

ATTESTATION FORM R.O. 181/41/38A

FOR SPECIAL FORCES RAISED FOR SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA OR ABROAD.

M.F.

RECUITING OFFICER approved Area 7C. awarded 5/11/41

Army No. X61202

Surname HUTCHINS (BLOCK CAPITALS)

Other Names David Arthur

Unit GENERAL REINFORCEMENTS A.I.F.

Enlisted for service at Swan Hill

(Place)

Victoria

(State)

26-7-41

(Date)

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

- 1. What is your name? HUTCHINS. (BLOCK CAPITALS)
2. Where were you born? Lake Boga, Victoria
3. Are you a natural born or a naturalized British Subject? If the latter, papers are to be produced British Subject.
4. What is your age and date of birth? 28 yrs 4 mths Date of Birth 2-3-13.
5. What is your trade or occupation? Labourer
6. Are you married, single or widower? Married.
7. Give details of previous Military Service OTHER MILITARY SERVICE none.
8. If now serving, give particulars
9. 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.) Mrs Anne Hutchins, Noorinen North, wife deceased 17-10-41
10. What is your permanent address? Mrs A. BARNES SWAN HILL
11. What is your religious denomination? (Answer optional.) C. of E.
12. Have you ever been convicted by a civil court? No.
13. Have you any of the following Educational Qualifications? If so, which? Certificate for Entry to Secondary School, Intermediate, Leaving, Leaving Honours, Technical, University Degrees, Other Diplomas

b. call 11.44

I, David Arthur Hutchins 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 [Signature] [Signature] (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.

B MEDICAL EXAMINATION I certify the above-named person to be fit for Class T T [Signature] (Signature)

C OATH OF ENLISTMENT I, David Arthur Hutchins 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 D A Hutchins Subscribed at Swan Hill in the State of Victoria this 26th day of August 1941 Before me [Signature] (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.

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DECEASED

DATE *29.7.45*

PLACE *Arbon*

NATURE OF DEATH *Bei' Bei'*

J. Thomas
for Lieut. Col.
Officer in Charge
Victoria Echelon and Records.





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I CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE COPY OF THE ORIGINAL OF WHICH IT PURPORTS TO BE A COPY, AND THAT I AM THE OFFICER HAVING THE CUSTODY OF THE ORIGINAL.

SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM

Army No. **VX.61202.**

W.D. Nicholson
Officer-in-Charge District Records
Rank *Lt*
Southern Command (3 M.)

PXe

Christian Names **David Arthur.**

Unit *2/21 Bn.*

Surname **HUTCHINS**
(Block Capitals)

Date of Enlistment **6.8.41.**
Place **Royal Park.**
Date of Birth **2.3.13.**
Place of Birth **Lake Boga, Vic.**
Trade or Occupation **Laborer.**
Religion **C. of E.**

Marital Condition **Married.**
Next of Kin **Mrs. Anne Hutchins**
Address of Next of Kin **Woorinen North.**
Swan Hill
Relationship **(WIFE).** *Sister in Law*

Medical Classification **Class I.**
~~CLASS II~~
(On Enlistment)

Identification — Colour of Hair _____ Eyes _____
Distinctive Marks _____

NOTHING TO BE WRITTEN IN THIS SPACE.

REPORT		Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, &c., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, &c. Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, &c.).	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority W.3011, B.2069, or other Document	Signature of Officer Certifying Correctness of Entries
Date	From whom received					
6.8.41	OCRRD.	Taken on strength R.R.D.	6.8.41	ROYAL R. PARK.	R.O. 181 / 41/38A	<i>cc</i>
25.8.41	"	Leave w/o pay 11.8.41 to 23.8.41	11.8.41	"	458/41 R.O. 199/41/38A	<i>cc</i>
25.8.41	"	Returned from leave w/o pay 24.8.41	24.8.41	"	458/41 R.O. 200/41/38A	<i>cc</i>
30.8.41	"	Transferred to 6th Inf. Bn	29.8.41	"	458/41 R.O. 204/41/38A	<i>cc</i>
28.8.41	6th Bn	dis from R.R.D.	30.8.41	Darby	406 R.O. 112/41/333	<i>cc</i>
21.9.41	C. Coy Bn	Transferred out to 2/21 Bn.	1.10.41	Melb	A. 206	<i>cc</i>
13.10.41	2/21 Bn	Marched in TMD and taken on strength	10.10.41	Darwin	W3011 66 2/7 R.O. 19/41	<i>cc</i>
17.11.41	11904H	admitted 11904H (dengue) posted to X list	17.11.41	"	W3034/272 R.O. 19/41	<i>cc</i>
25.11.41	"	Discharged " struck off X list	25.11.41	"	W3034/281 R.O. 14/41	<i>cc</i>
13.12.41	2/21	Embarked for service overseas	13.12.41	-	A 206 R.O. 15/41	<i>cc</i>
11.5.42	S.H.P. 28th	Disembarked	17.12.41	Ambon	10/825.	<i>cc</i>
20.4.42	"	Missing	2.2.42.	"	2/874	<i>cc</i>

CASUALTY FORM

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Date	From whom received					
1.6.42	LH9 26ch	PRISONER of WAR	17.2.42	Ambon	23/279	M.B.
13.9.45	MHPW-PA	Died of illness Beri Beri whilst P.O.	12/46 29.7.45	Ambon	cas 3304	H.C.

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HUTCHINS D.A. No. VX61202

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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ATLANTIC STAR	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	FRANCE & G. STAR	
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1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DEFENCE MEDAL	
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WAR MEDAL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A.S.M.	
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Recorder *[Signature]*
 Checker
AWARDS WITHHELD
 Serials:
 REASON:
 AUTHORITY:
 Packer
 Despatcher *[Signature]*

TO WHOM DESPATCHED *[Signature]*
 Reg'd Parcel No. DATE 13-2-50

RECEIPT
 Sig. *[Signature]* 17-12-51
 DATE