



## **PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH - TASMANIA**

# **PROHIBITED PERSONS DECLARATION**

I \_\_\_\_\_ [Full Name]  
of \_\_\_\_\_ [Address]  
in the State of Tasmania \_\_\_\_\_ [Occupation]  
do solemnly and sincerely declare that: -

**[SET OUT MATTER DECLARED TO IN NUMBERED PARAGRAPHS]**

1. I understand that the Presbyterian Church of Australia in the State of Tasmania does not allow persons with **Relevant Convictions** to participate in child-related activities or to apply for, obtain or occupy child-related positions. **Relevant Convictions** means any criminal conviction which involves:
  - i) A crime against a minor person
  - ii) An act of violence towards another person
  - iii) Sexual assault or a serious sex offence being an offence involving sexual activity or acts of indecency punishable by penal servitude or imprisonment for 12 months or more, even if the sentence was not served
  - iv) Provision of prohibited drugs
2. I understand that child-related employment or activities means any employment or activity where at least one of the essential duties of the position involves direct contact with children where that contact is not directly supervised.
3. I am aware that the Presbyterian Church of Australia in the State of Tasmania does not allow me to apply for, undertake or remain in, child-related employment if I have been convicted of a serious sex offence being an offence involving sexual activity or acts of indecency punishable by penal servitude or imprisonment for 12 months or more, even if the sentence was not served.
4. I have read and understood the information provided to me in relation to child protection. I am aware that it is an offence to make a false statement on this form.
5. I declare that I am not a person with a **Relevant Conviction** and I consent to a Police Check being conducted on me. If I am charged with any crime that may lead to a **Relevant Conviction**, I will promptly notify my authorising agent

And I make this solemn declaration under the Oaths Act 2001 (as amended).

\_\_\_\_\_  
[Signature of person making the declaration]

Declared at \_\_\_\_\_ [place]  
on \_\_\_\_\_ [day] of \_\_\_\_\_ [month] 20\_\_\_\_ [year]

Before me, \_\_\_\_\_  
[Signature of person before whom the declaration is made]

Full name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

justice;       commissioner for declarations;       authorised person<sup>1</sup>

**NOTE 1 – AUTHORISED PERSON**

An authorised person is a person who is in the following list;

- Any justice;
- Any person authorised to administer an oath and appointed by a court or a judge;
- Any other person authorised to administer an oath by written consent of the Attorney-General.