Documents We Cannot Notarize In-Store/Online at Staples

The following documents cannot be notarized in-store/online via video call. These require in-person notarization according to current provincial and federal legislation:



Last Will & Testament

Must be physically signed. Book our "Last Will & Testament" virtual witnessing service.



Document of Title

Includes bills of sale and deeds related to property. *Note*: Bills of sale for "items" are acceptable for remote online notarization.



Power of Attorney

Must be physically signed. Book our "Power of Attorney" virtual witnessing service.



Certified True Copies

Includes: Identification Documents (IDs), Passports, Death, Birth, Marriage, or Divorce Certificates or Physical paper certificates



Trusts

Includes Testamentary Trusts.



Statutory Declaration in Lieu of Guarantor

Required for passport applications. Note: Most statutory declarations can be signed online except for this type.



Negotiable Instruments

Includes cheques, promissory notes, loan agreements, etc.



Affidavit of Execution

Applies to Wills or Powers of Attorney.



Payment Bonds or Letter of Credit

Require physical notarization to meet legal and financial compliance standards. These documents often serve as binding financial instruments, necessitating inperson verification.



Single Status Affidavit

Often required for international purposes, such as marriage abroad. These affidavits must be notarized in person to meet the legal requirements of the requesting country or agency.



If you have one of these documents, our support team can help you book an appointment at one of our +300 locations.

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