# REINING AUSTRALIA
# NON-PRO DECLARATION

*FOR OFFICE USE ONLY*

**APPLICANT MUST BE A CURRENT RA MEMBER or**
**RA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION AND MEMBERSHIP DUES MUST BE INCLUDED WITH THIS FORM.**

**Applicant Name (please print):**_____ **Member #:**_____

*This form must be completed prior to entering applicant's first RA Non-Pro or Rookie class (along with the $30 filing fee).* In the case of a youth, the legal custodian must complete the declaration. The Non-Pro Declaration and filing fee are waived for all Non-Pro members whose membership has not lapsed for more than one calendar year. Before submitting your application, please carefully read and answer the following statements, as well as read and sign the Non-Pro Code of Conduct and Ethics. **NOTE: If the following statements are not answered or it is not signed, your declaration will not be accepted and will be returned to you for completion. Non-Pro status will be null and void if it is determined that you do not qualify under RA Non-Pro conditions, as defined in the Rule Book.**

- Within the past 3 years, I have given lessons for remuneration. ❑ Yes ❑ No
- Within the past 3 years, I have shown, trained, or assisted in the training of a horse **not owned** by myself or an immediate family member for remuneration. ❑ Yes ❑ No
- Within the past 3 years, I have accepted payment of entry fees and/or expenses for a horse(s) that I have ridden that was **not owned** by myself or an immediate family member. ❑ Yes ❑ No
- I reside on, work for, am included in advertising, am publicly identified with, or derive monetary remuneration, directly or indirectly, from a horse training facility. ❑ Yes ❑ No

**If you answered "yes" to any of the above, please explain below with specific dates as to when you started and/or stopped any of the above. Please use a separate sheet of paper if necessary.**

A. Occupation _____

B. Relationship to operation of a horse training facility _____

C. Explanation of any statements answered "yes" above _____

## NON-PRO CODE OF CONDUCT & ETHICS

I, the undersigned, agree to act with the utmost of integrity while participating in the sport of Reining and RA events. I understand that an RA Non-Pro Card is a privilege and not a right, and that I may be required to submit my card for review of applicability at any time. Furthermore, I understand that so long as I hold a Non-Pro card, it is my responsibility to be aware of and abide by the most current Non-Pro Conditions. By signing this agreement, I specifically agree to:

- Understand and be bound by all by-laws and rules of RA
- Abide by the show conditions set forth at all RA approved shows.
- Act with honesty and transparency when purchasing horses as well as competing at events.
- Ensure the welfare of the reining horses I show and treat those horses humanely, and with dignity and compassion.
- Refrain from violating the Non-Pro Conditions as set forth.
- Represent the sport of Reining and the RA by refraining from any action that discredits the sport, the association, or the association's membership.
- Accept the decisions set forth by the RA Board of Directors.

**By signing below, I ACCEPT the rules and regulations relating to Non-Pro membership in the RA and affirm the truth of all statements above. I also affirm that I have read and agree to abide by the Non-Pro Code of Conduct and Ethics.**

Signature _____ Date _____

**No- Pro Declaration $30**

**You will be sent an invoice with payment details, please wait for invoice before making payment**

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