Statutory Declaration
OATHS ACT 1900, NSW, EIGHTH SCHEDULE

I, ............................................................, do solemnly and sincerely declare that
[name of declarant]
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and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the
provisions of the Oaths Act 1900.

Declared at: ........................................... on ............................................................
[place]                                      [date]

............................................................ in the presence of an authorised witness, who states:
[signature of declarant]

I, ............................................................, a ...............................................................
[name of authorised witness]          [qualification of authorised witness]
certify the following matters concerning the making of this statutory declaration by the person who made it:
[* please cross out any text that does not apply]

1. *I saw the face of the person  OR  *I did not see the face of the person because the person was wearing a
face covering, but I am satisfied that the person had a special justification for not removing the covering, and
2. *I have known the person for at least 12 months  OR  *I have not known the person for at least 12
months, but I have confirmed the person's identity using an identification document and the document I
relied on was .............................................................[describe identification document relied on]

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[signature of authorised witness]          [date]
List of authorised witnesses

There are a number of people who may be able to witness your statutory declaration. A Commonwealth statutory declaration under the Statutory Declarations Act 1959 will need to be witnessed by a person who is both:

- on the list of authorised witnesses (below)
- has a connection to Australia.

For example, a doctor who is registered to practise medicine in Australia can witness your declaration, but a doctor who is not registered in Australia cannot.

A statutory declaration may be made before:

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

- Chiropractor
- Dentist
- Legal practitioner
- Medical practitioner
- Nurse
- Optometrist
- Pharmacist
- Physiotherapist
- Psychologist
- Veterinary surgeon
- Agent of the Australian Postal Corporation who is in charge of an office supplying postal services to the public
- Bank officer/Credit Union Officer with 5 or more continuous years of service
- Clerk of a court
- Justice of the Peace
- Police officer
- Teacher employed on a full-time basis at a school or tertiary education institution