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## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Naturalization Act 1903.

 DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS  
 No. 07/6256

 Certificate  
 Issued this day.

Date 18/7/17

## APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.

1. Name in full. 1. I, Rudolph August Bernhard Burghard
2. Address and occupation. of 3 Darlington Parade Richmond
- hereby apply for a Certificate of Naturalization under the Naturalization Act 1903.
3. State "German subject" or "French citizen," &c., as case requires. 2. I am by birth a German subject
4. Country of previous residence. 3. I arrived in Australia from Germany (Hamburg) on the 10th day of August in the year 1885
5. Name of ship. per the Marsala and disembarked at the port of Melbourne
6. State places, and periods in each. 4. Since my arrival in Australia I have resided at Bentley (Victoria) 2 months, Beaufort (Victoria) 2 years, Carlton 2 years, 6 months, broken his 1880 4 months, Chilpie (Queensland) 8 months, Richmond (Victoria) 2 years, 10 months, Richmond (Victoria) 2 years, Richmond (Victoria) 2 years, Richmond (Victoria) 2 years
5. I have resided in Australia continuously for a period of two years immediately preceding the date of this Application.
6. I forward herewith a Statutory Declaration setting forth the particulars required by section 6, sub-section 1, paragraph (a) of the said Act.
7. State whether married or unmarried, and residence of wife. 7. I am married
8. State number. 8. I have four children one boy and three girls
9. State number of each sex, and where resident. resided at 3 Darlington Parade Richmond
9. I am not a naturalized subject or citizen of any other country.
- NOTE.—If the Applicant has taken out Naturalization Papers in any other country this statement should be amended accordingly.
10. State the name of the person, and whether he is a Justice of the Peace, Postmaster, Teacher of State School, or Officer of Police. 10. I forward also a certificate signed by J. H. Bennett JP to the effect that I am known to him, and am a person of good repute.
11. Signature of applicant. R. A. B. Burghard

Dated at Richmond the 29 190 7

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COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

Registration Act 1903

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION

CERTIFICATE

Referred to in paragraph 10 of annexed Application.

1. Full name.

I, *George Henry Bennett*

2. State whether a Justice of the Peace, Postmaster, Teacher of State School, or Officer of Police.

a. *JP*

residing at

*Richmond*

in the

State of *Victoria*

in the Commonwealth

3. Name of Applicant.

of Australia, do certify that *R A B Burghard*

an applicant for a Certificate of Naturalization under the *Naturalization Act* 1903, is known to me, and is a person of good repute.

4. Signature.

*George Henry Bennett*



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Received from the Secretary to the Department of External Affairs  
Certificate of Naturalization No. 4945

Signature Rudolph T. B. Burghard

Date July 13<sup>th</sup> 1907  
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## COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

NATURALIZATION ACT 1903.

## OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.

I, <sup>1</sup> *Rudolph August Bernhard Brughard* swear

that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King Edward VII.

His heirs and successors according to law. So HELP ME GOD!

Signature *R. A. B. Brughard*

## CERTIFICATE.

I, <sup>1</sup> *John Kergh*  
<sup>2</sup> *Police Magistrate*  
do hereby certify that on the *29<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 19*07*  
<sup>3</sup> *Rudolph August Bernhard Brughard*  
<sup>4</sup> *Richmond* in the State of *Victoria*  
<sup>5</sup> *Philosophy* an applicant for a

Certificate of Naturalization appeared before me and took the Oath of Allegiance in  
the above form.

Signature *John Kergh*



VICTORIA.

STATUTORY DECLARATION.

REFERRED TO IN PARAGRAPH 6 OF ANNEXED APPLICATION.

1. Name in full. I Rudolph August Bernhard Burghard do solemnly and sincerely declare that—
1. My name is Rudolph August Bernhard Burghard
2. My age is 51 years, and I was born on the seventeenth day of August in the year 1856 at Hamburg
2. Name of city, town, or locality.
3. County, state, department, province, or as the case may be. in the Republic Hamburg in the Country of Germany
3. My occupation is that of Gentleman
4. Full address. 4. My place of residence is 3 Darlington Parade Richmond in the State of Victoria in the Commonwealth of Australia.
5. I have been resident in Australia for 22 years.
6. I intend to settle in the Commonwealth.

I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the Parliament of Victoria rendering persons making false declarations punishable for wilful and corrupt perjury.

Made and declared before me at

Richmond  
this 29 day of  
June 1907  
John Bump J.P.

R. A. B. Burghard