

Statutory declaration for alleged vehicle offence

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Use this form to declare that you're not the person responsible for an alleged vehicle offence. When you sign this form, you're making an official declaration under the Oaths and Declarations Act 1957.

Alleged vehicle offence details

Plate

Notice number

Alleged offence date

Alleged offence time

Declaration

I,

Full name

Address

Occupation

solemnly and sincerely declare:

Tick the appropriate box.

1. I've received the infringement or offence notice as:

the driver, registered person, one of the registered persons, or person who had the vehicle at the time and date above, or

the authorised representative of
(company or incorporated body) and I'm acting on its behalf.

2. At the time of the alleged offence, someone else had the vehicle.

A) I'm naming the driver of the vehicle at the time of the alleged offence.

B) I'm naming the person or company who lawfully had the vehicle at the time of the alleged offence.

C) I/we sold the vehicle to someone else on (date).

Complete number 2 here **or** number 3 over the page, not both.

For number 2, you must tick box A, B or C and fill in the driver details, **or** tick box D (over the page) and fill in the police report details.

You must give all details you know to help identify the person, company or incorporated body who had the vehicle.

Driver, person who lawfully had the vehicle, or new registered person details:

Name

Address

Date of birth (if known)

Driver licence number (if known)

Declaration, continued

Tick box D and fill in these details if you didn't tick box A, B or C on page 1.

You must include a copy of the police report with this form.

Complete section 2 **or** section 3, not both.

- D) Someone had stolen or illegally taken the vehicle at the time of the alleged offence. I/we reported it to the police.

Police station I/we reported to

Report date

Report number

3. I've taken the steps explained below, but I haven't been able to identify the person, company or incorporated body who had the vehicle at the time of the alleged offence.

Note: you may have a defence if you've taken **all** reasonable steps to identify the offender.

You **must** have this form witnessed by a Justice of the Peace, Solicitor, Registrar or Deputy Registrar of a Court, or any other person authorised to take a statutory declaration under the Oaths and Declarations Act 1957.

I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the Oaths and Declarations Act 1957.

Declarer's signature

Declaration date

Witness' signature

Declaration place

Please print the witness' name and title in capital letters.

Witness' name

Witness' title

Under section 44 of the Land Transport Act 1998, you could be fined \$10,000 if you're convicted of knowingly making a false or misleading statement in a statutory declaration.

Scan your completed declaration and attach it to the *Let us know it wasn't you for a safety camera notice* form online at: www.nzta.govt.nz/sc-not-me
Or, post it to Safety Cameras, NZ Transport Agency Waka Kotahi, PO Box 5550, Terrace End, Palmerston North 4441. If you need more copies of this form, go to: www.nzta.govt.nz/form-sdvo