



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

To the Registrar of Members' Interests,

Statement in relation to citizenship – 45th Parliament

I declare that at the time I nominated for election in this 45th Parliament I was an Australian citizen.

Section 1—Member's details

Surname	Other Names
LEY	Sussan Penelope

Electorate	State
Farrer	NSW

Section 2—Member's birth and citizenship details

Place of birth	Citizenship held at birth
Kano, Nigeria	British

Date of birth	Date of Australian naturalisation <i>(if not an Australian citizen by birth)</i>
14 / 12 / 1961 Day Month Year	26 / 01 / 1996 Day Month Year

Notes

- (1) The information which you are required to provide is contained in a resolution agreed to by the House of Representatives on 4 December 2017.
- (2) If there is insufficient space on this form for the information you are required to provide, you may attach additional pages for that purpose. An electronic version of this form is available at <http://members.parl.net/citizenship> (internal link).
- (3) Forward the original, signed copy of all pages of this statement to the Registrar of Members' Interests, RG.39 Parliament House, Canberra ACT 2600.

Section 3(a)—Member's parents' birth details

	Mother	Father
Place of birth:	Angela Mary Braybrooks (Weston) Steyning, Sussex, UK	Edgar Hosken Braybrooks Norwich, Norfolk, UK
Date of birth:	27 / 07 / 1931 Day Month Year	17 / 01 / 1918 Day Month Year

Section 3(b)—Member's grandparents' birth details

	Maternal grandmother	Maternal grandfather
Place of birth:	Kathleen Mary Potts Dudley, West Midlands, UK	Edward Howard Weston Bromsgrove, Worcestershire, UK
Date of birth:	/ 03 / 1896 Day Month Year	/ 03 / 1894 Day Month Year

	Paternal grandmother	Paternal grandfather
Place of birth:	Hettie Margaret Hosken Norwich, Norfolk, UK	Thomas Pashler Braybrooks St Neots, Cambridgeshire, UK
Date of birth:	/ 09 / 1879 Day Month Year	/ 12 / 1869 Day Month Year

Section 3(c)—Member's spouse details (if applicable)

	Spouse
Place of birth:	John Ley Tallangatta, Victoria
Date of birth:	14 / 03 / 1959 Day Month Year

Section 3(d)

Please list the steps you have taken to assure yourself you have not acquired citizenship of another country by descent, marriage or other means.

Both sets of grandparents were born and lived their whole lives in England.

The only possible dual citizenship I could have is British. I renounced this prior to nominating for Parliament.

Under the Nigeria Constitution 1999, I could only have acquired Nigerian citizenship by descent if my father or mother was a citizen of Nigeria: s 25(i)(b). I have confirmed that neither of them have ever been or are citizens of Nigeria - please see extract of Nigeria's constitution attached.

Section 4(a)—Foreign citizenship

Have you ever been a citizen of any country other than Australia?

☐ **NO** — Proceed to Section 6

☒ **YES** — List the countries that you have been a citizen of, and evidence of the date and manner in which your citizenship of any other country was renounced or otherwise came to an end in accordance with the laws of the relevant country.

Country	Manner of renunciation or other manner in which the foreign citizenship came to an end	Date	Evidence attached
UK (England)	Formal Process via Letter to British High Commission	6 June 2001	Yes

NB: Evidence of the date and manner in which your citizenship was renounced or otherwise came to an end **should** be attached to this form. Please date and initial each page of any attachment.

Section 4(b)—Foreign citizenship at time of nomination

On the date you nominated for election in this 45th Parliament were you a citizen of any country other than Australia?

☐**NO**☒

YES — *Provide details and evidence of any steps you have taken to renounce the citizenship of the other country prior to the date of nomination.*

Country	Action	Date	Evidence attached

NB: Evidence of the steps taken to renounce the citizenship of the other country prior to the date of nomination **should** be attached to this form. Please date and initial each page of any attachment.

Section 4(c)—Foreign citizenship now

Are you now a citizen of any country other than Australia?

☒**NO**☐

YES — *Provide details and evidence of any steps taken to renounce the citizenship of the other country.*

Country	Action	Date	Evidence attached

NB: Evidence of the steps taken to renounce the citizenship of the other country **should** be attached to this form. Please date and initial each page of any attachment.

Section 5—Member with foreign citizenship at nomination or now

Complete this section if you answered YES in section 4(b) or 4(c)

Basis on which you contend you are not disqualified under s 44(i) of the Constitution	Evidence attached
NB: Please date and initial each page of any attachment.	

Section 6—General declaration

I declare that I have completed this statement to the best of my knowledge and have attached all evidence relevant to my declarations.

Sig	Date:
	<div style="text-align: center;"> 4 1 12 17 Day Month Year </div>

Ref: PPTS/CT/REN 46

06 August 2001



British
High Commission
Canberra

Consular Section
10th Floor, SAP House
Cnr Akuna & Bunda Streets
Canberra City, ACT 2601
Facsimile: - (02) 6257 5857

Mrs S P Ley

Albury
NSW 2640

Dear Mrs Ley

I now enclose the stamped copy of your declaration of renunciation which constitutes formal evidence that you ceased to be a British citizen on 6 June 2001.

Your cancelled United Kingdom passport is also enclosed herewith.

Yours sincerely

N. Sliwka

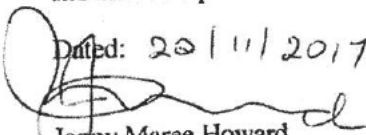
N Sliwka
Passport Examiner

Phone: (02) 6245 3750

Encl:

I certify this to be a true copy of the document
shown and reported to me as the original.

Dated: 20/11/2017


Jenny Maree Howard
Justice of the Peace (NSW)
Registration No: 181936

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Date 23 May 2001

Mrs S P Ley

Albury
NSW 2640

Dear Mrs Ley


Re: Renunciation of British citizenship in respect of Sussan Penelope LEY

I am writing to confirm that we received your application to renounce your British citizenship on 22 May 2001. As the application has to be forwarded to the Home Office in the United Kingdom it may take some time before the certificate of renunciation is issued.

Until such time your British passport will be retained in this office and will be returned to you on completion of the renunciation. Your passport will be cancelled and appropriately endorsed to show you are no longer a British citizen.

This letter serves as notice your application has been accepted in this office and is being acted upon in the United Kingdom.

Yours sincerely


N Sliwka (Mr)
Passport Examiner
British High Commission
Canberra



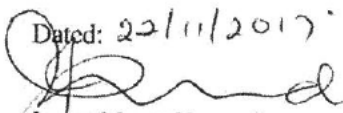
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Dated: 22/11/2017


Jenny Maree Howard
Justice of the Peace (NSW)
Registration No: 181936


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COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Australian Citizenship Act 1948

Certificate of Australian Citizenship

SUSSAN LEY

born on 14th December 1961

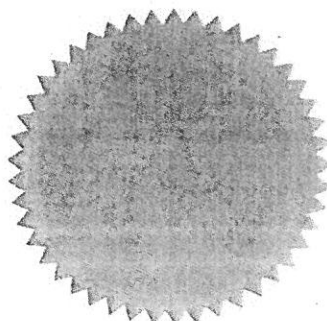
having applied for a Certificate of Australian Citizenship, having satisfied the conditions prescribed by the Australian Citizenship Act 1948 for the grant of such a Certificate and having undertaken to fulfil the responsibilities of a citizen.

*I, the Minister for Immigration and Ethnic Affairs,
grant this Certificate of Australian Citizenship to the abovenamed applicant who is
an Australian citizen on and after 26 January, 1996.*

*Issued by the authority
of the Minister
for Immigration and
Ethnic Affairs*


**MINISTER
FOR IMMIGRATION
AND ETHNIC AFFAIRS**

No. CA9500858B





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CHILDREN INCLUDED IN CERTIFICATE

*The names of the following children who had not attained the age of 16 years at the time of application
and of whom the grantee of this Certificate is a responsible parent,
have been included in this Certificate:*

NAME OF CHILD

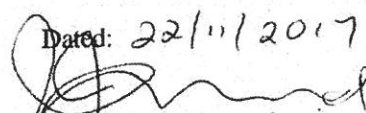
DATE OF BIRTH

THERE ARE NO CHILDREN INCLUDED IN THIS CERTIFICATE


**MINISTER
FOR IMMIGRATION
AND ETHNIC AFFAIRS**

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Dated: 22/11/2017


Jenny Maree Howard
Justice of the Peace (NSW)
Registration No: 181936


4/2/17

Constitution of the Federal Republic of Nigeria 1999 (2015 Amendment)

Extract Source

http://www.nigeria-law.org/ConstitutionOfTheFederalRepublicOfNigeria.htm#Chapter_3

http://publicofficialsfinancialdisclosure.worldbank.org/sites/fdl/files/assets/law-library-files/Nigeria_Constitution_1999_en.pdf

Chapter III Citizenship

25. (1) The following persons are citizens of Nigeria by birth-namely-

(a) every person born in Nigeria before the date of independence, either of whose parents or any of whose grandparents belongs or belonged to a community indigenous to Nigeria;

Provided that a person shall not become a citizen of Nigeria by virtue of this section if neither of his parents nor any of his grandparents was born in Nigeria.

(b) every person born in Nigeria after the date of independence either of whose parents or any of whose grandparents is a citizen of Nigeria; and

(c) every person born outside Nigeria either of whose parents is a citizen of Nigeria.

(2) In this section, "the date of independence" means the 1st day of October 1960.

Handwritten signature
4/12/17