

**Schedule 2 — Authorised witnesses for statutory declarations**

[s. 12(6)(a)]

| <b>Item</b> | <b>Formal description</b>   | <b>Informal description</b>           |
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| 1.          | A member of the academic staff of an institution established under any of the following Acts — <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Curtin University of Technology Act 1966</i>;</li><li>• <i>Edith Cowan University Act 1984</i>;</li><li>• <i>Murdoch University Act 1973</i>;</li><li>• <i>University of Notre Dame Australia Act 1989</i>;</li><li>• <i>University of Western Australia Act 1911</i>;</li><li>• <i>Vocational Education and Training Act 1996</i>.</li></ul> | Academic (post-secondary institution) |
| 2.          | A member of any of the following bodies — <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Association of Taxation and Management Accountants (ACN 002 876 208);</li><li>• CPA Australia (ACN 008 392 452);</li><li>• The Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia (ARBN 084 642 571);</li><li>• Institute of Public Accountants (ACN 004 130 643);</li><li>• National Tax &amp; Accountants' Association Limited (ACN 057 551 854).</li></ul>  | Accountant                            |
| 3.          | A person who is registered under the <i>Architects Act 2004</i> .   | Architect                             |
| 4.          | An Australian Consular Officer within the meaning of the <i>Consular Fees Act 1955</i> of the Commonwealth.   | Australian Consular Officer           |
| 5.          | An Australian Diplomatic Officer within the meaning of the <i>Consular Fees Act 1955</i> of the Commonwealth.   | Australian Diplomatic Officer         |
| 6.          | A bailiff appointed under the <i>Civil Judgments Enforcement Act 2004</i> .   | Bailiff                               |

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| 7.          | A person appointed to be in charge of the head office or any branch office of an authorised deposit-taking institution carrying on business in the State under the <i>Banking Act 1959</i> of the Commonwealth.   | Bank manager  |
| 8.          | A member of Governance Institute of Australia Ltd (ACN 008 615 950).  | Chartered secretary, governance adviser or risk manager |
| 9.          | A person who is registered under the <i>Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (Western Australia)</i> in the pharmacy profession.   | Chemist   |
| 10.         | A person who is registered under the <i>Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (Western Australia)</i> in the chiropractic profession.   | Chiropractor  |
| 11.         | A person registered as an auditor or a liquidator under the <i>Corporations Act 2001</i> of the Commonwealth.   | Company auditor or liquidator                           |
| 12.         | A judge, master, magistrate, registrar or clerk, or the chief executive officer, of any court of the State or the Commonwealth.   | Court officer   |
| 13.         | A member of the Australian Defence Force who is — <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• an officer within the meaning of the <i>Defence Force Discipline Act 1982</i> of the Commonwealth;</li> <li>• a non-commissioned officer within the meaning of that Act with 5 or more years of continuous service; or</li> <li>• a warrant officer within the meaning of that Act.</li> </ul> | Defence force officer                                   |
| 14.         | A person registered under the <i>Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (Western Australia)</i> in the dental profession whose name is entered on the Dentists Division of the Register of Dental Practitioners kept under that Law.   | Dentist   |

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| 15.         | A person who is registered under the <i>Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (Western Australia)</i> in the medical profession.  | Doctor   |
| 15A.        | A person appointed under the <i>Parliamentary and Electorate Staff (Employment) Act 1992</i> section 4(1)(b)(i) or (2)(b)(i)  | Electorate officer of a member of State Parliament |
| 16.         | A member of the Institution of Engineers, Australia, other than at the grade of student.  | Engineer   |
| 17.         | The secretary of an organisation of employees or employers that is registered under one of the following Acts — <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Industrial Relations Act 1979</i>;</li> <li>• <i>Workplace Relations Act 1996</i> of the Commonwealth.</li> </ul> | Industrial organisation secretary                  |
| 18.         | A member of the National Insurance Brokers Association of Australia (ACN 006 093 849).  | Insurance broker                                   |
| 19.         | A Justice of the Peace.   | Justice of the Peace                               |
| 19A.        | A person who is a member of the Authority's staff within the meaning given to that term by the <i>Land Information Authority Act 2006</i> section 3.  | Landgate officer                                   |
| 20.         | An Australian lawyer within the meaning of that term in the <i>Legal Profession Act 2008</i> section 3.   | Lawyer   |
| 21.         | The chief executive officer or deputy chief executive officer of a local government.  | Local government CEO or deputy CEO                 |
| 22.         | A member of the council of a local government within the meaning of the <i>Local Government Act 1995</i> .  | Local government councillor                        |
| 23.         | A member of the Australasian Institute of Chartered Loss Adjusters (ACN 074 804 167).   | Loss adjuster                                      |
| 24.         | An authorised celebrant within the meaning of the <i>Marriage Act 1961</i> of the Commonwealth.   | Marriage celebrant                                 |
| 25.         | A member of either House of Parliament of the State or of the Commonwealth.   | Member of Parliament                               |

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| 26.         | A minister of religion registered under Part IV Division 1 of the <i>Marriage Act 1961</i> of the Commonwealth.  | Minister of religion             |
| 27.         | A person registered under the <i>Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (Western Australia)</i> in the nursing and midwifery profession.  | Nurse                            |
| 28.         | A person registered under the <i>Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (Western Australia)</i> in the optometry profession.  | Optometrist                      |
| 29.         | A registered patent attorney under the <i>Patents Act 1990</i> of the Commonwealth.  | Patent attorney                  |
| 30.         | A person registered under the <i>Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (Western Australia)</i> in the physiotherapy profession.  | Physiotherapist                  |
| 31.         | A person registered under the <i>Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (Western Australia)</i> in the podiatry profession.   | Podiatrist                       |
| 32.         | A police officer.  | Police officer                   |
| 33.         | The person in charge of an office established by, or conducted by an agent of, Australia Post within the meaning of the <i>Australian Postal Corporation Act 1989</i> of the Commonwealth. | Post office manager              |
| 34.         | A person registered under the <i>Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (Western Australia)</i> in the psychology profession.   | Psychologist                     |
| 35.         | A public notary within the meaning of the <i>Public Notaries Act 1979</i> .  | Public notary                    |
| 36.         | An officer of the Commonwealth public service.   | Public servant<br>(Commonwealth) |
| 37.         | A person who is employed under the <i>Public Sector Management Act 1994</i> Part 3.  | Public servant<br>(State)        |
| 38.         | The holder of a licence under the <i>Real Estate and Business Agents Act 1978</i> .  | Real estate agent                |
| 39.         | The holder of a licence under the <i>Settlement Agents Act 1981</i> .  | Settlement agent                 |

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| 40.         | The Sheriff of Western Australia and any deputy sheriff appointed by the Sheriff of Western Australia.          | Sheriff or deputy sheriff   |
| 41.         | A licensed surveyor within the meaning of the <i>Licensed Surveyors Act 1909</i> .                              | Surveyor                    |
| 42.         | A person registered under the <i>Teacher Registration Act 2012</i> .  | Registered teacher          |
| 43.         | A member, registrar or clerk, or the chief executive officer, of any tribunal of the State or the Commonwealth. | Tribunal officer            |
| 44.         | A registered veterinary surgeon within the meaning of the <i>Veterinary Surgeons Act 1960</i> .                 | Veterinary surgeon          |

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