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## ATTESTATION FORM

FOR SPECIAL FORCES RAISED FOR SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA OR ABROAD

Army No. QX10622  
Surname BRENNAN (BLOCK CAPITALS) Other Names Robert Neville  
Unit \_\_\_\_\_  
Enlisted for service at Maryborough (Place)  
Qld (State) 29-6-40 (Date)

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Questions to be put to persons called out or presenting themselves for voluntary enlistment.\*

1. What is your name? { 1. Surname BRENNAN (BLOCK LETTERS)  
Other names Robert Neville
2. Where were you born? { 2. In or near the town of Wondai  
in the state or country of Qld
3. Are you a natural born or a naturalized British Subject? If the latter, papers are to be produced { 3. Natural Born
4. What is your age and date of birth? { 4. Age 24  
Date of Birth 31 July 1915
5. What is your trade or occupation? { 5. Laborer
6. Are you married, single or widower? { 6. Single
7. Have you previously served ~~as active service~~ If so, where and in what arm? { 7. No
8. Who is your actual next of kin? (Order of relationship:—wife, eldest son, eldest daughter, father, mother, eldest brother, eldest sister, eldest half-brother, eldest half-sister) { 8. Name W F Brennan  
Address 40 Fort St  
Maryborough  
Relationship WIFE  
Father
9. What is your permanent address? { 9. 40 Fort St  
Maryborough  
Qld
10. What is your religious denomination? (This question need not be answered if the man has a conscientious objection to doing so) { 10. R C

I, Robert Neville Brennan do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true and that I am willing to serve in the Australian Military Forces within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.

Witnessed by R S Williams (Signature of Attesting or Witnessing Officer) R N Brennan Signature.

\* The person will be warned that should he give false answers to any of these questions he will be liable to heavy penalties under the Defence Act.

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## MEDICAL EXAMINATION

I have made full and careful examination of the abovenamed person in accordance with the instructions contained in the Standing Orders for Australian Army Medical Services. In my opinion he is—\*

1. Fit for Class I.

2. ~~Temporarily unfit for Class I.~~

3. ~~Unfit for military service.~~

Place Maryborough Date 24/6/40  
Signature of Examining Medical Officer [Signature]

\* Classifications which are inapplicable to be struck out.

† Reasons for unfitness to be stated.

## OATH OF ENLISTMENT†

I, Robert Neville Brennan swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord, the King, in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia until the cessation of the present time of war and twelve months thereafter or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed, and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained, and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

So Help Me God.

Signature of Person Enlisted R. N. Brennan

Subscribed at Maryborough in the State of Queensland  
this 29<sup>th</sup> day of June 1940

Before me—

Signature of Attesting Officer [Signature]

† Persons who object to take an oath may make an affirmation in accordance with the Third Schedule of the Defence Act. In such case the above form will be amended accordingly and initialed by the Attesting Officer.

DISCHARGE

12.12.45  
(N) Lemab  
D/C 235547  
Atty. RAE RAE

PROCEEDINGS FOR DISCHARGE.

Compiled by Unit: *2/26 BATTALION*

Unit *2/26 BATTALION* Army No. *10622* Rank *Sgt*

Other Names *ROBERT NEVILLE* Surname *BRENNAN*

State in which discharge desired—*Q*

State in which member's home is situated—*Q*

PART B—Personal details—compiled by Unit:

1. Home address *40 FORT ST, MARYBOROUGH, Qld*

Date commenced F.T.D. *31/7/1915* Date of Birth *31/7/1915*

State whether:—  
Married, single, divorced, widow, or widower *Single*

No. of Dependents in respect of whom dependent's allowance is being paid—  
Under 16 yrs. *1* 16 yrs. & over *1*

2. Present Description of Soldier—  
Age *30* yrs. Height *5' 6"* Eyes *Blue* Complexion *Fair* Hair *Dark* Marks/Scars *Small left wrist*

Medical Cases Only  
AMR & O 233A(1)(d)  
Disability—*A1*

3. Operational Service—  
(a) Overseas area of service *Malaya* Entered from Aust. *31/7/1915* Disembarked in Aust. *31/7/1915*

(b) N.T. (North of Par. 142) Sea, Land or Torres Strait *Land* From *31/7/1915* To *31/7/1915*

Part B compiled by: *[Signature]* Date *31/7/1915*

PART C—Compiled by Ech. and Rec.:

4. Non-effective Service:\*

PART D—Compiled by Ech. & Rec.:

5. Details for Certificate of Discharge No. *238847*  
Unit (for discharge purposes) *2/26 BATTALION*  
Served on continuous Full Time War Service in the *R.F.* from *24/6/1915* to *18/12/1915*  
for a Total Effective Period\* of *199* days, which included  
Active Service in Australia *69* days and  
Active Service O/S Australia *130* days  
Decorations and Awards† during that Service:

War Badge *AMS* Class and No. *7 181496* Entered Badge Register *30/11*

Discharged from the *2/26 BATTALION* confirmed vide Schedule *18/12/15* and discharge on and from *1/1* to take effect

Place *Qld* Signature *[Signature]* Ech. and Rec. *[Signature]*

6. Details compiled by *[Signature]* Officer i/c *[Signature]*

A.A.F. A.101 written by *[Signature]* checked by *[Signature]*

Entered Discharge Certificate Register *[Signature]* Entered "Wills" Register *[Signature]*

A.A.F. A.131 obtained by *[Signature]* Register *[Signature]*

PART E—To be signed by Soldier on discharge:

7. I hereby acknowledge receipt of:  
(a) Certificate of Discharge No. *238847*  
(b) Army Form A.131 purporting to contain my Will  
(c) War Badge No. *7 181496*

Date *31/7/15* Signature of Soldier *[Signature]*

Place *Qld* Signature of Witness *[Signature]*

\* "Effective Period" means the period of service, less any consecutive 21 days or more for which the soldier was not entitled to pay.  
† Australia means the mainland of Australia and Tasmania.  
‡ Does not include War Medals.

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DETERMINATION OF DEMOBILIZATION PRIORITY

| DEMOB. INDICATOR |      |         |
|------------------|------|---------|
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A. ARMY NO. QX10622 RANK SGT UNIT 4/26 Bn  
SURNAME BRENNAN  
OTHER NAMES ROBERT NEVILLE  
Date of Commencement of Full Time War Service 31 Jul 1915 Age at commencement of Full Time War Service 22 years.

B. ASSESSMENT OF NORMAL PRIORITY.

1. Length of Service in months 48 X 2 (lowest) or X 1 (highest) 96  
2. Age at enlistment in years 22 X 2 (lowest) or X 1 (highest) 44  
3. Dependency Status (males only)—one point for each month of Service 0  
Total (Normal Priority) 140

4. Dependency Status (females only)—insert "A"  
5. Marriage (females only)—insert "B"  
6. Records and assessment checked.  
Date 27 Nov 45 Signature of Officer [Signature]  
7. I desire discharge in the State of [Signature]  
8. I intend to apply—  
\* (i) For service in the Permanent Military Forces.  
\* (ii) For service throughout the Demob. period.

C. DECISION OF COMMANDING OFFICER OR REPRESENTATIVE OF SERVICE ON FORMATION H.Q.1  
Signature [Signature] Date [Date]  
\*Not to be retained  
\*To be retained—(see instructions).

D. ALLOTMENT OF SPECIAL PRIORITY.  
Reason and Authority [Signature]  
Date [Date] Signature of Commanding Officer or Representative of Service [Signature]

INSTRUCTIONS.  
LENGTH OF SERVICE.—Months of service calculated from the date of commencement of full-time service to the date notified by L.H.Q.  
AGE AT ENLISTMENT.—Completed years of age at date of commencement of full-time war service.  
DEPENDANCY STATUS.—Accorded only to members on whose behalf an allowance is being paid by the Army for one or more dependants.  
MARRIAGE.—Claims by female members for discharge on account of marriage will not be recognised if such marriage has not been reported, and in consequence has not been entered in their personal records.  
PART C.—REASONS FOR RETENTION—to be inserted as appropriate  
(i) Member of Permanent Military Forces; (ii) Service throughout Demob. period—voluntary.  
(iii) Applicant for Permanent Military Forces; (iv) Services essential—Retained until  
\*Strike out where appropriate. Authority [Signature]

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|--------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
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| X036774     | WILLIAM H. MURRAY     | 60 JONES ST<br>CAIRNS 4870                | 27/08/92      | Q07580             |              | ARMY         |      |
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In reply please quote

CARO/ex QX 10622

25<sup>th</sup> September 1992

Mr K. Brennan

40 Fort Street

MARYBOROUGH QLD 4650

Dear Mr Brennan

1. I refer to your letter received at this office on 09 September 1992. Please note that replacement Discharge Certificates are only issued to an ex-member.

2. The information you requested is recorded at this office as follows:

a. NAME: Robert Neville Brennan

b. ARMY NUMBER: QX 10622

c. RANK: Corporal

d. SERVICE: Australian Imperial Force

e. UNIT: 2/26 Battalion

f. ENLISTED ON: 29 June 1940

g. DISCHARGED ON: 12 December 1945

h. OVERSEAS SERVICE: South West Pacific Area

i. AWARDS: 1939/45 Star, Pacific Star, War Medal & Australia Service Medal

3. This information is released pursuant to Australian Military Regulation 770.

Yours sincerely

M.L.A. DEVILLE

for Commanding Officer

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31- 8- 1992

Dear Sir,

Could you please forward to me at the above address a copy of the Discharge Certificate of my recently deceased brother Robert Neville Brennan. I have to have this copy to enable his ashes to be placed in the Wall of Remembrance as his original discharge papers have been lost and cannot be located. His Army number and Unit he is as follows.

ROBERT NEVILLE BRENNAN Ser. QX10622.  
2/26 BTN. AIF Lt. P.O.W.  
I am applying for these papers as his next of kin and my Army paper is as follows on page 2.

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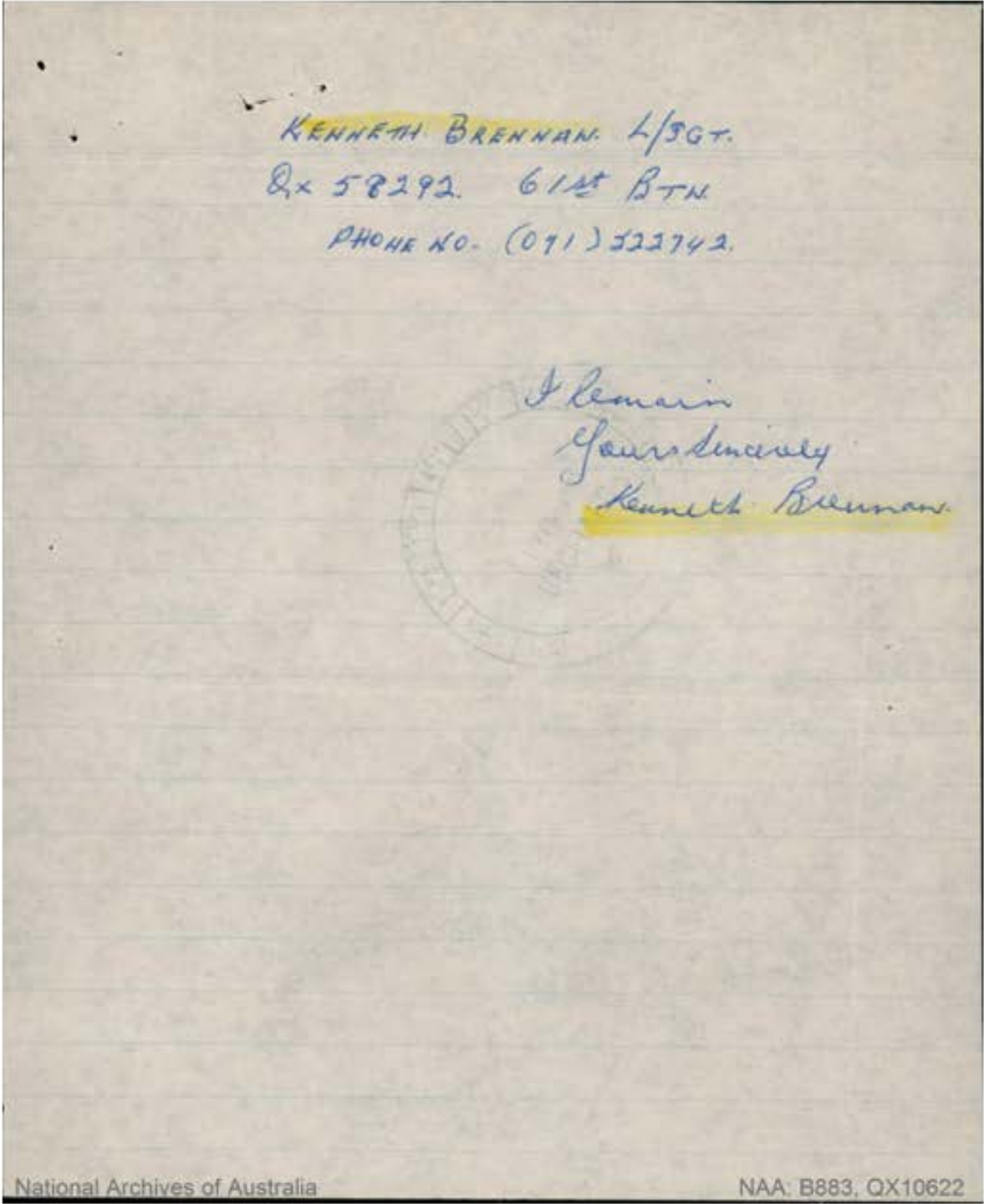
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(BLOCK CAPITALS)

Other Names.....*Robert Neville*

Personal or Army No.....*P\* 10622*

Rank.....*Private*

Unit.....*2/26 Bn 1*  
EMBKO NPLE HMT EE  
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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

A.A. Form A206.  
(Revised Nov., 1942.)

**ATTESTATION FORM.**  
FOR SPECIAL FORCES RAISED FOR SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA OR ABROAD.

A. Army No. **QX 501674**  
Surname **BRENNAN.** Other Names **ROBERT. NEVILLE**  
Unit \_\_\_\_\_  
Enlisted for service at **MARYBOROUGH.** (Place)  
**QUEENSLAND** (State) **11 June 1947** (Date)

B. Questions to be put to persons called out or presenting themselves for voluntary enlistment.\*

1. What is your name? **BRENNAN.**  
2. Where were you born? **WONDAI.**  
3. Are you a natural born or a naturalised British subject? If the latter, papers are to be produced. **N. B. B. S.**  
4. What is your age and date of birth? **31 years 3 months 31 JULY 1915**  
5. What is your trade or occupation? **LABOURER**  
6. Are you married, single, widower, widow or divorced? **MARRIED.**  
7. What are the ages of your children? \_\_\_\_\_  
8. Have you had any previous naval, military or air force service, peace or war, in Australia or elsewhere. If so, where and in what capacity? **QX 1622 SET. Unit 3/26 INF BN.**  
9. If discharged or dismissed from any such service, what was the reason? **NORMAL DISMIS. (G. POW.)**  
10. If now serving, give particulars. **MARY CATHERINE BRENNAN. 160 WATERWORKS ROAD. ASHCROVE. BRISBANE.**  
11. What is your permanent address? **40 FORT STREET. MARYBOROUGH. R. C.**  
12. What is your religious denomination? (Answer optional) **NO. P.A.B. AVERAGED 100% in military**  
13. Have you ever been convicted by a civil court? If so, for what offence? **NO.**  
14. Have you any of the following Educational Qualifications? If so, which?  
1. Certificate for Entry to Secondary School. **YES.**  
2. Intermediate. **YES.**  
3. Leaving. **YES.**  
4. Leaving Honours. **YES.**  
5. Technical. **YES.**  
6. University Degrees. **YES.**  
7. Other Diplomas. **YES.**

3. Robert Neville Brennan do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true and that I am willing to serve in the Australian Military Forces within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.

W. Anderson Sgt. R. A. Brennan

(Signature of Attesting Officer) (Signature)

\* The person will be warned that should he give false answers to any of these questions he will be liable to heavy penalties under the Defence Act.

C. **OATH OF ENLISTMENT†**  
3. Robert Neville Brennan swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord, the King, in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia until the cessation of the present time of war or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed or removed, and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained, and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

On Help Me God

Signature of Person Enlisted **R. A. Brennan**  
Subscribed at **Moorebank** in the State of **NSW**  
this **Thirteenth (13th)** day of **June** 19**47**  
Before me—  
Signature of Attesting Officer **W. Anderson**

† In the case of persons who object to take an oath the above form should be amended by deleting the word "swear" and inserting the words "solemnly and devoutly affirm and declare" and by deleting the words "on help me God."

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**DISCHARGED**

8.10.47  
(N) Enlistment Regular Army  
AAF200  
D/C 574527

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**PROCEEDINGS FOR DISCHARGE.** A.A.F. A. 102. (Introduced July, 1945)

**PART A—Compiled by Unit:**

Discharge Authority: 24447  
Reason for Discharge: AMR G O 253A(1) F  
State in which discharge desired—  
Normally State in which member's home is situated.

Unit: 1 Recruit Tg Bn Army No. QX501674 Rank: Pte  
Other Names: Robert Neville Surname: BRENNAN (Block Letters)

**PART B—Personal details—compiled by Unit:**

1. Home address: 160 Waterworks Road, Ashgrove, Brisbane  
Date commenced F.T.D. 13/1/47 Date of Birth 31/7/15  
State whether:—  
Married, single, divorced, widow, or widower: Married No. of Dependents in respect of whom dependant's allowance is being paid:—  
Under 16 yrs. 16 yrs. & over.

2. Present Description of Soldier:—  
Age 32 yrs. 5 months  
Height 5 ft 9 1/2 ins Eyes Blue  
Complexion Fair Hair Brown  
Marks/Scars Scar on left wrist  
Trade Group in which employed:—  
Degree of Disability:—  
Medical Cases Only AMR G O 253A(1) (d) Disability:—  
Part B compiled by:—  
Date:—  
(Officer's signature and rank)

**PART C—Compiled by Ech. and Rec.:**

4. Non-effective Service:—  
N/A

**PART D—Compiled by Ech. & Rec.:**

5. Details for Certificate of Discharge No. X574527  
Unit (for discharge purposes) 1 Recruit Tg Bn  
Served on continuous Full Time War Service in the A.I.F. from 13/6/47 to 8/10/47  
from 1/1 to 1/1  
for a Total Effective Period\* of 108 days, which included  
Active Service in Australia 18 days and  
Active Service O/S Australia N/A days  
Decorations and Awards during that Service: N/A

War Badge Class and No. Entered Badge Register  
Discharged from the A.I.F. and discharge confirmed vide Schedule No. to take effect on and from 8/10/47  
Place Sydney Signature:—  
Date: 9/1 Officer i/c Ech. and Rec.  
6. Details compiled by Wilson M  
A.A.F. A.101 written by checked by Hub  
Entered Discharge Certificate Register Hub  
Entered "Wills" Register  
A.A.F. A.131 obtained by

**PART E—To be signed by Soldier on discharge:**

7. I hereby acknowledge receipt of:  
(a) Certificate of Discharge No. X574527  
(b) Army Form A.131 purporting to contain my Will.  
(c) War Badge No. Hub  
Date:— Signature of Soldier:—  
Place:— Signature of Witness:—

\* "Effective Period" means the period of service, less any consecutive 21 days or more for which the soldier was not entitled to pay.  
† Australia means the mainland of Australia and Tasmania.  
‡ Does not include War Medals.

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DETERMINATION OF DEMOBILIZATION PRIORITY

| DEMOB. INDICATOR |  |
|------------------|--|
|                  |  |

A. ARMY NO. QX501674 RANK PM UNIT 1 Recruit Sig Bn  
SURNAME BRENNAN  
OTHER NAMES Robert Neville  
Date of Commencement of Full Time War Service 12.1.47 Age at commencement of Full Time War Service 32 years

B. ASSESSMENT OF NORMAL PRIORITY.

| Points                                                                |                       |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Length of Service in months X 2 (males) or X 1 (females)           |                       |
| 2. Age at enlistment in years X 2 (males) or X 3 (females)            |                       |
| 3. Dependency Status (males only)—one point for each month of Service |                       |
| Total (Normal Priority)                                               |                       |
| 4. Dependency Status (females only)—insert "A"                        |                       |
| 5. Marriage (females only)—insert "B"                                 |                       |
| 6. Records and assessment checked.                                    |                       |
| Date                                                                  | Signature of Officer. |
| 7. I desire discharge in the State of                                 |                       |
| 8. I intend to apply—                                                 | Date                  |
| * (i) For service in the Permanent Military Forces.                   |                       |
| * (ii) For service throughout the Demob. period.                      |                       |

C. DECISION OF COMMANDING OFFICER OR REPRESENTATIVE OF SERVICE ON FORMATION H.Q.

| Signature | Date |
|-----------|------|
|           |      |
|           |      |
|           |      |

D. ALLOTMENT OF SPECIAL PRIORITY.

| Reason and Authority | Signature of Commanding Officer or Representative of Service |
|----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Date                 |                                                              |

INSTRUCTIONS.

LENGTH OF SERVICE.—Months of service calculated from the date of commencement of full-time service to the date notified by L.H.Q.

AGE AT ENLISTMENT.—Completed years of age at date of commencement of full-time war service.

DEPENDENCY STATUS.—Accorded only to members on whose behalf an allowance is being paid by the Army for one or more dependants.

MARRIAGE.—Claims by female members for discharge on account of marriage will not be recognised if such marriage has not been reported, and in consequence has not been entered in their personal records.

PART C.—REASONS FOR RETENTION—to be inserted as appropriate.

(i) Member of Permanent Military Forces.

(ii) Applicant for Permanent Military Forces.

(iii) Service throughout Demob. period—voluntary.

(iv) Services essential—Retained until

\*Strike out where appropriate.

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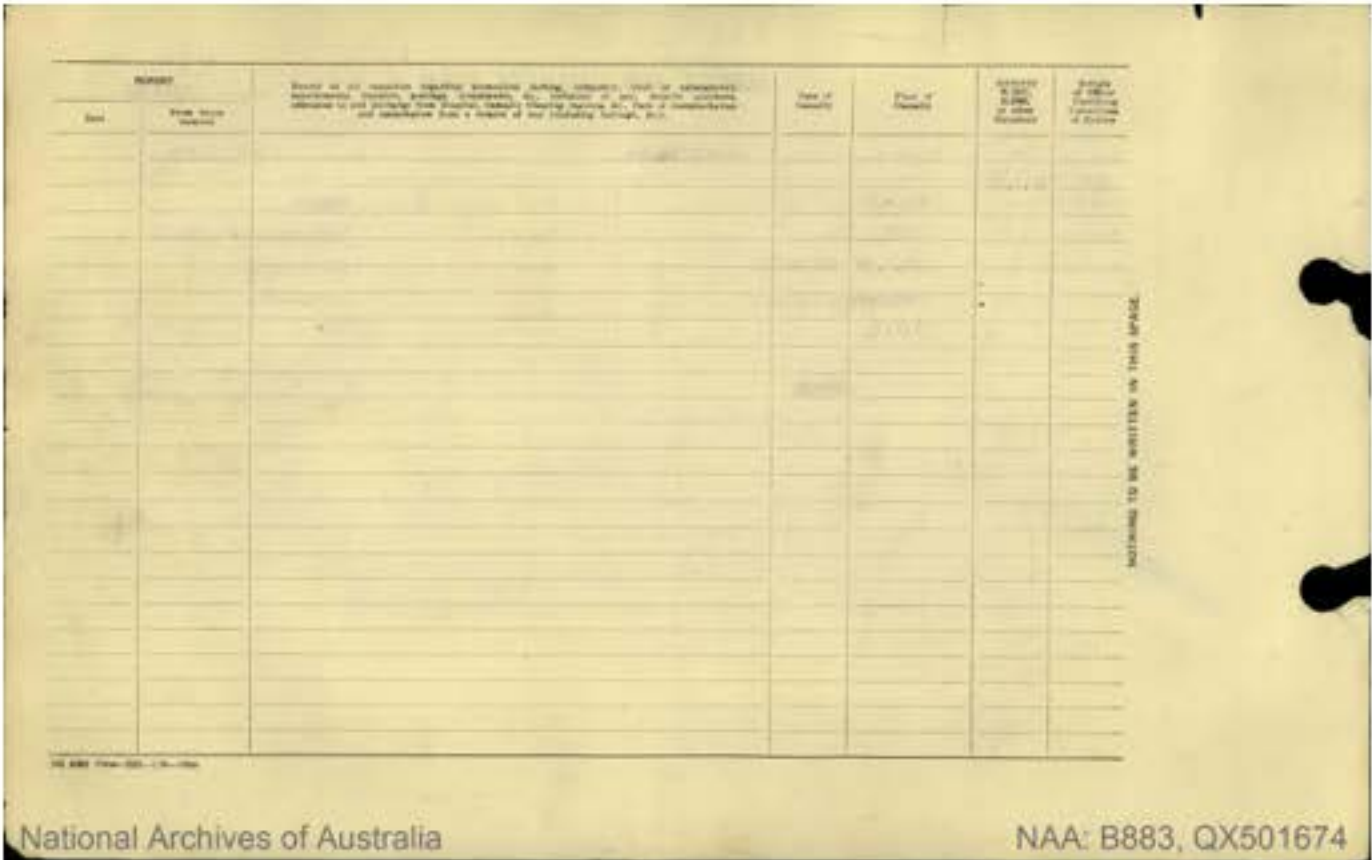
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N.S.W. ECHELON AND RECORDS. QP 30644

Receipt is acknowledged of the undermentioned in respect of my Service in the A.M.F.

1. Discharge Certificate No. 574827.  
2. Active Service Badge No.  
3. Army Form A.151 purporting to contain my Will.  
4. Advice re Malaya, etc.

..... R. A. Brennan .....

Ex. QX 501674. PTE BRENNAN R.N. ....

DATE 5.11.47 .....

WITNESS M. E. Welch .....

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