

# Owner Statutory Declaration (OSD)

## To support export certification for cats and dogs to Australia

(For use from 1 February 2020 onwards)

This document must be completed and signed by the pet **owner** within **90 days prior** to export of the animal.  
 The signed **original** document must be presented to the certifying veterinarian if the pet owner is not present at certification.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (full name of owner) of,  
 \_\_\_\_\_ (full address of owner)

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

being the **owner** of the Cat or Dog destined for export to Australia on ..... (scheduled date of export),  
 and as identified below, do solemnly and sincerely declare to the best of my knowledge that my:

**Species:**     Cat         Dog                      **Sex:**     Male         Female

**Name of animal:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Colour:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Breed:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Microchip:**

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1. At the scheduled date of export, the animal identified and described above; *(tick only the **one** statement that applies)*
  - a.  will have been continuously resident in New Zealand since birth; **or**
  - b.  will have been continuously resident in New Zealand since direct importation from Australia; **or**
  - c.  will have been continuously resident in New Zealand for at least 90 days since direct importation from a country other than Australia; **or**
  - d.  will have been continuously resident in New Zealand for at least 90 days, however the previous residency history is unknown
2. In the case of a **dog**: for which statement **1.c**) or **1.d**) applies, the dog will have resided in New Zealand for at least 21 days prior to the test for Ehrlichia and Leishmania
3.  In the case of a **dog**: the dog has been resident in mainland Africa (if known)
4. In the case of a **dog**: the dog is not one of the following breeds: Pit Bull Terrier type or American Pit Bull, Japanese Tosa, Fila Brasileiro, Dogo Argentino, Perro de Presa Canario or Presa Canario.
5. The animal identified and described above is not under any quarantine restriction.
6. The animal identified and described above is not derived from a domestic/non-domestic hybrid.
7. If travelling by air, the animal will be transported in accordance with the container requirements specified in the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Live Animal Regulations.
8. I agree to advise the certifying veterinarian if any of the above information changes between the time of the signing of this declaration and the time of export.

I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Oaths and Declarations Act 1957.  
 Signature of owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Declared at: \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_

Before me *(printed name of Justice of the Peace or other person authorised to take a statutory declaration)*: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of witness: \_\_\_\_\_ Affix stamp if available: \_\_\_\_\_