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CERTIFICATE OF NON-IMPEDIMENT TO MARRIAGE

Certain European countries, e.g. France or The Netherlands, stipulate that foreigners desirous of marrying in these countries must produce a recent (usually within six (6) months of application) Certificate of Non-Impediment to Marriage from their countries of origin.

This document confirms that there is no objection to the proposed marriage on the basis that the applicant is not in an existing marriage.

Guyanese requiring such documents must submit the following to **The Ministry of Foreign Affairs** in Guyana

Address: **South Road & Shiv Chanderpaul Drive, Georgetown, Guyana.**

Telephone: **00 592 226 1607/8/9.**

Email: minfor@guyana.net.gy

Requirements include:

a) Affidavit to be sworn before a Guyana Diplomatic or Consular Representative.

In countries where there is no Guyana representation, the affidavit should be sworn before a Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, Commissioner of Oaths and Affidavits or Notary Public (See specimen attached).

b) Completed Questionnaire

c) Copy of birth certificate

d) Copy of divorce decree (if relevant)

e) Copy of death certificate of spouse (if relevant)

f) Fee as determined by Ministry of Foreign Affairs

March 2019

(Specimen)

AFFIDAVIT

I, *(insert full name and address)* being duly sworn make oath and say as follows:

1. That I am a Citizen of the Republic of Guyana by birth on *(insert date of birth)*.
2. That my father's full name is *(insert name)* and my mother's name is *(insert name)*.
3. That I emigrated from Guyana on *(insert date)* on Passport number *(insert number)* issued at *(place of issue and country)*.
4. *That I have never been married / That I was married, but was granted a divorce on *(insert date)*/ That I am a widower, my late spouse having died on *(insert date)* in *(place of death)*.
5. That I intend to contract a marriage with *(insert name)*, an unmarried Citizen of *(insert name of country)*, whose present address is *(insert present address)*.
6. That the said marriage will take place on *insert date of proposed marriage*).

7. That I know of no impediment to the celebration of this marriage.

..... **SIGNATURE**

Sworn to at

On this day of

..... **BEFORE ME**

*Choose whichever statement is applicable.