

State of Victoria
Statutory Declaration

I, _____
[full name] of

[address]

do solemnly and sincerely declare that:

1. I have not taken part in any act of animal cruelty in relation to greyhound training in the past 5 years, including the practice known as live-baiting or blooding.
2. In the past 5 years I have not instructed someone else (or given any express or implied approval to someone else) to take part in any act of animal cruelty in relation to greyhound training, including the practice known as live-baiting or blooding.
3. To the best of my knowledge, no greyhound while under my care or ownership has been involved in any act of animal cruelty in relation to greyhound training in the past 5 years, including the practice known as live-baiting or blooding.
4. In signing this declaration I acknowledge that my understanding of live baiting or blooding is that it is the practice of using a live animal in the training of greyhound racing whereby that live animal has been subject to cruel activity. For example, a live animal is attached to the lure and a greyhound is encouraged to chase that lure (with or without a muzzle) or a live animal is attached to a lead or rope and greyhounds are encouraged to attack and kill that live animal.
5. I acknowledge my commitment to promote animal welfare as a priority and in particular the re-homing of greyhounds.

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 _____ 2015

Signature of person making this declaration
(to be signed in front of an Authorised Witness)

Before me:

Signature of Authorised Witness

Full name and qualification of Authorised Witness

The authorised witness must print or stamp his or her name, address and title under section 107A of the Evidence (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1958 (as of 1 January 2010), (previously Evidence Act 1958), (eg. Justice of the Peace, Pharmacist, Police Officer, Court Registrar, Bank Manager, Medical Practitioner, Dentist)