

Request for Order to Shorten Time for Lodging Documents

This form is for use in the AAT's General Division, Freedom of Information Division, National Disability Insurance Scheme Division, Security Division, Small Business Taxation Division, Taxation & Commercial Division and Veterans' Appeals Division.

Section 37(1A) of the Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975 provides that a party may request that the AAT make an order shortening the time for lodging the documents required under section 37(1) or 37(1AAB) if it appears to the AAT that the person would or might suffer hardship.

The person described in section 1 requests an order directing the decision-maker to lodge the required documents within a period of less than 28 days after receiving notice of the application described in section 2.

SECTION 1 APPLICANT MAKING THE REQUEST								
Name	Mr □ Mrs □ Ms □ Miss □ Other:							
	Family name:							
	Given name(s):							
Organisation Name If applicable								
Address								
						State:	Postcode:	
Telephone	Landlin	Landline: ()				Mobile:		
Fax	()							
Email								
Representative If you have a	Name:							
representative, please fill in these details.	Organisation:							
	Postal address:							
						State:	Postcode:	
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SECTION 2 PROC	EEDING		
AAT File Number If known			
Names of the parties to the application			
Briefly describe the decision	ONS FOR THE REQUEST		
	UNS FUR THE REQUEST		
Outline the hardship you would or might suffer if the time to lodge the documents is not shortened			
SIGNATURE			
Signature		Date	dd / mm / yyyy

INFORMATION ABOUT THIS FORM

WHAT DO WE DO WITH INFORMATION GIVEN TO US?

We collect information from you to process and consider your request under the *Administrative Appeals Tribunal Act 1975*.

We give a copy of the form to the department or organisation that made the decision you want reviewed. We may also give a copy to any other person that is a party to the review. If you give us other information that another party does not have, we will usually give them a copy.

Limited information about cases in the AAT's General Division, Freedom of Information Division, National Disability Insurance Scheme Division, Small Business Taxation Division, Taxation & Commercial Division or Veterans' Appeals Division is usually made available to the public on request and can be accessed using *eCase Search* on our website. This information includes the names of the parties and any representatives, the type of application, dates of conferences, hearings or other case events, the types of key documents lodged by the parties and the outcome of an application.

More information is usually made publicly available if we hold a hearing and make a decision. If we prepare a written statement of the reasons for our decision in your case, it will usually be made public and published on the internet, including on the AustLII website (www.austlii.edu.au). For more information about the decisions we publish, see our Publication of Decisions Policy on our website.

We can order that information be kept confidential if we believe there is good reason to do so. You can apply for an order by writing to us stating what information you want kept confidential and why. In some cases, legislation requires that information be kept confidential.

For more information see our fact sheet, *Privacy and confidentiality at the AAT*, and our Privacy Policy. Our Privacy Policy includes information about how you can access and seek correction of your personal information, make a complaint about the way we have handled your personal information and how we will deal with such a complaint. *Privacy and confidentiality at the AAT* and our Privacy Policy are on our website or are available from your local AAT registry.

MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE AAT

For more information about the AAT and how we conduct reviews, go to our website or call us. Our staff can give you information about procedures but cannot give you legal advice.

HOW DO I SUBMIT THIS FORM?

You can send us your form by email, post or fax, or deliver it to a registry.

Email: generalreviews@aat.gov.au

Post: AAT, GPO Box 9955, Your capital city (Northern Territory residents should write to Adelaide)

or

AAT, c/- Supreme Court of Norfolk Island Registry, Kingston, Norfolk Island 2899

In person or by fax:

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FAX (08) 8128 8099	FAX (07) 3052 3001	FAX (02) 6243 4600	FAX (02) 9276 5597				
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