

# OSPREY Legal

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## LIST OF PERSONS AUTHORISED TO WITNESS EPGS OR EPAS

Please note **ONE** of your witnesses must be from this list.

Schedule 2 of the *Oaths, Affidavits and Statutory Declarations Act 2005* (WA) lists the people who are authorised to witness declarations in Western Australia. These are:

Academics (post-secondary institution)	Accountants
Architects	Australian Consular Officers
Australian Diplomatic Officers	Bailiffs
Bank managers	Chartered secretaries
Chemists	Chiropractors
Company auditors or liquidators	Court officers
Defence force officers	Dentists
Doctors	Engineers
Industrial organisation secretaries	Insurance brokers
Justices of the Peace	Lawyers
Local Government CEOs or deputy CEOs	Local government councillors
Loss adjusters	Marriage celebrants
Members of Parliament	Ministers of religion
Nurses	Optometrists
Patent attorneys	Physiotherapists
Podiatrists	Police officers
Post office managers	Psychologists
Public notaries	State & Commonwealth public servants
Real estate agents	Settlement agents
Sheriffs or Deputy Sheriffs	Surveyors
Teachers	Tribunal officers
Veterinary surgeons	

As well as anyone authorised under the *Commonwealth Statutory Declarations Act 1959* to take a statutory declaration.

### **Note:**

No person under the age of 18 years is qualified to witness any Statutory Declarations or instruments.

If you need more information about a person's eligibility to be a witness, see the Office of the Public Advocate's website [www.publicadvocate.wa.gov.au](http://www.publicadvocate.wa.gov.au) or call the Telephone Advisory Service 1300 858 455.

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