

## REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A MARRIAGE LICENSE FOR THE SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGE AT THE EMBASSY

Civil registry documents such as birth, marriage and death certificates coming from the Philippines must be issued on Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) security paper and authenticated by the Department of Foreign Affairs

The Philippine Embassy reserves the right to require the submission of additional supporting documents when necessary.

### REQUIREMENTS

1. Both parties/applicants must be Philippine citizens
2. Personal appearance of both applicants
3. Accomplished Application Form
4. Applicant's valid Passport-original plus photocopy
5. Applicants' Birth Certificate issued on PSA security paper and duly authenticated by the DFA plus photocopy
6. One photo each of the applicants (*photo size: 4.5 cm x 3.5 cm*)
7. Requirement for the following types of applicants:

**SINGLE** - PSA Certificate of No Record of Marriage (CENOMAR) authenticated by the DFA plus photocopy. The CENOMAR must not be more than 6 month old.

**WIDOWED**- authenticated Death Certificate of spouse, Marriage Contract (to the deceased spouse), and Report of Death (only if the deceased spouse was a Philippine citizens who died abroad) plus one photocopy each.

**APPLICANT WHOSE PREVIOUS MARRIAGE WAS ANNULLED IN THE PHILIPPINES**-Court Decree of Annulment (with a Certificate of Finality) authenticated by the DFA, and Authenticated Marriage Contract (to the former spouse) bearing the annotation of annulment plus one photocopy each

8. Requirement for applicant **DIVORCED BY PREVIOUS FOREIGN SPOUSE**, and applicant whose previous marriage was **ANNULLED IN UNITED KINGDOM**: Pursuant to a decision of the Supreme Court of the Philippines, you must first of all: (1) have your foreign divorce or annulment juridically confirmed by a Regional Trial Court (RTC) in the Philippines, (2) register the RTC confirmation/decision with the PSA-Local Civil -Registry Office of the city/municipality where the RTC is functioning, and (3) secure from the PSA a copy OF YOUR Marriage Contract/ Report of Marriage (to the former spouse) bearing the annotation of divorce or annulment, as the case may be. Only after this process is completed can apply for a Marriage License from the Consulate General. The Requirements are:

**APPLICANT DIVORCED BY PREVIOUS FOREIGN SPOUSE**-Court Decree of Divorce and Marriage Contract/ Report of Marriage (to former spouse) bearing the annotation of divorce printed on PSA security paper and duly authenticated by the DFA plus one photocopy each.

**APPLICANT WHOSE PREVIOUS MARRIAGE WAS ANNULLED IN UNITED KINGDOM**- Court Decree of Annulment and Marriage Contract/ Report of Marriage (to the former spouse) bearing the annotation of annulment printed on PSA security paper and duly authenticated by the DFA plus one photocopy each

### ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT FOR APPLICANTS BETWEEN 18-20 YEARS OLD

1. Affidavit of Parental Consent
2. Certificate of having undergone Marriage Counselling

### ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT FOR APPLICANTS BETWEEN 21-25 YEARS OLD

1. Sworn Statement that parental advise was sought
2. Certificate of having undergone Marriage Counselling

Embassy of the Philippines)  
Consular Section ) S.S.  
London, United Kingdom )

### AFFIDAVIT OF PARENTAL ADVICE

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Filipino, of legal age with Philippine

address at \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS IN THE PHILIPPINES

and with overseas address at \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS OVERSEAS

\_\_\_\_\_ ; after having been duly sworn to in  
accordance with law, do hereby depose and say:

That I am the parent of \_\_\_\_\_ who was born on  
\_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, Philippines;

That my said son is intending to enter marriage with a Filipino Citizen by the name  
of \_\_\_\_\_, presently residing \_\_\_\_\_,  
Philippines;

That parental advice is being sought by my said son to marry \_\_\_\_\_  
And for this purpose; I hereby giving our advice favorable and have no objection to his  
marriage;

The parental advice has been given to him favorably for the reason that he is still single, has  
all the qualifications to marry and without legal impediment.

That this affidavit is executed to attest to the truth of the foregoing fact and for whatever  
purposes this may serve.

#### FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my signature this \_\_\_\_\_ day of  
\_\_\_\_\_ at the Philippine Embassy, London, United Kingdom.

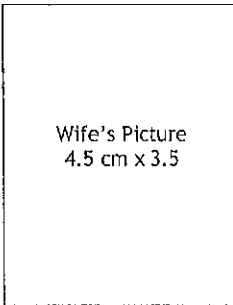
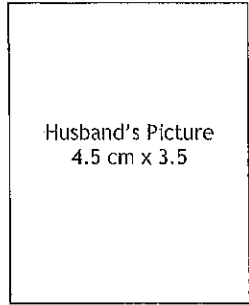
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SIGNATURE OF AFFIANT

**SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN** to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ at the  
Philippine Embassy, London United Kingdom, affiant exhibiting his/her Philippine passport  
\_\_\_\_\_ issued on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_  
PASSPORT NO. DATE OF ISSUE PLACE OF ISSUE

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**APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE LICENSE  
IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 10  
OF THE FAMILY CODE OF  
THE PHILIPPINE**

(To be solemnized at the Embassy)



**Name of Contracting Party** : \_\_\_\_\_  
 a) Age : \_\_\_\_\_ Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 b) Date of Birth : \_\_\_\_\_  
 c) Place of Birth : \_\_\_\_\_  
 d) Religion : \_\_\_\_\_  
 e) Civil Status : \_\_\_\_\_ (Single, Divorced, Widowed or Annulled)

- If previously married, present judicial decree of divorced or annulment or dissolution of marriage
- A widow may not contract another marriage within 301 days from the date of death of her husband or before having delivered if she shall have been pregnant at the time of his death.
- Death certificate of the deceased husband or wife must be presented or Affidavit setting forth circumstances of actual civil status and name and date of deceased spouse may be executed instead.

f) Citizenship : Filipino  
 g) Philippine Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
 h) Overseas Address : \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Father** : \_\_\_\_\_  
 a) Citizenship : \_\_\_\_\_  
 b) Residence : \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Mother** : \_\_\_\_\_  
 a) Citizenship : \_\_\_\_\_  
 b) Residence : \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Guardian** : \_\_\_\_\_  
 a) Citizenship : \_\_\_\_\_  
 b) Residence : \_\_\_\_\_

**Consent Given By** : \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Guardian)  
 (In case either or both of the contracting parties not having been emancipated by a previous marriage are between the ages of 18 & 21).

**Advice Given By** : \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Guardian)  
 (In case any of the contracting party is between the age of 21 & 25 and not previously married).

Note: In case where parental consent or advice is required, the contracting party shall submit a Certificate of Marriage Counseling from a priest or Imam or minister or marriage counselor accredited by host government.

**Name of the other Contracting Party** : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Degree of Family Relationship by consanguinity or affinity : \_\_\_\_\_

I solemnly swear that to the best of my knowledge the statement made in this application prepared by me personally or under my personal direction, are true and correct, and that there is no legal impediment for me to contract this marriage.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Applicant

**SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN** to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in London, United Kingdom. Applicant exhibiting to me his/her Philippine Passport No. \_\_\_\_\_ issued on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

Doc. No. : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Service No. : \_\_\_\_\_  
 O.R. No. : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Amt. Paid : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date : \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Approving Officer