



Election not to be a Recognised Aboriginal Representative Body

Section 19B(7) of the *Aboriginal Heritage Act* provides that: *A registered native title body corporate that would, but for this subsection, be taken to be appointed as the Recognised Aboriginal Representative Body in respect of a particular area may, by notice given in a manner and form determined by the Committee, elect not to be the Recognised Aboriginal Representative Body in respect of the area, a specified part of the area or a specified Aboriginal site, object or remains within the area.*

Please complete this form if you do not wish to be appointed the RARB for your native title determination area.

Section 1 – Applicant Information

Name of applicant (Body Corporate): _____

Authorised representative: _____

Postal address: _____

Telephone number: _____ Fax number _____

Email address: _____

ABN _____

Incorporating Legislation: _____

Date of Incorporation: _____

Section 2 – Description of the heritage you do not wish to represent

Please provide a detailed description of the area, or Aboriginal site, object or ancestral remains (collectively heritage) that you do not wish to represent as a RARB. The description must be sufficiently detailed to allow the Committee to conclusively identify the area or heritage. Where appropriate, please attach a map and photos to identify the location or the heritage. (DSD-AAR can assist with mapping. Please contact us for help if required.)

Section 3 – Reason you do not wish to represent this heritage



Section 4 – Authorisation of Decision

By signing this application form, you warrant and represent that:

- all information provided is true and complete
you are authorised to make the application by and on behalf of your native title body corporate
the application is made consistently with any legislation, corporate constitution or other rules applying to your body corporate
you understand that by opting out, another person or group may apply to be the RARB that part of your native title lands that you do not wish to represent as a RARB1.

Please attach a copy of the motion made authorising or endorsing your Election not to be a Recognised Aboriginal Representative Body.

SIGNED for and on behalf of
THE APPLICANT NAMED IN SECTION 1
in the presence of:

Corporate Seal (where used or required)

Witness Signature

Authorised Signatory

Name

Name

Phone Number

Organisation

Date

Phone Number

Date

Please return this form together with any additional pages and copies (not originals) of all supporting documentation marked 'Confidential' to:

The Chairperson
State Aboriginal Heritage Committee
C/- Department of State Development – Aboriginal Affairs and Reconciliation
GPO Box 320
ADELAIDE SA 5000
Email: DSD.AARHeritage@sa.gov.au

Please call DSD-AAR on 08 8226 8900 or 1800 127 001 (freecall) if you wish to discuss any aspect of your application.

1 Any substitute RARB will still be required to consult with you and represent your views as Traditional Owners of your native title lands.