**PREMISES POSSESSION WARRANT**

**Biosecurity Act 2015 (Cth)**

[*A DESIGNATED JUDGE OF THE SUPREME/A DESIGNATED JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT/A DESIGNATED MAGISTRATE OF THE MAGISTRATES*] **Select one** COURT OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

SPECIAL STATUTORY JURISDICTION

**[*FULL NAME*]**

**Applicant**

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| **To [*name(s) of the applicant(s)*] and other biosecurity enforcement officers****Recitals**(a) An Application has been made on [*date*] by [*an*] authorised officer[*s*] [*name(s)*], being [*a*] biosecurity enforcement officer[*s*], pursuant to section 488 of the *Biosecurity Act 2015* (Cth) for the issue of a premises possession warrant addressed to [*name(s)*] and other biosecurity enforcement officers (“the authorised persons”).(b) The [*Judge/Magistrate*] is satisfied on information given [*on oath/by affirmation*] and furtherinformation provided at the hearing that: |
|  |  | * a biosecurity officer has, under section 341(1) of the *Biosecurity Act 2015*, requested the owner of the premises described below to arrange for the premises to be [*dealt with/destroyed*] within the period of [*period*], and the request has not been complied with;
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|  |  | * a notice has been given to the owner of the premises described below in accordance with section 344(4) of the *Biosecurity Act 2015*;
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|  |  | * a certificate in relation to the premises described below has been issued under section 344(5)(b) of the *Biosecurity Act 2015*.
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|  |  | there are proper grounds for the issue of the warrant under section 489 *Biosecurity Act 2015*. |
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| **Warrant**This warrant is issued under section 488 of the *Biosecurity Act 2015* for the purpose [*insert purpose for which the warrant is granted*].This warrant is a possession warrant and authorises the authorised persons, with such assistants and by such force as is necessary and reasonable in the circumstances, to take possession of [*description of premises, address*] for the purpose of: |
|  | (a) allowing the premises:* to be dealt with under section 341(3) of the *Biosecurity Act 2015*;
* to be destroyed under section 344 of the *Biosecurity Act 2015*;
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|  | (b) [*other – specify*]. |
| This warrant:* may be executed at any time of day.
* must not be executed between the hours of [*time*] and [*time*].
* may be executed between the hours of [*time*] and [*time*].
* [*other*].

**Expiration** This warrant expires on [*date/time*], being a date not more than 14 days after the issue of this warrant.  |

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| **Authentication**…………………………………………Signature of Judicial Officer[*title and name*] |