Please complete this declaration with all relevant requested information. Disclosing exceptions in clause 5 will not automatically exclude you from working or volunteering at Red Cross or undertaking activity as a member. Your suitability to undertake an activity, work or volunteer will be assessed in accordance with Red Cross policies.

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| **Commonwealth of Australia** |
| **STATUTORY DECLARATION** |
| ***Statutory Declarations Act 1959*** |

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| *1 Insert the name, address and occupation of person making the declaration* | I ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………  make the following declaration under the *Statutory Declarations Act 1959:* |
| *2 Set out matter declared to in numbered paragraphs* | (**NOTE**: **Please choose whichever are relevant from following options - *1(a), 1 (b) or 1(c).***  1 (a). I declare that I am unable to obtain a police clearance or equivalent document from my country of citizenship. I am not able to do so because (*here set out a brief explanation of why a police check is not obtainable or appropriate; please attach a separate sheet if necessary*):  ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………...  1 (b). I declare that since turning 16 years of age, I have been a citizen or permanent resident of a country/countries other than Australia.  ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………  ....................................................................................................................................................  1 (c). ONLY APPLICABLE FOR VOLUNTEER ROLES REQUIRING WWCC & WWVP CHECK (ACT Visiting, ACT Delivered Meals & SA Regional Transport volunteer roles)  I declare that I am unable to obtain a police clearance or equivalent document from the following countries (*here insert relevant countries; please attach a separate sheet if necessary*)  …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………............................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................  where I have resided for more than 12 months in the last five years because (*here set out a brief explanation of why a police check is not obtainable or appropriate, for each relevant country; please attach a separate sheet if necessary*): ……………………………………………………………………….....................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................................  2. Except for the matters which I am disclosing under clause 5, I declare that I have never been convicted of:  ¨ an offence involving the death of a person; or  ¨ sentenced to imprisonment for at least one year for, any of the following offences:   1. a sex related offence, including sexual assault (whether against an adult or child), child pornography, or an indecent act involving a child; 2. an offence involving dishonesty that is not minor.   ¨ murder or sexual assault; or  ¨ any other form of assault or;  ¨ any offence involving harm or exploitation of vulnerable people (including children); or  ¨ any offence in connection with any aspect of child abuse or exploitation; or  ¨ any serious alcohol or drug related offences that indicate a pattern of dependence; or  ¨ any offence involving drug trafficking; or  ¨ any offence involving terrorism; or  ¨ membership of a terrorist organisation.  3. Except for the matters which I am disclosing under clause 5, I declare that I have not received a finding of guilt (without conviction), a good behaviour bond or other court order in relation to any matter referred to in clause 2.  4. I declare that I do not have any matters of the types referred to in clause 2 awaiting court hearing or undergoing current investigation. |
|  | 5. I disclose the following matters which are exceptions to my statements under clause 2 and/or clause 3 (*please attach a separate sheet if necessary*):  …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………  …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………  …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………  …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………  ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………….  I understand that a person who intentionally makes a false statement in a statutory declaration is guilty of an offence under section 11 of the *Statutory Declarations Act 1959*,and I believe that the statements in this declaration are true in every particular. |
| *3 Signature of person making the declaration* | ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………… |
| *4 Place*  *5 Day*  *6 Month* *and year* | Declared at4 …………………………… on5………………………………… of6………………………… |
| *7 Signature of person before whom the declaration is made (see over)* | Before me,  ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………… |
| *8 Full name, qualification and address of person before whom the declaration is made (in printed letters)* | ………………………………………………………………………………………………………………… |

*Note 1*   A person who intentionally makes a false statement in a statutory declaration is guilty of an offence, the punishment for which is imprisonment for a term of 4 years — see section 11 of the *Statutory Declarations Act 1959*.

*Note 2*   Chapter 2 of the *Criminal Code* applies to all offences against the *Statutory Declarations Act 1959* — see section 5A of the *Statutory Declarations Act 1959*.

**A statutory declaration under the *Statutory Declarations Act 1959* may be made before–**

(1) 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

Patent attorney Pharmacist Physiotherapist

Psychologist Trade marks attorney Veterinary surgeon

(2) a person who is enrolled on the roll of the Supreme Court of a State or Territory, or the High Court of Australia, as a legal practitioner (however described); or

(3) a person who is in the following list:

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 1955*)

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

Clerk of a court

Commissioner for Affidavits

Commissioner for Declarations

Credit union officer with 5 or more years of continuous service

Employee of the Australian Trade Commission who is:

(a) in a country or place outside Australia; and

(b) authorised under paragraph 3 (d) of the *Consular Fees Act 1955*; and

(c) exercising his or her function in that place

Employee of the Commonwealth who is:

(a) in a country or place outside Australia; and

(b) authorised under paragraph 3 (c) of the *Consular Fees Act 1955*; and

(c) exercising his or her function in that place

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 list

Judge of a court

Justice of the Peace

Magistrate

Marriage celebrant registered under Subdivision C of Division 1 of Part IV of the *Marriage Act 1961*

Master of a court

Member of Chartered Secretaries Australia

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

Member of the Association of Taxation and Management Accountants

Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy

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) a 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:

(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 Subdivision A of Division 1 of Part IV of the *Marriage Act 1961*

Notary public

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

Permanent employee of:

(a) the Commonwealth or a Commonwealth authority; or

(b) a State or Territory or 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 list

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 employee of:

(a) the Commonwealth or a Commonwealth authority; or

(b) a State or Territory or a State or Territory authority

Sheriff,

Sheriff’s officer,

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