

# Self-managed super fund trustee declaration

## I understand that as an individual trustee or director of the corporate trustee of

Fund name

## Wood-Duck Superannuation Fund

I am responsible for ensuring that the fund complies with the Superannuation Industry (Supervision) Act 1993 (SISA) and other relevant legislation. The Commissioner of Taxation (the Commissioner) has the authority and responsibility for administering the legislation and enforcing the fund's compliance with the law.

I must keep myself informed of changes to the legislation relevant to the operation of my fund and ensure the trust deed is kept up to date in accordance with the law and the needs of the members.

If I do not comply with the legislation, the Commissioner may take the following actions:

- mimpose administrative penalties on me
- menter into agreements with me to rectify any contraventions of the legislation
- disqualify me from being a trustee or director of a corporate trustee of any superannuation fund in the future
- me remove the fund's complying status, which may result in significant adverse tax consequences for the fund
- prosecute me under the law, which may result in fines or imprisonment.

#### **SOLE PURPOSE**

I understand it is my responsibility to ensure the fund is only maintained for the purpose of providing benefits to the members upon their retirement (or attainment of a certain age) or their beneficiaries if a member dies. I understand that I should regularly evaluate whether the fund continues to be the appropriate vehicle to meet this purpose.

#### TRUSTEE DUTIES

I understand that by law I must at all times:

- act honestly in all matters concerning the fund
- exercise skill, care and diligence in managing the fund
- act in the best interests of all the members of the fund
- ensure that members only access their super benefits if they have met a legitimate condition of release
- refrain from entering into transactions that circumvent restrictions on the payment of benefits
- ensure that my money and other assets are kept separate from the money and other assets of the fund
- stake appropriate action to protect the fund's assets (for example, have sufficient evidence of the ownership of fund assets)
- refrain from entering into any contract or do anything that would prevent me from, or hinder me in, properly performing or exercising my functions or powers as a trustee or director of the corporate trustee of the fund
- allow all members of the fund to have access to information and documents as required, including details about
  - the financial situation of the fund
  - the investments of the fund
  - the members' benefit entitlements.

I also understand that by law I must prepare, implement and regularly review an investment strategy having regard to all the circumstances of the fund, which include, but are not limited to:

- the risks associated with the fund's investments
- mathe likely return from investments, taking into account the fund's objectives and expected cash flow requirements
- investment diversity and the fund's exposure to risk due to inadequate diversification
- the liquidity of the fund's investments having regard to the fund's expected cash flow requirements in discharging its existing and prospective liabilities (including benefit payments)
- mether the trustees of the fund should hold insurance cover for one or more members of the fund.

#### Investment restrictions

I understand that, as a trustee or director of the corporate trustee of the fund, subject to certain limited exceptions specified in the law, I am prohibited from:

- se lending money of the fund to, or providing financial assistance to, a member of the fund or a member's relative (financial assistance means any assistance that improves the financial position of a person directly or indirectly, including the provision of credit)
- acquiring assets (other than business real property, listed securities, certain in-house assets and acquisitions made under mergers allowed by special determinations or acquisitions as a result of a breakdown of a relationship) for the fund from members or other related parties of the fund
- borrowing money (or maintaining an existing borrowing) on behalf of the fund except in certain limited circumstances (while limited recourse borrowing arrangements are permitted, they can be complex and particular conditions must be met to ensure that legal requirements are not breached)

- having more than 5% of the market value of the fund's total assets at the end of the income year as in-house assets (these are loans to, or investments in, related parties of the fund including trusts or assets subject to a lease or lease arrangement between the trustee and a member, relative or other related party)
- entering into investments on behalf of the fund that are not made or maintained on an arm's length (commercial) basis (this ensures the purchase or sale price of the fund's assets and any earnings from those assets reflects their market value).

#### Accepting contributions and paying benefits

I understand that I can only accept contributions and pay benefits (income streams or lump sums) to members or their beneficiaries when the conditions specified in the law and the fund trust deed have been met.

#### Administration

I understand that the trustees of the fund must:

- keep and retain for at least 10 years
  - minutes of all trustee meetings at which matters affecting the fund were considered (this includes investment decisions and decisions to appoint members and trustees)
  - records of all changes of trustees, including directors of the corporate trustee
  - each trustee's consent to be appointed as a trustee of the fund or a director of the corporate trustee
  - all trustee declarations
  - copies of all reports given to members
- ensure that the following are prepared and retained for at least five years
  - an annual statement of the financial position of the fund
  - an annual operating statement
  - copies of all annual returns lodged
  - accounts and statements that accurately record and explain the transactions and financial position of the fund
- ensure that an approved auditor is appointed within the prescribed period (currently this is no later than 31 days before the due date for lodgment of the fund's annual return but this may change to 45 days) to audit the fund for each income year, and provide that auditor with documents as requested
- solution longer land's annual return, completed in its entirety, by the due date
- notify the ATO within 28 days of any changes to the
  - membership of the fund, or trustees or directors of the corporate trustee
  - name of the fund
  - contact person and their contact details
  - postal address, registered address or address for service of notices for the fund
- in notify the ATO in writing within 28 days of the fund being wound up or after becoming aware that the fund has ceased to be an SMSF.

#### **DECLARATION**

By signing this declaration I acknowledge that I understand my duties and responsibilities as a trustee or director of the corporate trustee of the self-managed superannuation fund named on this declaration (or if the fund's name changes, that name). I understand that:

- I must ensure this document is retained for at least 10 years or while I remain a trustee or director of the corporate trustee (whichever is longer) and, if I fail to do this, penalties may apply.
- I may have to make this document available for inspection by a member of staff of the ATO and, if I fail to do this, penalties may apply.
- I do not have access to the government's financial assistance program that is available to trustees of Australian Prudential
  Regulation Authority (APRA) regulated funds in the case of financial loss due to fraudulent conduct or theft.

Trustee's or director's name	
<del>Jennifier</del> Mary Vaughton	-
Trustee's or director's signature	
	Date   Day   Month   Year   Year
Witness' name (witness must be 18 years old or over)	
Witness' signature	
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### **DECLARATION BY DIRECTOR OF TRUSTEE COMPANY**

## <u>UNDER SECTION 118 OF THE</u> SUPERANNUATION INDUSTRY (SUPERVISION) ACT 1993

I, Jennifer Mary Vaughton

of Z SEAVIEW STREET, FULLARTON S.A. 5063

**HEREBY DECLARE** that I am not a disqualified person as defined by SIS and am therefore not disqualified from acting as a director of a trustee company of a superannuation fund under SIS

**HEREBY DECLARE** that I am aware of my responsibilities under the trust deed having read and fully understood it's contents, and also my responsibilities under SIS.

AND HEREBY CONSENT to act as a Trustee of the Wood-Duck Superanuation Fund (in my capacity as a director of Speed Twin Pty Ltd)

constituted on 27 March 2000

**AND I AGREE** to execute the Trust Deed and to administer the Fund in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the Trust Deed and other legislative requirements.

I UNDERTAKE to notify any other directors of the trustee of the Fund in writing if I am for any reason disqualified from continuing to act as a trustee.

dated: STH NOVEMBER 2019

\* Note re Disqualified Person (SIS Section 120):

signed:

The following are defined by SIS as being disqualified persons:

- 1. persons who have at any time been convicted of an offence in respect of dishonest conduct;
- 2. a civil penalty order was made against the person; or
- 3. a person is an insolvent under administration.

A body corporate trustee is a disqualified person where:

- 1. a receiver and manager has been appointed in respect of property beneficially owned by the body;
- 2. an official manager or deputy official manager has been appointed in respect of the body;
- 3. a provisional liquidator has been appointed in respect of the body; or
- 4. the body has begun to be wound up.

N.B. A director of a Corporate trustee must not be a disqualified person as described above.

## **Wood-Duck Superannuation Fund**

### Application for Membership

To the Trustee of the Fund.

FULL NAME	Jennifer Mary Vau	ghton	TAX FILE No.	561983667
ADDRESS	2 SEAVIEW	STREET,	FULLARTON	5063
OCCUPATION	RETIRED		DATE OF BIRTH	12/07/57

I apply for admission as a Member of the Fund and, in consideration of my admission as a Member:

- I consent to being a trustee or director of a corporate trustee unless I am specifically excepted
  from this requirement under the Standards (eg, due to a legal disability such as under 18 years
  or being of unsound mind). I accept the responsibilities and liabilities of being a trustee or a
  director of a corporate trustee to a superannuation fund.
- I agree to be bound by the provisions of the trust deed governing the Fund. I acknowledge that
  the expressions and meanings in this Application are identical to those used in the trust deed.
- I undertake to provide any relevant information or documentary evidence and agree to submit to health and medical tests as requested from time to time by the Trustee related to my membership of the Fund.
- I nominate the following Preferred Dependants (eg, spouse, children and/or a person who is financially dependent on me or in an interdependency relationship with me) should be paid any benefit that I have in the Fund on my death. I understand that the nomination of a Preferred Dependant below does not bind the Trustee and is overridden by any Binding Nomination in respect of my death benefit:

NAME	RELATIONSHIP	% OF BENEFIT
JEFFREY WOOD	DEFACTO	100%

- I acknowledge that the Trustee can collect my tax file number ('TFN') under the Standards.
- 6. I understand that the Trustee will only use the TFN for legal purposes. This includes finding or identifying my superannuation benefits where other information is insufficient, and calculating tax on any eligible termination payment I may be entitled to.
- 7. I understand that it is not an offence to omit my TFN from this application. But if I do omit to provide it now or later, I may pay more tax on my benefits than I would otherwise have to pay (but which may be later credited to a later assessment of tax) and I may lose benefits which are more difficult to find or to amalgamate with other benefits I am entitled to.
- 8. I acknowledge that the Trustee may provide any TFN disclosed to the Trustee to the trustee of any other superannuation fund to which my benefits are transferred in the future or to the Australian Taxation Office. However, I understand that my TFN will not be passed on in the event I direct the Trustee in writing not to disclose my TFN and, in any event, my TFN will be treated as confidential in accordance with the *Privacy Act* 1988 (Cth).
- 9. I authorise the Trustee to retain and store information on my behalf despite any contrary provision in any privacy legislation.
- I declare that the information I provide to the Trustee will be true and correct. I acknowledge
  that it is my responsibility to inform the trustee of any error or changes regarding these matters.

SIGNATURE:

DATE: 8/11 /2019