Statutory Declaration

Resource activities other than mining

Declaration of compliance for written documents

A statutory declaration is a written statement of facts that is sworn or declared under the Oaths Act 1867. This statutory declaration has been prepared to declare the authority holders compliance with the provisions of the Environmental Protection Act 1994 (EP Act) or an environmental authority condition that stipulates the requirement to submit a certified written document to the administering authority.

NOTE: If you wish to make a statutory declaration in the electronic form, please use the statutory declaration form available at [Statutory Declaration Forms - Datasets | Publications | Queensland Government](https://www.publications.qld.gov.au/dataset/statutory-declaration). The information below should be used as a guide about the matters that are to be included when using the electronic form.

*Oaths Act 1867*

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Re: Written documents relating to an environmental authority for a resource activity other than mining under the *Environmental Protection Act 1994*.

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| Written document: | |  |
| Subject matter: | | (Insert type of document, e.g. contingency plan for emergency environmental incidents) |
| Authority holder: | | (Insert subject matter, e.g. compliance with environmental authority number EPPG1001222222) |
|  | | (Insert principal holder name) |
| I, |  | |
|  | (Insert full name of person making this declaration) | |
| of, |  | |
|  | (Street address of the person making this declaration) | |

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| do solemnly and sincerely declare that:  1. I am a suitably qualified person as defined in the environmental authority; having professional qualifications, training, skills and experience relevant to the subject matter and can give authoritative assessment, advice and analysis relative to the subject matter using the relevant protocols, standards, methods or literature. A copy of my curriculum vitae is Annexure A to this declaration[[1]](#footnote-1);  2. The authority holder has fully complied with the requirements of paragraph [Insert condition number of the environmental authority].  3. All relevant material has been considered in preparing the [insert name of document].   1. The content of the [Insert name of document]is accurate and true. 2. The [Insert name of document] meets the requirements of the [Insert condition number(s)] of environmental authority [Insert environmental authority number].   And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the *Oaths Act 1867.* |

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| I declare that the contents of this statutory declaration are true and correct. Where the contents of this declaration are based on information and belief, the contents are true to the best of my knowledge and I have stated the source of that information and grounds for the belief.  I understand that it is a criminal offence to provide a false matter in a declaration, for example, the offence of perjury under section 123 of the Criminal Code. |

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| Taken and declared before me, at | | | |  | | | | | |
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| this | |  | day of | |  | | | in the year |  |
|  | | (Insert day, e.g. 18th) |  | | (Insert month) | | |  | (Insert year) |
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| Signed | | | | | |  | Signed | | |
| (Person making this declaration) | | | | | |  | (Cross out whichever is not applicable)  Justice of the Peace / Commissioner for Declarations / Solicitor / Barrister | | |
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(Print name and registration number, if applicable)

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| Approved By | | | |
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| Signature |  | Date |  |
| Director  Regional and Regulation Support  *Environmental Protection Act 1994*  Department of Environment, Science and Innovation |  | **Enquiries:**  Regional and Regulation Support  Department of Environment, Science and Innovation  Email: [RRSenquiries@des.qld.gov.au](mailto:RRSenquiries@des.qld.gov.au)  **Regular or registered post:**  GPO Box 2454, Brisbane QLD 4001 | |

1. The signatory does not need to initial each page of the annexure, but it does need to be marked with the following:

   “This is the [*insert name of document]* or a copy of the [insert name of document] marked with the letter “A” referred to in the Statutory Declaration [insert sworn/taken/affirmed/solemnly declared] before me at [insert day] of [insert month], [insert year]. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)