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STATEMENT OF A PARTY TO A MARRIAGE/CIVIL PARTNERSHIP WHERE ONE OR BOTH ARE SUBJECT TO IMMIGRATION CONTROL

A person who is not a British or Irish citizen, or a person with leave granted under the EU Settlement Scheme (EUSS) or a decision pending on an application for EUSS leave submitted before 1 July 2021 must provide the registrar with information regarding their immigration status in the United Kingdom, and evidence to support that information. **The registrar will be unable to accept your notice form unless the appropriate statement is properly completed, and submitted with the notice form.** Please see the notes section for advice.

You must complete only one of the following Statements; A, B or C – please complete the one that applies to you.

You should be aware that if you do not have appropriate immigration status, the relevant visa for a marriage/civil partnership in the United Kingdom or provide the required evidence to support your statement, your proposed marriage or civil partnership will be referred to the Home Office for investigation.

Name			
Date of birth			
Address Country PostCode.....		
Nationality			
Date of proposed Marriage/civil partnership		Place of proposed Marriage/civil partnership	

STATEMENT A

I have the appropriate immigration status as specified in s49 of the Immigration Act 2014:

- (a) Exemption from immigration control, or
- (b) Settled status in the UK

If you select this statement you must provide details of the evidence submitted with your notice to show you have this status or reason for not providing the evidence

Evidence of appropriate immigration status provided:

I hereby declare that the information provided on this declaration form is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief:

Signature..... Date



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STATEMENT B

I have the relevant visa (marriage/civil partnership visit visa or a fiancé/proposed civil partner visa) for the purpose of enabling me to marry/form a civil partnership in the United Kingdom. *If you select this statement you must provide details of the evidence submitted with your notice to show you have this visa or have applied for this visa– see below.if you do not have this evidence, please state why.*

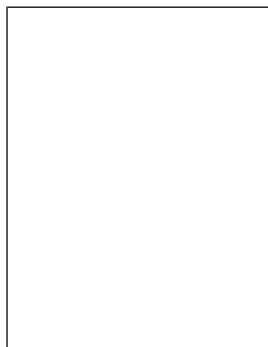
Evidence that you hold a marriage/civil partnership visit visa or a fiancé/proposed civil partner visa provided:

If you have applied for a marriage/civil partnership visit visa or a fiancé/proposed civil partner visa but the application has not yet been decided please provide details of when your application was made and the visa post or application centre where it was submitted.

Date of application

Visa post or application centre

You must also provide a photograph of each party (see notes)



APPLICANT



OTHER PARTY

I hereby declare that the information provided on this declaration form is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief:

I declare that the attached photographs have been taken within the past year.

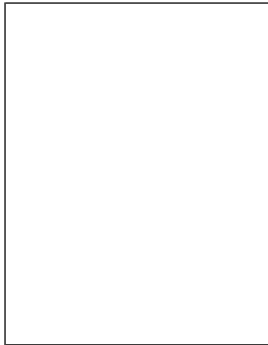
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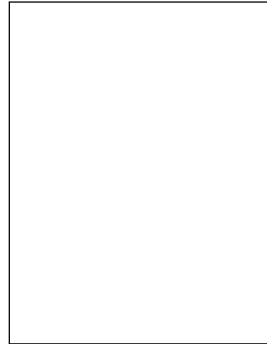
STATEMENT C

I have neither the appropriate immigration status nor hold a relevant visa for the purpose of marriage/forming a civil partnership in the United Kingdom
If you select this statement please give details of your immigration position below. You must also provide details of any former names or aliases that you or the other party have been known by – see below.

You must also provide a photograph of each party (see notes)



APPLICANT



OTHER PARTY

If you completed Statement C please provide details of your immigration position in the United Kingdom:

If you completed Statement C, you should list in full any former names or aliases you or the other party have been known by:

You	Other party
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.....
.....

I hereby declare that the information provided on this declaration form is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief:

I declare that the attached photographs have been taken within the past year.

Signature..... Date



Notes – Immigration Status

(A) You must provide certified evidence of your immigration status such as;

- (a) Certificate of Entitlement to Right of Abode;
- (b) Your passport with valid Indefinite Leave to Remain vignette.

Note – this is not an exhaustive list – if you are unsure about your status you should contact the Home Office at <https://www.gov.uk/browse/visas-immigration>

(B) If you are coming to Northern Ireland from outside the UK and are not British or Irish, or a person with EUSS leave or a decision pending on an application for EUSS leave submitted before 1 July 2021 and you are subject to immigration control, you must apply for a visa to get married or form a civil partnership at <https://www.gov.uk/apply-uk-visa>

If you selected Statement B you must provide a certified copy of your passport showing that you hold a relevant visa. If your visa application has not yet been decided, you must provide details of your application.

(C) If you do not have the appropriate immigration status or a relevant visa, you must provide a statement that you do not hold this status or a relevant visa. You can provide a statement and details of your current immigration position e.g. visitor visa, student visa etc. where requested on the form

Photograph

If you have completed Statement B or C, you must provide a UK passport style and size photograph which has been taken no more than one year before the date on which you give notice. Advice on passport style photographs may be found at <https://www.gov.uk/photos-for-passports>

Evidence of Usual Address

If you have completed Statement C, you and your partner must provide details of your usual address and your notice form must be accompanied by evidence of you and your partner's usual address. This evidence can include **one of the following**;

- (a) A utility bill (dated within 3 months of the date of notice);
- (b) A bank or building society statement or passbook (dated within one month of the date of notice);
- (c) A council tax bill or rates bill dated within 12 months of the date of notice;
- (d) A current residential tenancy agreement;
- (e) A mortgage statement dated within 12 months of the date of notice;
- (f) a letter from the owner or proprietor ("P") of the address which confirms that you live at the address, states that person's name and address and that they are the owner or proprietor of the address, and is signed and dated by them.
- (g) A valid driving licence granted under part 3 of the Road Traffic Act 1988 or the Road Traffic (Northern Ireland) Order 1981 – this includes a provisional licence, a counterpart Community licence and a British external licence.

The GRO are committed to protecting your privacy when you use our services

The General Register Office privacy notice may be found at – <https://www.finance-ni.gov.uk/publications/nisra-privacy-notices>

If your completed form is sent to the Home Office Immigration Referral Unit they become a Data Controller under the data protection legislation. The Home Office privacy notices may be found at - <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/personal-information-use-in-borders-immigration-and-citizenship>