**1. Applicant/Accountant details**

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| Firm name: |  | | | | | | |
| Contact name: |  | | | | | | |
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| Postal address: |  | | | | | | |
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**2. Trust name**

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| Name of proposed trust: |  |

**3. Trustee**

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| Name: |  |
| ACN (if company): |  |

**The trustee is excluded as a beneficiary in the deed. If you want the trustee to be a beneficiary mark here**

**We recommend that there not be an individual trustee as we have had the ATO argue that for tax purposes there is no trust where the sole trustee is also a beneficiary so all the income is taxed to the trustee and not as distributed.**

**4. Directors (if company)**

The number of directors may impact on the ability of the trustee to claim some of the small business CGT concessions. Care is therefore required in selecting who will be the directors.

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| Full names of directors and secretary of trustee (if company): |  |

**5. Trust type**

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| Capital beneficiaries restricted to direct descendants of primary beneficiary: | Yes  No |

**6. Requirements as to beneficiaries (delete any provisions which are not required)**

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| Primary | (i) Full name: |
| Secondary | (i) family members and relatives of the primary beneficiary  (ii) any entity whose ordinary income and statutory income are exempt from tax because of division 50 of the *Income Tax Assessment Act 1997*  (iii) any deductible gift recipient within the meaning of section 30-227 of the *Income Tax Assessment Act 199*7  (iv) the members of any unincorporated body of which another beneficiary under this deed is a member  (v) the legal personal representative of another beneficiary. |
| Tertiary | (i) any company or corporation of which any other beneficiary of the trust or the trustee is a director or shareholder or member from time to time  (ii) the trustee of any trust in which the eligible beneficiaries include a person or company that is also a beneficiary of this trust  (iii) any limited partnership of which any other beneficiary of the trust or the trustee is a general partner or limited partner  (iv) additional tertiary beneficiaries    If any further beneficiaries are required, specify details: |

# **7. Exclusion of foreign persons**

*Many states and territories have introduced regimes that impose land tax and duty surcharges on real property where a discretionary trust is considered a ‘foreign person’. Please let us know if you would like foreign persons excluded as beneficiaries for a particular state or territory in Australia (if intending to acquire real property in multiple states, we recommend establishing separate trusts, one trust for each state).*

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| Do you want foreign persons excluded as beneficiaries | Yes  No |
| Please circle the states in which the foreign beneficiary exclusions should apply | QLD NSW VIC WA SA TAS ACT |

**8. Settlor**

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| Full name of settlor: |  |

**9. Appointor**

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| Full name of appointor (who has power to change trustee): |  |

**Note - If the client anticipates making distributions from a pre-existing trust to this new trust it may be prudent to nominate a vesting date for this trust that is the same or an earlier date as for the pre‑existing trust in view of arguments raised by Commissioner of Taxation in *Ramsden’s* case - [2004] FCA 632.**

**10. Vesting date**

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| Vesting date of existing trust if applicable |  |

**11. Jurisdiction**

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| Please circle the state in which documents will be signed: | QLD NSW VIC WA SA TAS NT ACT |

**Note – we recommend that separate trusts are set up if the client is planning on investing in different states and territories.**

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| Dated the: |  | day of |  | 2020 |

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Signature of applicant

**OPTIONAL – Payment by credit card**

*If you would like to pay by credit card, please complete the section below. If you would prefer we disburse our costs to your next account, please leave this section blank.*

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