

Powers of Attorney Act  
REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S DIRECTIONS



NORTHERN TERRITORY OF AUSTRALIA

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<b>IMPORTANT NOTICE</b>
Please Note Privacy Statement Overleaf

**POWER OF ATTORNEY BY DIRECTION**

The donor appoints the donee as his or her attorney and authorises him or her to execute all or any instruments that may be necessary for giving effect to any dealing with any property of the donor, including any land, estate or interest of which the donor is or may become the registered proprietor, with such specific additional powers as are set out or referred to on the back of this document. (NOTES 1 - 2)

DONOR OF POWER

Name:	
Address:	

(NOTE 3)

NAME OF PERSON  
DIRECTED TO SIGN FOR  
DONOR

Name:	
Address:	

DONEE OF POWER  
(ATTORNEY)

Name:	
Address:	

(NOTE 4)

SPECIMEN SIGNATURE OF  
DONEE

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(NOTE 5)

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SIGNED for and on behalf of Donor by direction
on (Date) .....
In the presence of:
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Signature of qualified witness (1)
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Signature of qualified witness (2)
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(NOTES  
6 & 7)

**SPECIFIC POWERS**

1. To comply with provisions contained in a Memorandum of Common Provisions recorded in the Register as No:.....
2. Additional Powers.

**SCHEDULE OF NOTES**

1. This form may be lodged in duplicate. The original and duplicate must be printed, typed or completed in ink and contain the signatures of all parties and their witnesses (if any) in ink. Alterations to information entered on the form should be crossed out (not erased or obliterated by painting over) and initialled by the parties. This form has been developed taking into account the provisions under the *Powers of Attorney Act*. Please note this is a General Power of Attorney.
2. If there is insufficient space in any panel use the space above or an annexure sheet (Form 95).
3. Insert the donor of the power's full name and an address and also the name and address of the person directed to act on behalf of the donor.
4. Insert the donee by direction of the power's full name and an address (which may be a postal address) for the service of notices. If more than one donee state whether they will be signing jointly or severally.
5. The power of attorney shall contain a specimen signature of the donee, except if the donee is specified by reference to a named position. Where the power of attorney purports to have been signed by a body corporate, it shall be authenticated by or on behalf of the corporation in manner permitted by law.
6. A power of attorney by direction requires 2 independent witness's signatures. Section 6(4) of the *Powers of Attorney Act*. Section 6(4)(b) of the *Powers of Attorney Act* requires that the Donor is present at the time of execution.
7. Persons who may witness this document are a Commissioner for Oaths, a member of the Legislative Assembly, a legal practitioner within the meaning of the *Legal Profession Act*, a person holding office under the *Supreme Court Act*, the *Justices Act*, the *Local Court Act* or the *Registration Act*, a member of the Police Force, a person licensed as a conveyancing agent or real estate agent under the *Agents Licensing Act*, a Notary Public and any other person approved by the Registrar-General.

A witness to an instrument executed by an individual must first:

- take reasonable steps to ensure that the individual is the person entitled to sign the instrument;
- have the individual execute the document in the presence of the witness;
- not be a party to the instrument; and
- if witnessing more than one signature, clearly state that he/she has witnessed more than one signature. (ie I have witnessed the two signatures appearing above).

After signing, witnesses must legibly write, type or stamp their names and contact address or telephone number below their signature.

For a corporation, an instrument must be executed in a way permitted by law or sealed with the corporation's seal in accordance with the *Law of Property Act*, Section 48.

8. The form of acceptance must be completed for an enduring power of attorney.
9. A power of attorney may incorporate any common provision contained in a Memorandum of Common Provisions retained by the Registrar, by reference to the provision in a way sufficient to clearly identify it - eg. by reference to the number of the memorandum. If not all the provisions of that memorandum are to apply, the numbers of the provisions that are to apply should be specified.

The Memorandum of Common Provisions are a guide only and may be added to or deleted.

**PRIVACY STATEMENT – LAND REGISTER FORMS**

The Registrar-General's Office is authorised by the *Powers of Attorney Act* to collect the information on this form for the establishment and maintenance of the Register of Powers of Attorney, which is made available for search by any person, anywhere, including through the Internet, upon payment of a fee. The information is provided to other NT Government agencies, the Australian Valuation Office, local governments, the Australian Bureau of Statistics, the Australian Taxation Office or other Commonwealth Agencies as required or authorised by law, and some private sector organisations for conveyancing, local government, valuation, statistical, administrative and other purposes.

Failure to provide the information in full or in part may prevent your application or transaction being completed.

Your personal information provided on this form can be subsequently accessed by you on request. If you have any queries please contact the Deputy Registrar-General on 8999 5318.