

STATUTORY DECLARATION

I, _____ [name] of _____

[address] in the State of Western Australia, _____ [occupation]

sincerely declare as follows —

1. I am authorised to make this declaration in support of an application for issue or renewal of a licence to use animals for scientific purposes made by _____ [name of scientific establishment] (the scientific establishment).
2. The scientific establishment has an Animal Ethics Committee,
or
the scientific establishment has arranged for the Animal Ethics Committee of another scientific establishment to act as its Animal Ethics Committee
(please cross out and initial the paragraph which does not apply).
3. The scientific establishment complies with the *Australian code of practice for the care and use of animals for scientific purposes*.
4. The staff of the scientific establishment are experienced and competent in using animals for scientific purposes.
5. The staff of the scientific establishment are experienced and competent in caring for and handling animals of the kind to be used.
6. The scientific establishment has a register of all approved projects involving the scientific use of animals that identifies current projects.
7. The scientific establishment has a method of ensuring any person who is to be involved in the conduct of an approved project under the licence has the appropriate veterinary skills for that project.

This declaration is true and I know that it is an offence to make a declaration knowing that it is false in a material particular.

This declaration is made under the *Oaths, Affidavits and Statutory Declarations Act 2005* at

_____ [place] on _____ [date] by —

[Signature of person making the declaration]

in the presence of —

[Signature of authorised witness]

[Name of authorised witness]

[Qualification as such a witness]

[Please see attached list of authorised witnesses for a statutory declaration that is made at a place in Western Australia]

An authorised witness for a statutory declaration that is made at a place in Western Australia:

Academic(post-secondary institution)

Accountant

Architect

Australian Consular Officer

Australian Diplomatic Officer

Bailiff

Bank manager

Chartered secretary

Chemist

Chiropractor

Company auditor or liquidator

Court officer

Defence force officer

Dentist

Doctor

Electorate officer of a member of State Parliament

Engineer

Industrial organisation secretary

Insurance broker

Justice of the Peace

Landgate officer

Lawyer

Local government CEO or deputy CEO

Local government councillor

Loss adjuster

Marriage celebrant

Member of Parliament

Minister of religion

Nurse

Optometrist

Patent attorney

Physiotherapist

Podiatrist

Police officer

Post office manager

Psychologist

Public notary

Public servant (Commonwealth)

Public servant (State)

Real estate agent

Settlement agent

Sheriff or deputy sheriff

Surveyor

Teacher

Tribunal officer

Veterinary surgeon