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## D U T Y   S T A T E M E N T

<b>TITLE OF POSITION</b>	Branch Leader – Vertical - Canyoning
<b>REPORTS TO</b>	Branch Adviser Vertical
<b>DIRECT REPORTS</b>	Nil
<b>LIAISES WITH</b>	Leaders Youth Members Adventurous Activities Guides – Canyoning
<b>DELEGATIONS</b>	Nil
<b>MEASUREMENTS</b>	Nil
<b>PURPOSE</b>	This is a secondary appointment to assist the Branch Adviser Vertical and to act as a Champion for this discipline.

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<b>PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Support the Branch Adviser in promoting this discipline withing Scouts Queensland.</li><li>• Provide information to leaders and youth on this discipline and how it aligns with the Youth Program.</li><li>• Work with relevant guides to ensure that they are promoting and assisting with the running in this discipline.</li><li>• Organise activities in this discipline to support skill development.</li><li>• Assist the Branch Adviser with the review and provide updates to the relevant sections of Queensland Branch Scouting Instructions (QBSI).</li></ul>
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<b>CRITERIA</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A personal commitment to the Aim and Principles of Scouts Australia, and an ability to convey a positive and constructive image of Scouting and reinforce the fundamental importance of the Scout Promise and Law.</li><li>• Have a sound knowledge and strong commitment to the purpose of Scouting, its policies and procedures and have a clear understanding of the methods which make it distinctive from other youth organisations.</li><li>• Be enthusiastic and able to motivate, build, lead, and mentor teams among both youth and adults.</li><li>• Be inclusive in leadership style.</li></ul>
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- Be respectful of all members of their team (and of those in the wider community) recognising individual differences as a resource.
  - Be able to communicate effectively with all levels in Scouting.
  - Have a sound understanding of the use of technology, information systems, communications and video conferencing to achieve the outcomes of the role.
  - Knowledge and commitment that when participating or leading an activity any safety concerns or risks are identified, raised and appropriate immediate action is taken.
  - Have a sound understanding of Child Safety in accordance with Qld. Branch Policies, Principles, Standards and Procedures.
  - Proven ability to prioritise workloads and multitask to ensure commitments are completed in a timely manner.

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**ROLE SPECIFIC CRITERIA**

- Have a good working knowledge of this discipline
  - Hold a Wood Badge
  - Hold a Guide Appointment in this discipline
  - This role is for a maximum period of 3 years
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