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#### ALSATIAN DOG ACT, 1962.

Department of Agriculture, South Perth, 24th October, 1963.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor and Administrator in Executive Council, acting pursuant to the powers conferred by the Interpretation Act, 1918-1962, and by the Alsatian Dog Act, 1962, has been pleased-

- (a) to revoke the regulations made under the Alsatian Dog Act, 1929-1952, and published in the Government Gazette on the 22nd May, 1953; and
- (b) to make the regulations set out in the schedule hereto.

T. C. DUNNE. Director of Agriculture.

### Schedule.

### Regulations.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Alsatian Dog Regula- Citation. tions, 1963.

Interpre-

- 2. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires— "Act" means the Alsatian Dog Act, 1962;
  - "certificate of sterilisation" means a certificate given by a registered veterinary surgeon that the dog therein referred to has been sterilised by a registered veterinary surgeon;
  - "dealer's permit" means a permit held pursuant to regulation 21;
  - "declaration of identity" means a Statutory Declaration, made pursuant to these regulations, verifying that a certificate or other writing therein referred to or thereto annexed relates to an Alsation dog identified in the declaration and to none other;
  - "permit in the first instance" means a permit to keep an Alsatian dog in respect of which no such permit has previously been issued, or if issued has not been renewed in accordance with these regulations;
  - "regulation" means one of these regulations; and words and expressions used have the same respective meanings as are given them in, and for the purposes of, the Act.
- 3. (1) The Protection Board shall cause a register of permits Register of to be kept and the particulars of every permit issued pursuant to the Act and under these regulations shall be set out in that register. Beginning to be kept.
- (2) An entry in the register of permits is prima facie evidence of the facts therein contained and, where the issue of a permit is not recorded in the register, there is a presumption that the permit has not been issued.

Applications for permits under s. 6 in first instance.

- 4. (1) Every application for a permit, in the first instance, pursuant to section 6 of the Act, shall be made to the Chief Vermin Control Officer in writing, signed by the applicant, and shall set out—
  - (a) the full name, address and description of the applicant;
  - (b) the name, description, sex and age of the dog in respect of which the permit is sought; and
  - (c) the place at which the dog is being, or is to be, kept;

and shall be accompanied by a certificate of sterilisation, a declaration of identity made by the applicant and, subject to regulation 20, an amount of five pounds.

(2) Every declaration of identity shall be in the form set out in the schedule to these regulations.

Issue of permits under s. 6 in the first instance.

- 5. (1) If the Protection Board is satisfied by the production of a certificate of sterilisation and a declaration of identity that a dog, the subject of an application under regulation 4, is sterilised then, but not otherwse, it shall direct the applicant to have the dog marked for identification, pursuant to the Act, under the provisions of regulation 6; and, upon the dog being marked for identification, the Protection Board shall cause the permit to be issued and the identity marking to be indorsed on the permit, on the certificate of sterilisation and on the declaration of identity and shall forward the permit and the certificate of sterilization to the applicant, together with an identification tag.
- (2) Where the Protection Board does not issue a permit under this regulation, it shall cause the amount tendered with the application to be refunded to the applicant.

Marking of dogs for identification.

- 6. (1) Every applicant for a permit under regulation 4 shall, when so directed by the Protection Board, at his own expense, produce the dog that is the subject of the application to such person and place, and within such time. as the Protection Board may stipulate, for examination, marking for identification pursuant to the Act or both.
- (2) A person producing a dog pursuant to this regulation shall ensure that it is so secured, restrained, muzzled or treated (including, where necessary, treated by a veterinary surgeon at that person's expense) as to be capable of being examined or marked without danger or risk being occasioned to any person or property, by the behaviour of the dog.
- (3) Where practicable, a dog shall be marked for identification within the right ear or, where that is not practicable, within the left ear and, failing that, at such other place as the Chief Vermin Control Officer may, from time to time, direct.
- (4) The Protection Board is not liable for any damage to, or disfigurement of, a dog occurring during examination or as a result of marking for identification, unless that damage or disfigurement is occasioned without reasonable and probable cause.
- (5) Every person who obliterates, alters or obscures any identification marking made pursuant to this regulation or who makes any mark on a dog that resembles, or is intended to resemble, an identification marking made pursuant to this regulation commits an offence.

Identification tags. 7. The Protection Board shall make provision, from year to year, for the issue of identification tags, of such material, design and colour, and bearing such inscription, as it sees fit, to the holders of a permit to keep an Alsatian dog.

Identification tags to be attached.

- 8. (1) A person keeping an Alsatian dog in respect of which a tag has been issued shall ensure that the tag is secured to a collar or chain about its neck.
- (2) Without mitigating any penalty to which he may be liable under subregulation (1) of this regulation, where the keeper of an Alsatian dog permits or suffers it, in contravention of that sub-

regulation, to be without a tag as therein prescribed, the dog may be taken and dealt with as provided by subsections (3) and (4) of section 10 of the Act.

- (3) Every person who-
  - (a) attaches an identity tag to a dog other than that for which it was issued;
  - (b) defaces, alters, mutilates, obscures or marks, or otherwise interferes with, an identification tag;
  - (c) falsely makes or counterfeits, or, knowing it to be false or counterfeit, purchases, uses or has in his possession, any tag resmbling, or intended to resemble, or pass for, a tag issued under these regulations; or
  - (d) not being the keeper of the dog, removes an identity tag from its place of attachment thereon;

commits an offence

- (4) Without mitigating any penalty to which he may be liable under the provisions of subregulation (3) of this regulation, a person, who, not being the keeper of a dog, removes a tag from its point of attachment thereon, is liable to the owner for any loss thereby
- (1) The keeper of an Alsatian dog of which the identifica- Lost tion tag has been lost or so impaired as to render the inscription thereon illegible shall, forthwith after learning of that occurrence, make application to the Chief Vermin Control Officer for the issue of a substitute identification tag; and the Protection Board, on being stripfied as the board of the protection Board, on being satisfied as to the bona fides of the application, shall, on payment of a fee of one pound, in the case of a lost tag, or of ten shillings, in the case of an impaired tag, cause a substitute to be issued, subject to any conditions it may see fit to impose.

identifica-

- (2) A person who falsely represents to the Protection Board, to any of its officers or to an authorised person that an identification tag is lost commits an offence.
- (1) Every permit issued pursuant to section 6 of the Act Permits to be expires (as therein provided) on the 30th day of June next following the day of issue and shall, so long as the holder is keeping the dog to which the permit relates, thereafter be renewed and be renewed annually.

- (2) An application for the renewal of a permit under this regulation may be made at any time during the period commencing the 1st day of June immediately preceding its expiry and ending on the 15th day of July immediately after its expiry; and, where the renewal is granted, it is deemed to be a continuation of the permit and to have effect on, and from, the day next succeeding that of its expiry.
- (3) Where an application for the renewal of a permit is not made within the period prescribed by this regulation, the Protection Board may, in its discretion, require the person keeping the dog to make an application as for a permit in the first instance; and, without mitigating any penalty to which he may be liable for contravention of section 6 of the Act, the person keeping the dog shall thereupon pay the fee prescribed by regulation 4.
- 11. Every application for the renewal of a permit pursuant to section 6 of the Act shall be made to the Chief Vermin Control for renewal of permits.

  Applications for renewal of permits. by the permit that is to be renewed and an amount of two pounds.

(1) The Protection Board shall make such inquiry as it Issue of considers necessary to satisfy itself that an application for the renewal of a permit, made under regulation 11, relates to the dog for which the permit was issued in the first instance and, on being so satisfied, shall renew the permit and forward the renewed permit to the applicant, together with a current identification tag.

(2) A person who renews, or attempts to renew, a permit to keep an Alsatian dog that is not then kept by him commits an offence.

Expired tags to be replaced.

- 13. (1) Upon the renewal of a permit pursuant to regulation 12, the person keeping the dog to which the permit relates shall substitute the current identification tag for that previously attached to the dog.
- (2) A person keeping an Alsatian dog shall not suffer or permit an identity tag that is not current to be attached to a dog, after fifteen days from the expiry of the permit with which the tag was issued.

Possession of Alsatian dogs not to be given or taken, without transfer of permit.

- 14. (1) Except as provided by section 8 of the Act, a person keeping an Alsatian dog shall not yield up possession of the dog to another person, until that other person has produced to him a permit issued under regulation 16.
- (2) Where a person acquires an Alsatian dog from one who has a permit to keep it, he shall not take possession of the dog until such time as the Protection Board has transferred the permit to him.

Applications for transfer of permits.

- 15. Every application for the transfer of a permit to keep an Alsatian dog shall be made to the Chief Vermin Control Officer in writing, signed by the applicant, and shall set out—
  - (a) the full name, address and description of the applicant; and
  - (b) the place at which it is proposed to keep the dog;

and shall be accompanied by the permit to be transferred, indorsed with the consent of the holder to its transfer, and an amount of five pounds.

Transfer of permits.

16. The Protection Board shall make such inquiry as it considers necessary to satisfy itself as to the bona fides of an application for the transfer of a permit and as to the existence of the dog to which the permit relates and, on being so satisfied, shall issue a permit to the applicant and shall cancel the permit transferred.

Permits in respect of Alsatian dogs acquired from dealers.

17. A person acquiring an Alsatian dog from the holder of a dealer's permit shall not take possession of the dog, until such time as he has obtained a permit, issued under regulation 5, or, where the holder of the dealer's permit has already obtained such a permit in respect of the acquired dog, until that permit is transferred, under regulation 16, to the person acquiring the dog.

Introduction of Alsatian dogs into State.

- 18. (1) A person shall not introduce an Alsatian dog into the State, unless the dog is sterilised and, then only, pursuant to a permit issued by the Protection Board for that purpose.
- (2) Every application for a permit for the purposes of this regulation shall be made to the Chief Vermin Control Officer in writing, signed by the applicant, and shall set out—
  - (a) the full name, address and description of the applicant:
  - (b) the name and address of the person from whom the dog has been, or is to be, acquired and, where the acquisition has been, or is to be, effected through an agent or third party, the name and address of that agent or party;
  - (c) the means by which it is proposed to transport the dog into the State;
  - (d) the proposed time and place of entry, or landing, of the dog, into or in the State;
  - (e) the address within the State at which it is proposed to keep the dog;

and shall be accompanied by a certificate of sterilisation, a declaration of identity made by the person from whom the dog has been, or is to be, acquired and, except in the case of an application by the holder of a dealer's permit, an amount of one pound.

- (3) Where, by reason of a variation of arrangements, the particulars set out pursuant to paragraphs (c) and (d) of subregulation (2) of this regulation are not to be followed, the Chief Vermin Control Officer shall be advised, by the applicant, of the varied arrangements.
- (1) The Protection Board shall make such inquiry as it Issue of considers necessary to satisfy itself as to the bona fides of an application made under regulation 18 and, on being so satisfied, shall an Alsatisfied the regulation are satisfied. issue the required permit to the applicant, subject, however, to such dog. conditions as it may see fit to impose.

- (2) A permit issued under this regulation is valid for the period limited by the permit and, in any event, for a period not exceeding one month from the date of issue.
- (3) The holder of a permit who contravenes any condition to which its issue, under this regulation, is subject, commits an offence.
- (4) Where the Protection Board refuses an application for the issue of a permit under this regulation, it shall cause the amount paid under regulation 18 to be refunded to the applicant.
- 20. (1) The holder of a permit issued under regulation 19 shall, unless he is the holder of a dealer's permit, within forty-eight hours after the introduction into the State of the dog to which the permit relates, make an application for a permit to keep the dog, as prescribed by regulation 4.

Permit to keen an Alsatian dog introduced into the State to be obtained.

- (2) For the purposes of an application made pursuant to this regulation, the amount of one pound paid to the Protection Board under regulation 18 is deemed to be a prepayment made in part satisfaction of the amount payable under regulation 4.
- 21. (1) A person shall not engage in the business of procuring, Restriction buying, selling or exchanging Alsatian dogs or hold himself out as Alsatian on dealing in Alsatian doing, or as being capable of doing, any of those things, unless he has first obtained from the Protection Board a dealer's permit

and continues to hold that or a current permit. (2) Every application for a permit pursuant to this regulation shall be made to the Chief Vermin Control Officer in writing, signed

- by the applicant, and shall set out-(a) the full name, address and description of the applicant;
  - and (b) the address at which it is proposed to keep the dogs in which he intends to deal;

and shall be accompanied by an amount of twenty-five pounds.

(1) The Protection Board may, in its absolute discretion, Issue of issue, or, without assigning any reason therefor, refuse to issue, dealer's a dealer's permit, and may issue the permit subject to such conditions it may see fit to impose.

- (2) A person who, being the holder of a dealer's permit, contravenes any condition to which its issue is subject, commits an offence.
- (3) Where the Protection Board refuses an application for a dealer's permit it shall cause the amount paid under regulation 21 to be refunded to the applicant.
- 23. (1) A dealer's permit is valid for one year from the date Dealers' of issue and shall, so long as the holder continues to deal in Alsatian permits to be renewed. dogs, thereafter be renewed and be renewed annually.

- (2) An application for the renewal of a dealer's permit shall be made to the Chief Vermin Control Officer in writing, signed by the applicant, within one month of the expiry of the permit and shall be accompanied by the permit that is to expire and an amount of twenty-five pounds.
- (1) The Protection Board may, in its absolute discretion, Renewal of renew, or, without assigning any reason therefor, refuse to renew a dealer's permit, and may renew it subject to such conditions

as it may see fit to impose, whether the same as, in substitution for, or in addition to, any conditions imposed on the issue of the permit that has expired.

- (2) A person who, being the holder of a dealer's permit, contravenes any condition to which its renewal is subject, commits an offence.
- (3) Where the Protection Board refuses an application for the renewal of a dealer's permit, it shall cause the amount paid under regulation 23 to be refunded to the applicant.

Duties of holders of dealers'

- (1) Except as otherwise therein prescribed, regulations 14 and 18 apply to the holder of a dealer's permit in a like manner as to other persons.
- (2) Where the holder of a dealer's permit acquires an Alsatian dog that has not been marked for identification as by these regulations prescribed, he shall, forthwith after its coming into his possession, apply to the Chief Vermin Control Officer for a direction as to the marking of the dog for identification, under regulation 6, and shall produce the certificate of sterilisation and the declaration of identity to that officer, for indorsement, as prescribed by subregulation (1) of regulation 5.
- (3) The holder of a dealer's permit who keeps any Alsatian dog for a period of one month shall, forthwith after the conclusion of that period, apply for a permit to keep that dog, where the dog has not been the subject of a permit in the first instance, under regulation 4 and in any other case under regulation 15

Alsatian dogs introduced into the State to be produced for inspection.

- (1) Every person introducing an Alsatian dog into the State shall, forthwith after the arrival of the dog therein, produce it to the Chief Vermin Control Officer or other officer of the Protection Board at the office, depot or inspection point of the Protection Board that is nearest to the dog's place of entry into, or landing in, the State.
- (2) For the purposes of this regulation, but without otherwise limiting the provisions of subregulation (1) thereof, the offices, depots or inspection points deemed to be nearest to the respective places of entry or landing are as follows, that is to say-
  - (a) where the dog is landed by air-
    - (i) at Perth-South Perth; and
    - (ii) at Kalgoorlie-Kalgoorlie;
  - (b) where the dog enters the State by rail—Kalgoorlie;
  - (c) where the dog enters the State by road, on the Eyre Highway-Kalgoorlie; and
  - where the dog is landed from a vessel, at Fremantle— Fremantle.
- (3) A person producing an Alsatian dog for examination, whether pursuant to this regulation, or not, shall ensure that the dog is so secured, restrained, muzzled or treated (including, where necessary, treated by a veterinary surgeon at that person's expense) as to be capable of being examined without danger or risk being occasioned to any person or property, by the behaviour of the dog.

with kennel owners.

- Lodging 27. (1) A person requiring to lodge an Alsatian dog with a Alsation dogs kennel owner shall obtain a permit in writing from the Protection Board for that purpose.
  - (2) Every application for a permit pursuant to this regulation shall be made to the Chief Vermin Control Officer in writing, signed by applicant, and shall set out-
    - (a) the number of the permit relating to the dog;
    - (b) the name and address of the kennel owner with whom the dog is to be lodged; and
    - (c) the date on which, and the period for which, it is proposed to lodge the dog;

and shall be accompanied by an amount of ten shillings.

Issue of permits to lodge Alsatian dogs.

28. If the Protection Board is satisfied that the kennel owner named in an application for a permit to lodge an Alsatian dog is the holder of a license or other authority from the municipality of his district to board dogs, it may, in its discretion, issue a permit for the dog to be lodged with that kennel owner, for the period stipulated in the permit.

29. A kennel owner shall not board, or take possession of, an Kennel Alsatian dog, unless the person keeping it first hands to him-

(a) a permit issued under regulation 28; and

(b) a permit issued under regulation 5 or renewed under regulation 10,

relating to that dog; and shall hold those documents so long as the dog is lodged with him.

30. Every person keeping an Alsatian dog shall keep the dog Persons at the address noted on the permit issued for that purpose and at no other place; and, where the holder of the permit proposes to change his place of abode or the place at which the dog is to be kept, he shall produce the permit to the Chief Vermin Control address. Officer for notation accordingly.

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documents.

An authorised person may (on production of his authority, if so required) at any time, require the holder of a permit issued pursuant to the Act or under these regulations to produce the permit for inspection; and every person so required shall produce the permit.

Authorised persons may inspect

(1) A person shall not permit an Alsatian dog to cross breed with, or to be cross bred by, another dog of any breed, whether directly or by artificial insemination.

breeding, etc., prohibited.

(2) A person shall not bring, or cause to be brought, into the State or procure, buy, sell, acquire or have in his possession, in the State, semen of an Alsatian dog; and where a person brings, or causes to be brought, into the State the semen of any other breed, it shall be accompanied by the certificate of a registered veterinary surgeon verifying that is is not that of an Alsatian dog.

33. The clerk of every municipality shall, forthwith after the commencement of these regulations, send forward to the Chief Vermin Control Officer the registered particulars of every Alsatian dog, and of every dog believed to be an Alsatian dog, then, or previously, registered with the municipality pursuant to the Dog Act, 1903.

Particulars of Alsatian dogs registered under Dog notified.

34. Every veterinary surgeon to whom an Alsatian dog is brought for sterilisation shall forthwith notify the Chief Vermin Control Officer of the particulars of ownership of the dog.

Veterinary surgeons to notify particulars of Alsatian dogs required to be sterilised.

35. Where, under these regulations, any application is required Fees. to be accompanied by an amount of money, that amount is the fee payable for the permit in respect of which the application is

36. The several forms set out in the Schedule to these regula- Forms. tions may be used for the purpose therein indicated.

37. (1) Every person who furnishes any false information to Offences. the Protection Board or to any of its officers commits an offence.

- (2) Every person who fails to do anything directed by these regulations to be done, or who does, or attempts to do, anything forbidden by these regulations to be done, commits an offence.
- (3) A person committing an offence against these regulations is liable to such penalties as are provided by the Act; and without mitigating any such penalty, the Protection Board may cancel any permit issued to a person committing any offence against the Act or these regulations.
- (4) The cancellation of a permit has the effect of precluding a person from doing the thing for which the permit was issued.
- (5) A person whose permit is cancelled shall, forthwith after the cancellation, return the permit to the Protection Board.

#### Schedule.

## Western Australia.

#### Alsatian Dog Act, 1962.

Form 1.

Regulation 5.

### PERMIT TO KEEP A STERILISED ALSATIAN DOG.

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#### Note:

- The holder of this permit shall keep the dog to which this permit relates, securely and under control, on a lead or within an enclosure from which the dog cannot escape.
- The Chief Vermin Control Officer must be notified immediately of any change of address whereat the dog is to be kept.
- A dog may not be removed from the above address except when it is held securely and under control—
  - (a) on a suitable lead from which it cannot escape; or
  - (b) in a vehicle or container or vessel from which it cannot escape; or
- Unless a permit is transferred the holder thereof may not leave an Alsatian dog in the possession of another person for more than 14 days other than with—
  - (a) a registered veterinary surgeon, and then only for treatment;
  - (b) a kennel owner registered with the Agriculture Protection Board, and then only with the written permission of the Board;
  - (c) a servant or an employee or a member of the household of the permit holder.
- The dog to which the above permit relates may not be made the object of a gift, sold, or otherwise disposed of to a person other than one who has previously obtained a permit to keep it and unless the Chief Vermin Control Officer is informed by the holder of the above permit before that gift, sale or disposal.

Expiry: The above permit expires on the 30th June next.

Renewal: If the above permit is to be renewed, an application for renewal is to be made within 14 days of the 30th June next.

# Western Australia. Alsatian Dog Act, 1962.

Form 2. Regulation 19.

PERMIT TO BRING A STERILISED ALSATIAN DOG INTO W.A.
Mof
Method of transportation
Time of entry
Point of entry
Address where dog will be kept on and after entry
Name of agent (if any) This permit expires on
Name of dog
Age Sex
Description
Date Chief Vermin Control Officer.
Note:
The holder of this permit is required, forthwith after the arrival of the dog to which the permit relates, in Western Australia, to present the dog for inspection at and within days thereafter to
apply for a permit to keep the dog, under section 6 of the Act and pursuant to regulation 4.
Western Australia.
Alsatian Dog Act, 1962.
Form 3. Regulation 22.
PERMIT TO DEAL IN STERILISED ALSATIAN DOGS.
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The dogs must be held on leads or in enclosures from which they cannot escape.
The Chief Vermin Control Officer must be notified of the intention to obtain any dogs, giving full particulars, including previous owner, method of transport, time and place of entry (if being imported).
The Chief Vermin Control Officer must be further notified immediately the dogs arrive, when they must be made available as directed and at the dealer's expense, for marking if being brought from outside Western Australia.
The names and addresses of the persons to whom dogs are to be handed or disposed of shall be forwarded to the Chief Vermin Control Officer, but a
dog shall not be handed over or disposed of until such person is in possession of a permit to keep that dog.  No sterilised dog may be kept under this permit for longer than one calendar
month from the date received.
Chief Vermin Control Officer.
Date
Note:
This permit is valid for one year from the date of issue.
Any breach of the conditions or any irregularity or failure to supply information may result in the immediate cancellation of this permit.

# Western Australia. Alsatian Dog Act, 1962.

Form 4. Regulation 28.

PERMIT TO LEAVE A STERILISED ALSATIAN DOG
IN THE CARE OF A KENNEL OWNER.

is hereby au and Regulat the care of current licen	thorised in pursuance of section 8 of the Alsatian Dog Act, 1962, ions, to leave the Alsatian dog hereunder named and described in who possesses a see to board dogs from a local authority, from the
Name of	dog
	Sex
	ion
identific	ation marking
Date Fee: 10s Note:	Chief Vermin Control Officer.
The ken	nel owner must see this permit before he may board the dog.
	Western Australia.
	Alsatian Dog Act, 1962.
	Form 5.
	Regulation 4.
	STATUTORY DECLARATION.
I, (1) declare that	
1.	(2) I am an applicant for a permit to keep the dog hereinafter named and described; or
	(2) I am the person from whom the dog hereinafter named and described has been or is to be acquired by(3)
2.	The particulars of the Alsatian dog hereinbefore referred to are as follows:—
	Name of dog
	AgeSex
	Description
3.	The paper writing (6) now produced and shown to me on the making of this my declaration refers to the abovenamed and dsecribed Alsatian dog and to none other.
And I m six of the E	nake this solemn declaration by virtue of section one hundred and vidence Act, 1906.
	l at (4)thisdayday
	C.D., (5) Justice of the Peace (or as the case may be).
(1) Here insert that which to acquire of person be marked	t name, address and description of person making the declaration. (2) Delete is inapplicable. (3) Here insert name of person who has acquired or is the dog. (4) Signature of person making the application. (5) Signature before whom the declaration is made. (6) Certificate of Sterilisation, to as follows:—  IS is the paper writing produced and shown to
on the	making of hdeclaration thisday ofbefore me (5).

This Declaration if made in Western Australia may be made before-

- (a) a Justice of the Peace; or
- (b) a town clerk, secretary to a road board, electoral registrar, postmaster, classified officer in the State or Commonwealth public service, classified State school teacher, or member of the police force; or
- (c) a commissioner for declarations appointed under the Declarations and Attestations Act, 1913; or
- (d) a member of either House of Parliament of the State or of the Commonwealth; or
- (e) a commissioner for declarations appointed under the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1959, of the Commonwealth of Australia.

A person under twenty-one years of age is not qualified to take any statutory declaration or attest any such instrument; and where a statutory declaration is made for the purposes of these regulations in another State or a Territory of the Commonwealth, the declaration shall be in such form, and be made before such person, as is provided by the law of that State or Territory.