Act 1959*) as shown in this reprint comprise Statutory Rules 1993 No. 156 amended as indicated in the Tables below.

### Table of Statutory Rules

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<b>Year and number</b>	<b>Date of notification in <i>Gazette</i></b>	<b>Date of commencement</b>	<b>Application, saving or transitional provisions</b>
1993 No. 156	29 June 1993	29 June 1993	
1997 No. 339	3 Dec 1997	3 Dec 1997	—

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## Table of Amendments

ad. = added or inserted    am. = amended    rep. = repealed    rs. = repealed and substituted

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<b>Provision affected</b>	<b>How affected</b>
Schedule .....	am. 1997 No. 339

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