

## STATUTORY DECLARATION

I, \_\_\_\_\_,  
[full name]

of \_\_\_\_\_,  
[address]

\_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly and sincerely declare that:-  
[occupation]

1. I, \_\_\_\_\_  
(together with *in the case of partnership or joint venture, insert names of other business owners*) am\*  
(am a director of \_\_\_\_\_ Pty Ltd which is)\*  
the legal owner of the business as identified by the ABN provided in the Small Business Bushfire Recovery Grants Victoria Application Form which is attached to this declaration “the Business”;
2. The Business has suffered loss of infrastructure, equipment, tools and other assets and/or incurred expenses relating to clean-up and recovery as a result of the Government declared natural disaster;
3. Any funds granted to the Business by the Small Business Bushfire Recovery Grants Victoria will be used solely for the purpose of replacing damaged or destroyed assets and/or meeting clean-up and recovery costs associated with the immediate effects of the natural disaster on the Business;
4. I will ensure that the Business will supply receipts for expenditure of funds granted and such other information relating to the expenditure of those funds as may be reasonably required on request by a representative of the Small Business Bushfire Recovery Grants Victoria;
5. That the information provided by me in the Small Business Bushfire Recovery Grants Victoria Application Form is true, correct, accurate, up to date, complete and contains all relevant information. I acknowledge that the Victorian Chamber of Commerce and Industry and the Small Business Bushfire Recovery Grants Victoria will rely on the information provided when assessing this application.

I understand that:

6. Any decision to grant, or not to grant funds, or regarding the quantum of any grant is to be determined by the State Government of Victoria acting within its own absolute discretion having informed itself and conducted its proceedings in whatever manner it sees fit.
7. No decision of the State Government of Victoria or failure or refusal of the Panel to make a decision may be the subject of any appeal, complaint or review and such decision shall be final in all respects.
8. The State Government of Victoria is not required to provide reasons, in writing or otherwise for its decisions.

I acknowledge that this declaration is true and correct, and I make it with the understanding and belief that a person who makes a false declaration is liable to the penalties of perjury.

Declared at \_\_\_\_\_ in the State of Victoria, this \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_ 2020

.....

Signature of person making this declaration [to be signed in front of an authorised witness]

Before me,

.....

Signature of authorised witness

\*Strike out whichever is inapplicable

The authorised witness must print or stamp his or her name, address, and title under section 107A of the Evidence Act 1958 [Vic.]  
(e.g. Justice of the Peace, Barrister and Solicitor of the Supreme Court, Pharmacist, Police Officer, Court Registrar, Bank Manager, Medical Practitioner, Dentist, Member of Parliament, Local Government Councillor)