

Providing Certified Copies of Documents

RETS needs some documents from you to confirm your identity.

Yor must send us a **CERTIFIED COPY** of your identity document(s). That simply means taking a **COLOUR PHOTOCOPY** of the documents and having them certified as a true copy by someone who is qualified to do so.

Here are some people can certify a document for you:

- Justice of the Peace (JP)
- police officer
- GP or other medical doctor
- dentist
- physiotherapist or pharmacist
- Australian public service employee
- permanent employee of Australia Post with 5 or more years of continuous service
- school principal or full-time teacher
- lawyer, barrister or judge
- a court registrar
- accountant
- minister of religion

The person certifying the copy of your documents must compare it with the originals, checkthat they are identical and certify each page as a true copy by writing the words 'I certify that this is a true copy of the original document signed by me', followed by their printed name, signature, qualification, the date and their contact number.

Certifier writes the words below on a **<u>COLOUR PHOTOCOPY</u>** of the document:

I certify that this is a true copy of theoriginal document signed by

Name: John Doe

Signature: Mr John Doe

Qualification: Police Officer, NSW

PoliceDate: 10/02/2022

Contact: 0412 345 678

Please see an example on the next page.

Driver Licence New South Wales, Australia Card Number 2 093 628 291 Sara Baumer 4 East St **ROSE BAY NSW 2029** Lice nos No. 13283691 Licence Class Data of Birth 14 MAY 1990 Sara Baumer 12 JUN 2013

I certify that this is a true copy of the original document sighted by me. Mr John Doe Aph De NSW Police Officer 10/03/2022 0423 456 789.