

**Australian Border Force (Oath and Affirmation) Rule 2015**

I, Peter Dutton, Minister for Immigration and Border Protection, make the following rule.

Dated 3 June 2015

Peter Dutton

Minister for Immigration and Border Protection

1 Name

This is the *Australian Border Force (Oath and Affirmation) Rule 2015*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on 1 July 2015.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under the *Australian Border Force Act 2015*.

4 Definitions

In this instrument:

*Act* means the *Australian Border Force Act 2015*.

***officer of the Australian Border Force*** means an Immigration and Border Protection worker in the Australian Border Force.

5 Oath and affirmation

For subsections 13(1) and 24(1) of the Act, the oath in in the form set out in Form 1 of Schedule 1 and the affirmation in the form set out in Form 2 of Schedule 1 are prescribed.

Schedule 1—Form of oath and affirmation

Form 1—Oath for Australian Border Force Commissioner or officer of the Australian Border Force

(section 5)

I, [\**insert name*], swear on the [*\*insert religious book*] to conduct myself with integrity and honesty in the exercise of my powers and performance of my duties as [\**the Commissioner*/*\*an officer*] of the Australian Border Force.

I will uphold the significant trust that is placed in me as a result of my role. I will, to the best of my ability, skill and knowledge, faithfully and professionally discharge all my duties according to law, and in such a manner that at all times upholds the good reputation of the Australian Border Force.

So help me[*\*God/\*a god recognised by his or her religion*].

\* Delete if not applicable

Form 2—Affirmation for Australian Border Force Commissioner or officer of the Australian Border Force

(section 5)

I, [\*insert name], solemnly and sincerely affirm and declare that I will conduct myself with integrity and honesty in the exercise of my powers and performance of my duties as [\*the Commissioner/\*an officer] of the Australian Border Force.

I will uphold the significant trust that is placed in me as a result of my role. I will, to the best of my ability, skill and knowledge, faithfully and professionally discharge all my duties according to law, and in such a manner that at all times upholds the good reputation of the Australian Border Force.

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