

APPLICATION FOR ADOPTION ORDER

PART 1 – SECTION A

(To be completed where the application is being made by two persons jointly)

We, the undersigned, being a couple living together, desire to adopt the child named or described in this application form. We understand that if an Adoption Order is granted to us in respect of the child, we shall be fully responsible for the child's upbringing and we voluntarily undertake to discharge that responsibility in so far as we are able. We have not received or made, or agreed to receive or make, any payment whatsoever in consideration of the adoption of this child.*

Applicant #1 name in block capitals: _____

Signature: _____

Applicant #2 name in block capitals: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

* Payments made or received in respect of the child's maintenance, or solicitors' remuneration for professional services are not referred to here.

PART 1 – SECTION B

(To be completed where the application is being made by one person)

I, the undersigned person, desire to adopt the child named or described in this application form. I understand that if an Adoption Order is granted to me in respect of the child, I shall be responsible for the child's upbringing and I voluntarily undertake to discharge that responsibility in so far as I am able. I have not received or made, or agreed to receive or make, any payment whatsoever in consideration of the adoption of this child. * *

Applicant's name in block capitals: _____

Applicant's Signature: _____

Date: _____

** Payments made or received in respect of the child's maintenance, or solicitors' remuneration for professional services, are not referred to here.

PART 2 – SECTION A – APPLICANT #1
(To be completed in **BLOCK LETTERS**)

1. Name: _____ Surname: _____
2. Date of Birth: Day _____ Month _____ Year _____
3. Place of Birth: _____ Country _____
4. P.P.S. No. _____
5. Address: _____

6. Contact telephone no. Home: _____ Work: _____ Mobile: _____
7. Occupation: _____
8. Are you habitually resident in the State and, if so, since when? **Yes** **No**
If 'yes', please give the following information: Day _____ Month _____ Year _____
9. Religious denomination: _____
10. Relationship (if any) to the child: _____
11. Relationship (if any) to Applicant #2, (if applicable) _____
12. Relationship (if any) to child's parent, (if applicable) _____

PART 2 – SECTION B – APPLICANT #2
(If applicable. To be completed in **BLOCK LETTERS**)

13. Name: _____ Surname: _____
14. Date of Birth: Day _____ Month _____ Year _____
15. Place of Birth: _____ Country _____
16. P.P.S. No. _____
17. Address: _____

18. Contact telephone no. Home: _____ Work: _____ Mobile: _____
19. Occupation: _____
20. Are you habitually resident in the State and, if so, since when? **Yes** **No**
If 'yes', please give the following information: Day _____ Month _____ Year _____
21. Religious denomination: _____
22. Relationship (if any) to the child: _____
23. Relationship (if any) to Applicant #1: _____

PART 2 – SECTION C – CATEGORY OF ADOPTER(S)
(To be completed in **BLOCK LETTERS**)

24. What category of adopter(s) are you? (Select ONE)

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Step parent | <input type="checkbox"/> Married couple, living together |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sole applicant #1 | <input type="checkbox"/> Civil partnered, living together |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sole Applicant #2 | <input type="checkbox"/> Two co-habitants |

Sole Applicant #1 is married, in a civil partnership or co-habiting but is adopting as a sole applicant.

Sole Applicant #2 is not married, in a civil partnership or co-habiting.

25. If either applicant was married or in a civil partnership previously, please provide full details here.

Details should include names, date of marriage/civil partnership, date of divorce/annulment, details of separation, date of death of spouse / civil partner etc.

PART 2 – SECTION D
(To be completed in **BLOCK LETTERS**)

26. (a) Have you previously applied for a Declaration of Eligibility and Suitability from the Adoption Authority of Ireland? **Yes** **No**

If **yes**, please give the following details:

Reference No.: _____

Date of Issue: Day _____ Month _____ Year _____

Date of Expiry: Day _____ Month _____ Year _____

(b) Has there been any material (i.e. significant or important) change in your circumstances since the issue of the Declaration of Eligibility and Suitability? **Yes** **No**

If **yes**, please give details: _____

27. Have you previously applied for an adoption order in respect of this or any other child? **Yes** **No**

If **yes**, please state the result: _____

PART 2 – SECTION E

(To be completed in BLOCK LETTERS)

(The particulars given in this section should be those in respect the child of to which this application refers)

28. (a) Forename(s) of child to whom this application refers _____

(b) Surname of child (as on birth certificate/deed poll) _____

29. Date of Birth: Day _____ Month _____ Year _____

30. Place of Birth: _____ Country _____

31. P.P.S. No. _____

32. Sex of child: **Male** **Female**

33. If the child has been placed in your care please give the name and address of person or body from whom you received the child:

Name: _____

Address: _____

34. Date on which you took the child under your care: Day _____ Month _____ Year _____

35.

Privacy Statement

The Adoption Authority of Ireland will treat all information and personal data that you provide as confidential, in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation and Data Protection Legislation.