

NOTICE No.

BIRTHS DEATHS AND MARRIAGES

NOTICE OF INTENDED MARRIAGE OF NEW ZEALAND CITIZEN IN ANOTHER COUNTRY

Section 41, Marriage Act 1955

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

To the Registrar-General
PO Box 10 526
WELLINGTON

I hereby give notice that I,

a New Zealand citizen, at present residing at

intend to marry

a national or citizen of in
(Name of Country) (Country of Intended Marriage)

The following particulars are furnished to enable searches and inquiries to be made in order to ascertain whether or not there is any impediment to the said marriage:

- (1) Date and year of birth:
(2) Place of birth:
(3) Father's first/given names and surname/family name:.....
(4) Father's surname/family at birth (if different from above):.....
(5) Mother's first/given names and surname/family name:
(6) Mother's surname/family at birth (if different from above):
(7) If previously married: a) Date of former marriage:.....
(b) Place of former marriage:
(c) How and when marriage was dissolved:
(8) If not born in New Zealand:
(a) How and when citizenship acquired:
(b) Approximate date of arrival in New Zealand:
(9) Address of parents if living in New Zealand:
(10) Name and address of some relative or friend in New Zealand who has known me over a period of time. (To be completed if no parent living in New Zealand):

Dated at this day of 20.....

(Signature of person giving notice)

Please see note on reverse of this form

In the course of inquiries, persons shown on this form may be contacted

PLEASE NOTE

- A Certificate of No Impediment to an intended marriage cannot be legally issued less than 14 days from the date of receipt of this notice by:
- Births, Deaths & Marriages, PO Box 10 526, WELLINGTON
- A fee is payable in respect of this notice.*
- For marriages in *some* countries the Certificate of No Impediment must be endorsed by the representative of that country in Wellington before dispatch. The fee for this service is in addition to the fee payable in respect of this notice.* The endorsement may be arranged on your behalf by Births, Deaths and Marriages. Additional time of at least two or more weeks should be allowed for the endorsement.
- Your marriage should be registered in the country where it takes place. There is no legal obligation to have your overseas marriage registered in New Zealand.
- Marriages in an overseas country are not able by law to be registered in New Zealand unless an officer from a New Zealand Embassy or High Commission attends the marriage ceremony. A certificate may then be sent by the Embassy/High Commission to Births, Deaths and Marriages and the marriage details are then able to be recorded in the New Zealand marriage register.
- New Zealand citizens who wish to have their overseas marriage registered in New Zealand should contact the nearest New Zealand Embassy or High Commission in the country of intended marriage prior to the marriage taking place to establish whether a New Zealand representative is available to attend. Consideration will be given only to marriages in cities where there is a New Zealand post and then will depend on availability of resources. There is a cost for this service.

* Details of current fees are available from Births, Deaths & Marriages and New Zealand Embassies/High Commissions / Consulates overseas.