

# STATUTORY DECLARATION

Queensland to Wit – *Oaths Act 1867*

I, \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Name of person making declaration)*

of \_\_\_\_\_, in the State of Queensland  
*(Address of person making declaration)*

do solemnly and sincerely declare that

I have known, \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Full name of person being identified)*

not as a relative but in the capacity of, \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Nature of relationship with person being identified)*

for \_\_\_\_\_ years. My current occupation is \_\_\_\_\_,  
*(Number of years known)* *(Occupation of declarant)*

I am not a party to the Conveyancing Transaction being undertaken and to my knowledge, information and belief

\_\_\_\_\_ is the person they purport to be.  
*(Name of person being identified)*

**And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the *Oaths Act 1867*.**

Taken and declared before me at \_\_\_\_\_,  
*(Place)*

On \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_  
*(Signature of declarant/deponent)*

A Justice of the Peace/Commissioner for Declarations.

### **Identifier Declaration – Queensland**

Where a photographic identity document cannot be produced, an Identifier Declaration may be used if the verifier or their agent is reasonably satisfied that photographic identity documents cannot be produced.

The Person being Identified and the Identity Declarant are to attend the same face-to-face in-person interview with the Verifier (or their agent).

The Verifier (or their agent) is to verify the identity of the Identity Declarant using at least one Photographic Identity document, and a separate Verification of Identity Certificate.

The Verifier or their agent is to undertake reasonable enquiries to satisfy themselves that the Identity Declarant is:

- a) an Adult; and
- b) an individual who has known the Person Being Identified for more than 12 months; and
- c) not a Relative of the Person Being Identified; and
- d) not a party to the Conveyancing Transaction the Person Being Identified has or is entering into; and
- e) where Section 4 on the Verification of Identity Certificate is used, the Identity Declarant must be a Bank Manager, Community Leader, Court Officer, Medical Doctor, Land Council Officeholder, Local Government Officeholder, Nurse, Public Servant, Australian Legal Practitioner, Licensed Conveyancer or Police Officer.

### **Who can witness this statutory declaration?**

This declaration may be witnessed by:

- A justice, commissioner for declarations or notary public under the law of the State, the Commonwealth or another State; or
- A lawyer; or
- A conveyancer, or another person authorised to administer an oath, under the law of the State, the Commonwealth or another State.