



FORM M-B: PRENUPTIAL WITNESS AFFIDAVIT:

For: (Bride or Groom) _____

Do you swear to tell the whole truth in answering the following questions? _____

Name of witness _____

Address _____

1. Your relationship to the above-named person _____

2. How long have you known him/her? _____



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3. If proof of Baptism is needed (i.e. when no Baptismal certificate exists): Was this person ever baptized? Yes ____ No ____

Date & Religion of Baptism _____ Roman
If Catholic: Eastern (specify) _____

Were you present at the Baptism? Yes ____ No ____ If not, how do you know of the Baptism? _____

If the person claims non-Baptism, how do you know he/she was not baptized? _____

4. Has this person ever been married by a religious ceremony, civil ceremony or by common law? Yes ____ No ____
If yes, please answer the following: How many times? ____ With whom?

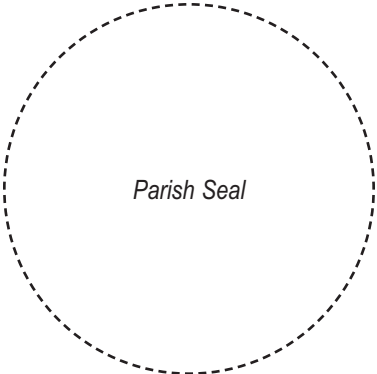
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If this is not a validation, how did this marriage (these marriages) end? (i.e. death, nullity)

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5. Do you know of any reason why the proposed marriage should not take place? Yes ____ No ____ If yes, please explain.

6. If the party will be under the age of eighteen (18) at the time of the marriage, have the parents or guardians given their consent? Yes ____ No ____ If not, please explain. _____



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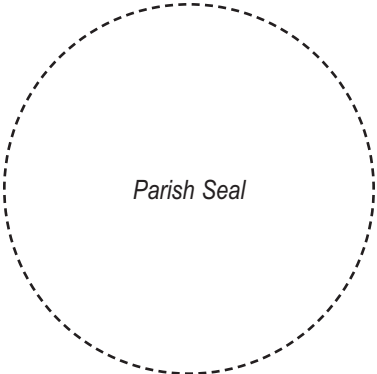
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