



REGISTRY OF  
30 NOV 2017  
12.15 pm  
SENATORS' INTERESTS

To the Registrar of Senators' 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—Senator's details

Surname: O'NEILL	
Other Names: DEBORAH MAY	State: NSW

#### Section 2—Senator's birth and citizenship details

Place of birth: PARRAMATTA, NSW, AUSTRALIA	Citizenship held at birth: AUSTRALIA
Date of birth:  4 / 6 / 1961 Day            Month            Year	Date of Australian naturalisation: <i>(if not an Australian citizen by birth)</i>  / / Day            Month            Year

#### Section 3(a)—Senator's parents' birth details

	Mother	Father
Place of birth:	THOMASTOWN, IRELAND	CORK, IRELAND
Date of birth:	20 / 08 / 1939 Day            Month            Year	20 / 06 / 1939 Day            Month            Year

#### Notes

- (1) The information which you are required to provide is contained in a resolution agreed to by the Senate on 13 November 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 file of this form is available on [www.aph.gov.au/senators\\_interests](http://www.aph.gov.au/senators_interests).
- (3) Forward the original, signed copy of all pages of this statement to the Registrar of Senators' Interests, SG.39 Parliament House, Canberra ACT 2600

**Section 3(b)—Senator’s grandparents’ birth details**

	Maternal grandmother	Maternal grandfather
Place of birth:	FOULKSTOWN, IRELAND	IRELAND
Date of birth:	20 / 05 / 1906 Day            Month            Year	Unknown Day            Month            Year

	Paternal grandmother	Paternal grandfather
Place of birth:	BALLYHILOGUE, IRELAND	SHABALLYMORE, IRELAND
Date of birth:	29 / 11 / 1900 Day            Month            Year	12 / 05 / 1889 Day            Month            Year

**Section 3(c)—Other factors that may be relevant eg: adoption, IVF, or assumption of citizenship through marriage.**

My husband is an Australian citizen born in Australia. I did not acquire any foreign citizenship by marriage.

**Section 3(d)**—Please list the steps you have taken to assure yourself you have not inherited citizenship of another country from a parent or grandparent.

**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 was renounced or otherwise came to an end.

Country	Manner of renunciation or other manner in which the foreign citizenship came to an end	Date	Evidence attached
	I lodged a <i>Declaration of Alienage of Irish Citizenship</i> with the Irish Government on 17 July 2010, prior to contesting the 2010 Federal election.  Pursuant to section 21 of the <i>Irish Nationality and Citizenship Act 1956</i> , my Irish citizenship automatically ended upon lodgement of the declaration of alienage.	17 July 2010	Declaration of Alienage of Irish Citizenship

**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** — Proceed to Section 4(c)
- YES** — Provide evidence of any steps you have taken to renounce the citizenship of the country prior to the date of nomination:

Country	Action	Date	Evidence attached

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

**Section 4(c)—Are you now a citizen of any country other than Australia?**

- NO** — Proceed to Section 5
- YES** — Provide evidence and details of steps taken to renounce citizenship:

Country	Action	Date	Evidence attached

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

**Section 5—Senator with foreign citizenship at nomination or now**

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

Basis on which the Member contends she or he is not disqualified under s 44(i)	Evidence attached

**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.

Signed

Date

	30 / 11 / 2017 Day                  Month                  Year
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FORM 15

IRISH NATIONALITY AND CITIZENSHIP ACT 1956.

Declaration of alienage by a person of full age.

I DEBORAH MARY O'NEILL of 79 DEL  
(name in full)

[Redacted]

(Place of ordinary residence)

am the person to whom the under-mentioned particulars relate.

I am about to become a citizen of AUSTRALIA and am seeking election as  
and for that reason desire to renounce my Irish citizenship. a member of the Australian

Signature..... [Redacted]

Date... 17/7/10

Declared and subscribed before me [Redacted]

a Solicitor  
(insert qualification)

by the person named above who is personally known to me (or, who is identified to me  
by [Redacted] who is personally known  
to me).

Signature [Redacted]  
Address [Redacted]

Date... 17 JULY 2010

PARTICULARS RELATING TO DECLARANT.

Date of birth... 4th of June, 1961

Place of birth... Parramatta, NSW, Australia



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23 July 2010

Ms Deborah Mary O'Neill



Dear Ms O'Neill

Further to our recent telephone conversation, I acknowledge receipt of your letter and Form 15, Declaration of Alienage under Section 21 of the Irish Nationality and Citizenship Act, 1956 by a person of full age which was signed and witnessed on 17 July 2010.

Yours sincerely

Consular & Cultural Attaché