

In the presence of an authorised witness, who states:

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:

(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 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]

Signature

Date

Declarant's signature

(To be signed in the presence of an Authorised Witness)

Date

Authorised Witness

Full name & registration

Signature

Date

In New South Wales, an authorised witness under the *Oaths Act 1900* must be a:

- justice of the peace
- legal practitioner, i.e. an Australian lawyer who is granted a practising certificate
- notary public
- commissioner of the court for taking affidavits
- any person authorised to administer an oath
- any person authorised under the *Statutory Declarations Act 1959 of the Commonwealth*.

For more information see <https://www.ag.gov.au/legal-system/statutory-declarations/who-can-witness-your-statutory-declaration>.