

APPENDIX 1: QUESTIONNAIRE AND CONSENT

NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

STATUTORY DECLARATION

JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT JUDGE OF THE LOCAL COURT PRESIDENT NTCAT DEPUTY PRESIDENT NTCAT (SEPARATE FORM TO BE USED FOR EACH OFFICE)	NORTHERN TERRITORY
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Persons seeking appointment are required to complete and sign this Declaration and Consent.

The information is sought to assist in assessing a person's suitability for nomination/appointment.

Please answer the following questions by circling the reply that applies to your personal circumstances.

If you answer "yes" to any question, please provide details in an attachment to this form. Please note that answering "yes" to any question does not necessarily preclude you from being appointed.

Your response will be treated as confidential and will only be used for purposes connected with this proposed appointment.

Please answer all of the questions. If there is insufficient space, please attach details.

1. Have you ever been charged with a criminal offence in any State or Territory of Australia? [If yes, provide full details by separate annexure.]	Yes / No
2. Do you have any disclosable criminal convictions, i.e. convictions as an adult that form part of your criminal history other than those protected by a Spent Convictions Scheme? [If yes, provide full details by separate annexure.]	Yes / No
3. Are you, or have you been, a party either as plaintiff/applicant or defendant/respondent in any civil or criminal court proceeding (including as a director or other office holder of a company that is or was a party to such a proceeding)? [If yes, provide full details by separate annexure.]	Yes / No

<p>4. (a) Have you ever been declared bankrupt, entered into a debt agreement under Part IX of the <i>Bankruptcy Act 1966</i> or entered into a personal insolvency agreement under Part X of the <i>Bankruptcy Act</i>? [If yes, provide full details by separate annexure.]</p> <p>(b) If you are in a partnership, have any of your partners ever been declared bankrupt, entered into a debt agreement under Part IX of the <i>Bankruptcy Act</i> or entered into a personal insolvency agreement under Part X of the <i>Bankruptcy Act</i>? [If yes, provide full details by separate annexure.]</p>	<p>Yes / No</p> <p>Yes / No or N/A</p>
<p>5. Has any business or commercial enterprise for which you, or if applicable your partner(s), have had responsibility ever gone into receivership or a similar scheme or arrangement? [If yes, provide full details by separate annexure.]</p>	<p>Yes / No</p>
<p>6. During the last 10 years have you, or if applicable your partner(s), been the subject of a court order in connection with monies owing to another party? [If yes, provide full details by separate annexure.]</p>	<p>Yes / No</p>
<p>7. Have you ever been summonsed or charged concerning non-payment of tax or outstanding tax debts, investigated for tax evasion or defaults, or negotiated with the Australian Taxation Office over outstanding tax debts? [If yes, provide full details by separate annexure.]</p>	<p>Yes / No</p>
<p>8. Have you ever been the subject of a complaint to a professional body which has been concluded, or is currently under investigation? [If yes, provide full details by separate annexure.]</p>	<p>Yes / No</p>
<p>9. Have you ever been dismissed from employment because of a discipline or misconduct issue? [If yes, provide full details by separate annexure.]</p>	<p>Yes / No</p>
<p>10. Do you or your immediate family have any financial interest in any company or business, or are you or your immediate family employed or engaged by any company or business, which might have dealings with, or an interest in the decisions of, the office to which you may be appointed? [If yes, include advice in an attachment on how this conflict of interest would be managed.]</p>	<p>Yes / No</p>
<p>11. Are you aware of any physical or mental medical condition or illness which could impair your ability to discharge the duties of office? [If yes, provide full details by separate annexure.]</p>	<p>Yes / No</p>

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Name and contact details

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Signature

NOTE: This declaration may be witnessed by any person who is at least 18 (eighteen) years of age.

NOTE: This written statutory declaration must comply with Part 4 of the *Oaths, Affidavits and Declarations Act* (NT).

NOTE: Making a declaration knowing it is false in a material particular is an offence for which you may be fined or imprisoned.

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CONSENT

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consent to:

1. a National Criminal History Check being conducted in relation to me;
2. the Law Society of the Northern Territory providing the records of any investigation into my professional conduct; and
3. the Law Society or Bar Association of any State or Territory in which I have practised as a solicitor or barrister or both providing such records.

I will provide a copy of a current Practising Certificate, and an Admission Certificate or a document evidencing my academic qualifications, if required.

Date:

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Signature