

**Owner Declaration - Vaccination of pigeons**  
**Animal Diseases (Emergency Outbreaks) Act 1991**

*This declaration must be completed as a condition of the attendance of pigeons at any gatherings or competitions in New South Wales as specified in the Control Order – Pigeons (No 2) made under Section 22 of the Animal Diseases (Emergency Outbreaks) Act 1991 signed on 4th day of July 2012.*

<b>Person making declaration</b>			
Full name: (owner of pigeons)			
Address of owner: (residential or business)			
		Postcode:	
Email:		Phone number:	
Address where vaccinated pigeons are kept: (If same as address of owner write "as above")			

**Declaration by owner**

**I declare that:**

- The information contained in this declaration is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if any information in this declaration is found to be false or misleading, any movement of pigeons relating to this declaration may contravene the Control Order – Pigeons (No 2) made under section 22 of the Animal Diseases (Emergency Outbreaks) Act 1991 and signed on the 4th day of July 2012.
- All the pigeons owned by me that are more than 12 weeks old and are kept at the address specified above have been vaccinated against Avian Paramyxovirus by receiving two vaccinations at least four weeks apart using a Newcastle disease vaccine with at least one of the vaccines being inactivated.
- To the best of my knowledge all pigeons more than 12 weeks old that are not owned by me but are also kept at the address specified above have been vaccinated against Avian Paramyxovirus as specified in paragraph 2 above.
- I acknowledge that there is a possibility that pigeons might become infected with Avian Paramyxovirus as a result of attendance at gatherings or competitions, in which case premises may be quarantined in accordance with the Animal Diseases (Emergency Outbreaks) Act 1991.
- I agree and acknowledge that the Minister for Primary Industries, the Department of Primary Industries and its employees and officers and the State of NSW are not in any way liable for any cost, expense, loss, damage, claim, action, proceeding or other liability incurred by or made against me as a result of attendance of pigeons at a gathering or competition pursuant to this declaration.

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Signature

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Print Name

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Date

**Note: The movement of an animal in contravention of a Control Order carries a penalty of up to \$22,000 or 6 months imprisonment or both.**

If the event is organised by a pigeon club please provide a copy of this declaration to an official of that club before the event.

If the event is not organised by a pigeon club please fax or email the completed declaration and details of the date and nature of the event to the Department of Primary Industries before the event on 02 4640 6300 or [george.arzey@dpi.nsw.gov.au](mailto:george.arzey@dpi.nsw.gov.au).