HEPATITIS B IMMUNITY STATUS AND DECLARATION FORM

Hepatitis B is an infection caused by the Hepatitis B virus. As part of the recruitment process, you are required to provide evidence of your Hepatitis B immunity. To ensure that you have a thorough understanding of Hepatitis B, further information regarding Hepatitis B can be found on the <u>Queensland Government website</u>, and you are encouraged to speak with your Medical Practitioner/legal professional if you have concerns with any risks associated with Hepatitis B.

You are required to complete this document and supply any supporting documentation to QPS Recruiting when requested.

| HEPATITIS B IMMUNITY STATUS | | RESPONSE |
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| Option 1 | | |
| I have completed the Hepatitis B immunisation program and have an immune status. I have attached the following supporting documents: Serology report verifying my immunity (antibody level greater than 10 mIU/mL), and Hep B Immunisation History Statement or report from my medical practitioner confirming dates of my vaccination. | | YES / NO |
| Option 2 | | |
| I have completed the Hepatitis B immunisation program and have a non-responder status following a second course of the vaccine or booster as recommended by my medical practitioner. I have attached the following supporting documents: Serology report confirming I am not immune (antibody level less than 10 mIU/mL), and Hep B Immunisation History Statement or report from my medical practitioner confirming dates of my vaccination/s. | | YES / NO |
| Option 3 | | |
| I am currently undertaking a Hepatitis B immunisation program. I have detailed my vaccination schedule below: | | YES / NO |
| Date of | First Hepatitis B vaccination: | // (DD/MM/YYYY) |
| • Expecte | d date of my final Hepatitis B vaccination: | // (DD/MM/YYYY) |
| Expecte | d date for post-vaccination blood test: | // (DD/MM/YYYY) |

I declare that:

- I have discussed the benefits and risks of immunisation with a general practitioner and considered the information provided.
- I understand that I may be exposed to the Hepatitis B virus whilst undertaking policing duties throughout a career as a QPS officer and am aware of the recommended management actions to apply in the event of potential exposure.
- I am aware of my risk of contracting the Hepatitis B virus and have discussed risks and prevention strategies with my general practitioner.
- I am fully informed about the risks of being a non-responder and consent to join QPS as a Police Recruit and continue with QPS employment.
- I acknowledge that if I am currently undertaking the Hepatitis B immunisation program, I am seeking approval from the QPS to commence recruit training at the Academy on the understanding that I must provide a copy of my results to show immunity prior to graduating.

Applicant Name (First and Surname)

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Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY)

Applicant's Signature

Parent/Guardian's Signature (If under the age of 18)