

PART 3

STATUTORY DECLARATION OF RELATIONSHIP TO AN EX SERVICE PERSON

This Statutory Declaration needs only to be completed by the person who believes that they have the highest legal claim in accordance with the order of entitlement as follows:

- (a) Beneficiary under Will
- (b) Spouse / Civil Union Partner / De Facto Partner
- (c) Son or Daughter
- (d) Stepson or Stepdaughter
- (e) Grandson or Granddaughter
- (f) Father or Mother
- (g) Brother or Sister
- (h) Half-brother or Half-sister
- (i) Nephew or Niece
- (j) Other person named as Next of Kin in official records

When completed this Statutory Declaration **must be witnessed** by a Justice of the Peace or Solicitor or Officer duly authorised to take Statutory Declarations in accordance with section 9 of the Oaths and Declarations Act 1957.

Justices of the Peace in your area are listed in the Yellow Pages under 'Justices of the Peace'.

Title	<input type="text"/>	First Name(s)	<input type="text"/>
Surname	<input type="text"/>		
Address Line 1	<input type="text"/>		
Address Line 2	<input type="text"/>		
Address Line 3	<input type="text"/>		

I declare that I wish to apply for issue of the New Zealand Defence Service Medal in respect of the following ex-Service person:

First Names	<input type="text"/>				
Surname	<input type="text"/>				
Known as while serving [if different from above]	<input type="text"/>				
Service Number [if known]	<input type="text"/>				
Date of Birth	<input type="text" value="dd"/>	<input type="text" value="/"/>	<input type="text" value="m m"/>	<input type="text" value="/"/>	<input type="text" value="yyyy"/>
Date of Death [if applicable]	<input type="text" value="dd"/>	<input type="text" value="/"/>	<input type="text" value="m m"/>	<input type="text" value="/"/>	<input type="text" value="yyyy"/>

I declare that I am (select one or more as appropriate)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Beneficiary under Will | <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse/ Civil Union Partner / De Facto Partner |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Son or Daughter | <input type="checkbox"/> Stepson or Stepdaughter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Grandson or Granddaughter | <input type="checkbox"/> Father or Mother |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brother or Sister | <input type="checkbox"/> Half-brother or Half-sister |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nephew or Niece | <input type="checkbox"/> Other person named as Next of Kin in official records |

to the above, and believe that I am the person entitled to receive any of their unclaimed New Zealand medals for military service. I further undertake that, should an applicant having a preferential claim come forward in the future, I will surrender the medal(s) in his or her favour, and hereby indemnify the New Zealand Defence Force against any claim arising from the incorrect award of the medal.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Oaths and Declarations Act 1957.

Signed

Declared at

this day of

Before me

Name

Signed

Justice of the Peace Solicitor

Officer duly authorised to take Statutory Declarations

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That the military service of the above-named has been officially verified.

Ref #

for Chief of Defence Force