

**DECLARATION FOR THE MOVEMENT OF UNACCOMPANIED PERSONAL
EFFECTS INTO TASMANIA TRANSPORTED BY REMOVALIST**

Tasmania's Biosecurity laws are in place to help protect our primary industries, economy, and unique environment from the harmful impacts of unwanted pests, weeds, and diseases. All importers have a duty of care in respect to Biosecurity known as a General Biosecurity Duty under the *Biosecurity Act 2019*.

Under the *Biosecurity Act 2019*, the *Nature Conservation Act 2002* and the *Inland Fisheries Act 1995*, certain goods imported into Tasmania from mainland states are subject to import conditions under these Acts.

*To facilitate the clearance of goods, this declaration must be completed and emailed to **Biosecurity Tasmania** at least 24 hours prior to the arrival of personal effects.*

Please Note: Containerised personal effects arrive into Devonport or Burnie ports only

To be completed by Removalist: -

Departure Date _____ Expected Arrival Date _____

Container/Truck No. _____ Arrival Port _____

Consigned to (Address in Tasmania) _____

Name of Removalist _____ State of Origin _____

Removalist Phone No. (____) _____ Removalist email address _____

To be completed by the importer/owner of the goods: -

DECLARATION OF CONTENTS					
Answer all questions by placing a tick ✓ in the appropriate box.					
Does this consignment contain any of the following:					
	Yes	No		Yes	No
Fresh fruit & vegetables			Hay/straw/fodder		
Cut flowers – including dried flowers			Animals, birds, reptiles, fish, or insects		
Seeds – including grain, birdseed			Bees wax, honeycomb or used apiary equipment		
Plants – including household plants & bulbs			Untanned skins/hides or wildlife products		
Garden tools/equipment i.e. – lawn mowers etc. *			Salmon or other seafood products		
* If yes have the garden tools/equipment been cleaned?			Fishing equipment/waders, boats, watercraft, and diving equipment		
Soil, bark, timber, or firewood			Used motor vehicles		

I declare that the information I have given is true, correct, and complete and that I have understood the questions contained in this form. I understand that failure to answer truthfully may be in breach of the *Biosecurity Act 2019*, the *Nature Conservation Act 2002* and/or the *Inland Fisheries Act 1995*, which may result in a Biosecurity Infringement Notice (fine) being issued.

Signature of importer/owner of goods _____ Date _____

Printed Name of importer/owner of goods _____ Mobile _____

Removalists to email completed form to **Biosecurity Tasmania** @noi.biosecurity@nre.tas.gov.au

For general enquiries phone **Biosecurity Tasmania** on (03) **6165 3777**