REQUEST FOR TRANSCRIPT - COST SHARING

Lodgment of this form – please return by post or present this form at your local court registry				
By Post	Recording and Transcription Services Department of Justice and Attorney-General PO BOX 15167 City East QLD 4002			
In Person	For a full list of Queensland Court Registries visit: https://www.courts.qld.gov.au/contacts/courthouses			
Contact us by phone	Contact us by phone 1800 842 122 available Monday to Friday 8.30am to 4.00pm, excluding Queensland public holidays			
Please be advised that there will be significant delays when using this form. This is due to the additional time required to receive, process, and dispatch your order. For the quickest response, please lodge online via QTranscripts at https://qtranscripts.justice.qld.gov.au . This form should only be used if QTranscripts access is not possible.				

If a Financial Hardship Fee Waiver Application is being sought, or you are the Victim of a Personal Offence, do not fill in this form. Instead, complete the relevant form as indicated below:					
Request for Transcript – Financial Hardship Fee Waiver Application Form	This form is available for those experiencing financial hardship and may be eligible for a full or partial waiver of transcript fees based upon your current financial situation.				
Request for Transcript – Victim of a Personal Offence Application Form	This form is available if you are the victim of a personal offence, or your legal guardian or representative, to obtain a free transcript of the court proceedings.				

Sharing Transcript Costs

- Each applicant must be a party to the proceeding and be eligible to receive the transcript.
- Parties should agree in advance to share transcript costs.
- Cost sharing request will not be processed when the transcript already exists. In these instances, each party will be required to pay the regulated fee as per the *Recording of Evidence Regulation 2023*.
- Financial hardship Fee Waiver. An applicant approved for a waiver of transcript fees due to a Financial Hardship cannot enter in cost sharing for the same transcript.
- For more information, please visit <u>Transcript Cost-Sharing Policy (PDF, 198.8 KB)</u> available on the Queensland Courts webpage.

Details of the person making the reque	est		
Full Name			
Organisation name (if applicable)			
Phone / Mobile (Incl. area code)			
Postal address			
Involvement (Party, Legal Representative etc)			
Details of the proceedings			
Matter Title (R v Party 1, Party 1 v Party 2 etc)			
Matter Number			
Court (Supreme Court, District Court, Magistrates Court etc)			
Judicial Officer / Presiding Member			
Jurisdiction	☐ Civil	☐ Criminal	☐ Other



Court Location (City/Cou	rthouse)						
Event Date/s Required (please specify ALL required	l dates)						
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Transcript types availal	ole per jurisd	iction are lis	sted below				
Court of Appeal							
☐ Audio of Proceeding	☐ Extract*		☐ Hearing	☐ Juc	lgment**		
Supreme Court							
☐ Audio of Proceeding	☐ Closing A	Addresses	☐ Ellipses	□ Ext	ract*		ll Transcript (Criminal ranscript only)
☐ Hearing	☐ Judgmen	t**	☐ Opening Addresses	□ Ord	ler**	□ Pr	e-Recorded Evidence
☐ Pre-Trial Hearing	☐ Ruling**		☐ Sentence**	☐ S13 Senter	3A/B or S21E nce**	□ Se	entence Submissions
☐ S13A/B Sentence Submissions	☐ Summing Up/Redirecti		□ Trial	□ Ver	rdict		
District Court (including	g Planning a	nd Environm	ent Court and Childrens	Court	of Queensland)		
☐ Audio of Proceeding	☐ Closing A		☐ Ellipses	☐ Ext	-	☐ Fu	II Transcript
☐ Hearing	□ Judgmen	t**	☐ Opening Addresses	□ Ord	ler**	☐ Pre-Recorded Evidence	
☐ Pre-Trial Hearing	☐ Ruling**		☐ Sentence**	☐ S13A/B or S21E Sentence**		☐ Sentence Submissions	
☐ S13A/B Sentence Submissions	☐ Summing- Up/Redirections**		□ Trial	□ Verdict			
Magistrates Court (incl	uding Childre	ens Court, D	omestic and Family Viol	ence Co	ourt and Murri Cou	ırt)	
☐ Audio of Proceeding	☐ Committe		☐ Decision		VB Decision	□ Ех	tract*
☐ Hearing	□ 13A/B He	earing	☐ Pre-Recorded Evidence				
QCAT							
☐ Audio of Proceeding	☐ Decision		☐ Extract*	☐ Hea	aring		
QIRC							
☐ Audio of Proceeding	☐ Decision		☐ Extract*	□ Hea	aring		
Coroners Court of Quee	ensland						
☐ Audio of Proceeding	☐ Extract*		☐ Findings	☐ Inq	uest		
Ceremonial Court event	ts						
☐ Admissions ☐ Christmas Greetings**		S	☐ Swearing-In**	☐ Val	edictory/Farewell ***		
*If Extract was selected please provide details here		Specific Po	ortion:		Start time:		Finish time:
Comments (e.g. Domestic Violence Application or Child Hearing or other information with processing your reques	d Protection to assist						

**Revisable transcripts are subject to revision and may impact the delivery turnaround timeframe



	Cost Sharing Details	
Have you received agreement to share costs with other party/parties to the proceeding?	□ Yes	□ No
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Number of parties including yourself agreeing to share the		
transcript cost:		

	**Please provide details for each cost sharing party, including yourself							
Actions	First Name	Last Name	Postal address	Email address	Phone number	Split Percentage		
Party 1								
Party 2								
Party 3								
Party 4								

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	Trans	script Service P	rovider (TSP)		
Please select a TSP	☐ Epiq	□ VIQ			
Payment					
Please do not send any fund sharing parties regarding tra				-	
Prices may vary depending of Please note an estimate may availability of the request.					
Delivery requirements					
Turnaround Timeframe	☐ Same Day Progress ☐ 24 Hours	sive	Same Day Non-F □ 5 Days	Progressive □ 10 Days	□ Urgent Request
	Please note: The ab eligibility assessment		timeframe will co	ommence once	DJAG have conducted an
Declaration - please review a	and complete before su	bmitting			
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The Department of Justice and Attorney-General (the Department) is collecting your personal information on this form, including your name, email address, address, telephone number and information about the matter/s you are requesting audio or a transcript for, to process your request. Where you have applied for a fee waiver or exemption, we may also collect your personal information in order to assess your eligibility under the Fee Waiver and Fee Exemption Policy – this may include the collection of information relating to your financial position. The Department will only use your personal information for this purpose and your information may be disclosed to service providers contracted by the Department. Your personal information will not otherwise be used or disclosed unless authorised or required by law. Your personal information will be handled in accordance with the <i>Information Privacy Act 2009</i> . □ I agree that copyright in the transcript remains with the State of Queensland (Department of Justice & Attorney-General).					
☐ I understand Recording an	d Transcription Services	will only proces	s the present trans	script order if the	re is no restriction on

Signature:

Print Name:



Date:

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Recording and Transcription Services is required to verify the identity of a Requestor when determining eligibility to receive a requested transcript. A Requestor must provide a total of 100 points of **Australian or state-issued** documents for the purpose of verifying your identity. Different types of identity documents hold unique point values as indicated in the table below. You can use different combinations of documents to make up your 100 points, but you **must include at least 1 primary document** source as part of your 100 points.

Note:

Please ensure each party involved in the Cost Share follows instructions below to meet the identification verification requirements.

If lodging your form in person:

Please take your original documentation (of 100 points or greater) to your local court registry, along with this form, where a Registry Officer will sight and verify your identity.

If lodging your form by post:

Please include **certified copies** of documentation (of 100 points or greater), when returning your form to Recording and Transcription Services by post for processing.

A *certified* copy refers to a document that is certified by a suitably qualified person who declares a document to be a true and correct copy of the original (i.e. Justice of the Peace, Commissioner for Declarations). To find a Justice of the Peace or Commissioner for Declarations in your local area, visit: <a href="https://www.qld.gov.au/law/legal-mediation-and-justice-of-the-peace/about-justic

		Party 1	Party 2	Party 3	Party 4
Primary documents (1 mandatory)	Points	Please tick if supplied			
Australian visa	40				
Birth certificate	50				
Certificate of Australian citizenship	50				
Driver licence	60				
Proof of age card	60				
Passport (current or expired less than 3 years)	50				
Secondary documents	Points	Please tick if supplied			
Change of name certificate	40				
Marriage certificate	40				
Medicare card	40				

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Registry Use Only					
"I have sighted the original identification documents in accordance with the proof of identity requirements set by Queensland Government Department of Justice & Attorney General, Recording and Transcription Services."					
Name of Registry Officer	Date:				
Signature of Registry Officer:					



Terms and Conditions

Note: These Terms and Conditions apply, where relevant, to all offline manual forms and processes for audio and transcript requests.

The provision of audio and transcription records by the Department of Justice and the Attorney-General can be done via an off-line application process using manual forms. This process relies on Departmental systems and processes to complete the request. These Terms govern our use of your information to fulfil your request or answer your enquiry and are legally binding.

In these Terms, 'us', 'we' and 'our' means the Department. **QTranscripts** is the online portal operated by the Department of Justice and Attorney-General (**Department**) to provide you with the ability to order Transcription Records, Pre-Existing Transcription Records and Audio Recordings for legal proceedings before Queensland Courts and Tribunals). Although you are not accessing QTranscripts directly, the Department uses QTranscripts to fulfil your request.

QTranscripts is owned by The State of Queensland (as represented by the Department of Justice and Attorney-General). By accessing the Service and/or using QTranscripts and its related services, you agree to these Terms and Conditions, which include our Privacy Policy (available at https://www.justice.qld.gov.au/legals/disclaimer) (the *Terms*). If you would like a copy of these documents, please ask when you prepare this form.

By providing your personal information to us, you consent to the collection, use, storage and disclosure of that information as described in our Privacy Policy and these Terms.

We collect personal information about you in order to facilitate your registration and access to QTranscripts, and facilitate access to Transcription Records, Pre-Existing Transcription Records and Audio Recordings of Queensland Courts and Tribunals via the Department and their Transcription Service Providers, Epiq Australia Pty Ltd and VIQ Australia Pty Ltd and (our *Transcription Service Providers*). We also collect your personal information in order to assess your eligibility under the Fee Waiver and Fee Exemption Policy – this may include the collection of information relating to your financial position. However, please ensure that your Tax File Number is not included or is obfuscated (that is, made unreadable) in any information submitted to the Department relating to your financial position. We may also collect your personal information for the purposes otherwise set out in our Privacy Policy.

1. Collection Notice

We may disclose that information to third parties that help us deliver our services (including the Transcription Service Providers), judicial officers, and other third-party suppliers (such as information technology suppliers, communication suppliers, other Queensland Government Departments and our business partners) or as required by law.

If you do not provide the information set out in the paper forms, we may not be able to provide you with the ability to purchase Transcription Records, Pre-Existing Transcription Records or Audio Recordings.

Our Privacy Policy explains:

- (i) how we store and use, and how you may access your personal information;
- (ii) how you can lodge a complaint regarding the handling of your personal information; and
- (iii) how we will handle any complaint. If you would like any further information about our privacy policies or practices, please <u>ask</u> when you submit this form. You also have the right to request an amendment of your personal information that we hold in QTranscripts if you believe the information is inaccurate, incomplete, out of date or misleading. Please ask at the time of submitting the form or contact 1800 842 122.

If you provide us with personal information on behalf of another person, you warrant that you have the person's consent to do so and that you have provided the person with details of these Terms (including our Privacy Policy).

2. General

By accessing the Service, you agree:

to only request to access information you are properly authorised to access and that if you
delegate access to another person (e.g. an authorised representative), you will be fully
responsible for that person's request;



		 that all Transis provid placin Audio you hat Record subort acces Record 	information that you receive from the Department only for lawful purposes; my instructions regarding your order provided by us, or notifications regarding cription Records, Pre-Existing Transcription Records and Audio Recordings, that are led to you, form part of these Terms; g a request for a Transcription Record, Pre-Existing Transcription Record or an Recording does not necessarily mean that you are entitled to receive the records ave ordered. Transcription Records, Pre-Existing Transcription Records and Audio rdings are released in accordance with the Recording of Evidence Act 1962, dinate legislation and other legislation in force at the time an order is placed; s to Audio Recordings or Transcription Records and Pre-Existing Transcription rds is provided by the means of delivery you choose on the form. Further copies will to be requested again (fees may apply).	
3.	Accuracy, completeness, and timeliness of information	While we use all reasonable attempts to ensure the accuracy and completeness of the information provided to you, to the extent permitted by law, including the Australian Consumer Law, we make no warranty regarding the information provided to you, nor the Transcription Records, Pre-Existing Transcription Records or Audio Recordings ultimately supplied by the Department or Transcription Service Providers.		
4.	Intellectual property rights	We own all rights, title and interest (including copyright and any other intellectual property rights) in the Transcription Records, Pre-Existing Transcription Records and Audio Recordings. To the extent you purchase a Transcription Record, Pre-Existing Transcription Record or Audio Recording from the Department or a Transcription Service Provider, we provide you a limited, personal, non-exclusive, revocable licence to use the Transcription Record, Pre-Existing Transcription Record or Audio Recording for the sole purpose of retaining a record of the proceeding to which the audio or transcript pertains. You must not copy or distribute a Transcription Record, Pre-Existing Transcription Record or Audio Recording for any other purpose without the Department's prior written consent. You agree that this section 4 overrides any licensing terms and conditions with respect to material owned by Queensland Government which may be published elsewhere, including on publicly accessible websites (such as Creative Commons licenses).		
5.	Transcription Service Providers	The Department has recording and trans are in the possessic Transcription Recording products an intermediary plan. You acknowledge at the possessic and the	is an arrangement in place with Transcription Service Providers to undertake the cription of some court proceedings. Except in the case of Transcription Records that on of the Department (<i>Pre-Existing Transcription Records</i>). Pre-Existing rds will be provided by the Department in accordance with section 6. For rds produced by Transcription Service Providers, you acknowledge that you are s and services from a third party, and that the Department is using QTranscripts as tform only intended to facilitate your purchase of those products and services.	



- e) a Transcription Service Provider can establish their own processes for managing payments for Transcription Records whereby a Transcription Service Provider may choose to take an upfront deposit, full payment upfront, invoice a customer or some other agreement which may be agreed with the Department from time to time;
- f) the Transcription Service Provider will be responsible for issuing an invoice to you concerning the purchase of Transcription Records or providing you with another payment mechanism such as an online payment platform gateway, or other payment mechanism provided by the Transcription Service Provider;
- g) you will be responsible for paying the Transcription Service Provider directly in accordance with that third party's terms and conditions;
- h) the Transcription Service Provider will be responsible for managing the administration of cost-sharing of Transcription Records between eligible parties;
- the Transcription Service Provider is responsible for the production of a Transcription Record and uploading it to QTranscripts;
- j) you acknowledge that Transcription Service Providers are not permitted to upload a
 Transcription Record to QTranscripts until full payment is received, except in
 circumstances where you have an account with the Transcription Service Provider
 and have agreed to their payment terms;
- k) the Department will be responsible for providing the audio or transcription record you have requested to you;
- the Department may from time to time reassign a Transcription Service Provider selected by you if this is required for operational efficiencies and / or to prevent multiple versions of the same Transcription Record being created;
- m) the Transcription Record delivery time commences:
 - i. when a Transcription Record request is sent to the Transcription Service Provider, and does not include any time for the Department to consider the request; and
 - ii. when the deposit is made, or full upfront payment is received if requested by the Transcription Service Provider.
- n) Transcription Service Providers are not permitted to retain a Transcription Record for more than 30 calendar days. If full payment for a Transcription Record has not been made, the Transcription Record will be destroyed by the Transcription Service Provider. Any fees already paid by you will not be refunded by the Transcription Service Provider. If the Transcription Record is required after 30 calendar days has elapsed, a new request will need to be made in QTranscripts or on the approved form and the relevant fees paid;
- o) if a District Court revisable Transcription Record is not released by a judicial officer, after 10 Business Days have elapsed, the Department will contact the Transcription Service Provider, cancel the order and advise that all fees paid by the requestor in relation to the District Court revisable Transcription Record are to be refunded;
- p) a Transcription Service Provider is responsible for providing discounts and rebates with respect to missed Transcription Record timeframes or quality issues. You are responsible for raising issues with the Transcription Service Provider by in writing; and
- q) if a Transcription Record requires correction due to an error, a request must be submitted by you in writing. It is the responsibility of the Transcription Service Provider to make any required transcript corrections.

We make no statements, representations or warranties about the accuracy or completeness of any information contained in the Transcription Records, and you acknowledge that the Transcription Service Provider is responsible for the accuracy of any Transcription Record completed by that party and for uploading the Transcription Records to QTranscripts once the Transcription Record is complete.



Generally speaking, the Department is responsible for the following in relation to the QTranscripts platform: administering requests for Pre-Existing Transcription Records (see below under the a) section titled 'Pre-Existing Transcription Records'); b) administering requests for Audio Recordings (see below under the section titled 'Access to audio recordings'); facilitating the management of revisable Transcription Records (excluding the function c) of revising a Transcription Record or Pre-Existing Transcription Record); and d) facilitating the redaction of Transcription Records and Pre-Existing Transcription Records. 6. The Department's responsibilities Pre-Existing Transcription Records with respect to Pre-**Existing** Pre-Existing Transcription Records relate to any records that are in the Department's possession. The **Transcription** Department will be responsible for managing any subsequent requests, including arranging payment. **Records and Audio** Issuing Pre-existing Transcription Records is the responsibility of the Department. Recordings Payments for Pre-existing Transcription Records can be made via the Smart Services Queensland website (preferable) or in-person at a court registry. Cost-sharing provisions do not apply to Pre-Existing Transcription Records. Access to audio recordings Audio Recordings can be requested from the Department via QTranscripts, and fees may apply, which can be paid via the Smart Services Queensland website (preferable) or in-person at a court registry. Access restrictions may prevent you from being provided with the entire Audio Recording or portion of the Audio Recording. Audio Recordings will be provided as a CD recording. Section 5B(3)(b) of the Recording of Evidence Act 1962 (Qld) provides for copies of records or transcriptions on request to be available for persons at no cost or at a cost that is less than the amount that would otherwise be payable, in accordance with the entitlements prescribed under the Recording of Evidence Regulation 2018 (Qld). 7. Fee waivers and fee exemptions You may request a fee waiver or fee exemption by following the process outlined in the Fee Waiver and Fee Exemption Policy. If you request a fee waiver or fee exemption, the Department will process your request in accordance with the Fee Waiver and Fee Exemption Policy. If you have any issue or concerns with: a) payment for a Transcription Record, Pre-Existing Transcription or Audio Recording; b) a decision relating to a fee waiver or exemption; c) where a Transcription Record or Audio Recording is not released; d) the quality or accuracy of a Transcription Record or Audio Recording; e) the timing for delivery of a Transcription Record or Audio Recording; or other issues or concerns regarding services delivered by the Department or Transcription 8. Complaints Service Providers, A complaint should be raised by contacting the Department in writing. The Department will review your complaint and determine whether it needs to be resolved by the Department or by the Transcription Service Provider.



	The Department is not responsible for the acts, or omissions, of the Transcription Service Providers and you agree, where we direct you to do so, to take up all relevant issues or concerns with the Transcription Service Provider.				
9. No commercial use	Access to a Transcription Record or Audio Recording is for your personal, non-commercial use only. You may not modify, copy, distribute, transmit, display, perform, reproduce, publish, license, commercially exploit, create derivative works from, transfer, or sell any Transcription Record or Audio Recording purchased from the Department or a Transcription Service Provider.				
10. Unacceptable activity	You must not do any act that we would deem to be inappropriate, is unlawful or is prohibited by any laws applicable to the Department, including but not limited to any act that would constitute a breach of either the privacy (including uploading private or personal information without an individual's consent) or any other of the legal rights of individuals.				
11. Warranties and disclaimers	To the maximum extent permitted by law, including Australian Consumer Law, we make no warranties or representations about the Service, the Transcription Records, the Pre-Existing Transcription Records, or the Audio Recordings, including but not limited to warranties or representations that they will be complete, accurate or up-to-date, that access will be timely, uninterrupted or error-free or free from viruses, or that QTranscripts will be secure.				
	We reserve the right to restrict, suspend or terminate without notice your access to the Service, at any time without notice and we will not be responsible for any loss, cost, damage or liability that may arise as a result.				
12. Liability	To the maximum extent permitted by law, including the Australian Consumer Law, in no event shall the Department be liable for any direct and indirect loss, damage or expense – irrespective of the manner in which it occurs – which may be suffered due to your use of the Service or QTranscripts and/or the information or materials accessed through it or contained on it.				
13. Jurisdiction and governing law	Your use of the Service and these Terms are governed by the law of Queensland and you submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the courts exercising jurisdiction in Queensland.				
	The following definitions apply to these Terms:				
	Audio Recordings means recordings of proceedings and other hearings in Queensland Courts and Tribunals that are in the possession of the Department.				
	Department means the Department of Justice and Attorney-General.				
	Fee Waiver and Fee Exemption Policy means the policy by that name available from the Department.				
	Pre-Existing Transcription Records means Pre-Existing Transcription Records that are in the possession of the Department.				
14. Definitions	Service means facilitating your access to Transcription Records, Pre-Existing Transcription Records and Audio Recordings of Queensland Courts and Tribunals.				
	Terms means these Terms and Conditions, which include our Privacy Policy (available at https://www.justice.qld.gov.au/legals/privacy) and Disclaimer Notices (available at https://www.justice.qld.gov.au/legals/disclaimer).				
	Transcription Records means written transcripts which are produced by the Transcription Service Providers in relation to the Queensland Courts and Tribunals.				



Queensland Courts and Tribunals means legal proceedings before the following jurisdictions in Queensland:

- Court of Appeal
- Supreme Court
- District Court
- Magistrates Court, including the Specialist Domestic and Family Violence Court and Coroners Court of Queensland.
- Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal (QCAT)
- Specialised Courts and Tribunals
 - Childrens Court
 - o Industrial Court of Queensland
 - Land Court and Land Appeal Court of Queensland
 - Mental Health Court
 - o Planning and Environment Court
 - Queensland Industrial Relations Commission

