

**DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE**  
**BY ANDREW TICKLE**  
**TO THE BOARD MEMBERS OF THE ROYAL SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF**  
**CRUELTY TO ANIMALS (SOUTH AUSTRALIA) INCORPORATED**

As lead auditor of The Royal Society For the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (South Australia) Incorporated for the year ended 30 June 2022, I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

1. No contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of section 60-40 of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profit Commission Act 2012* in relation to the audit; and
2. No contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.



Andrew Tickle  
Director

**BDO Audit Pty Ltd**

Adelaide, 2 September 2022