



# Anglican Church - Diocese of Sydney

## APPLICATION FOR REMARRIAGE OF DIVORCED PERSONS

*This form is to be completed by the minister  
apart from the signatures of the intended bride and groom below.*

**Minister** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Church for Proposed Marriage** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Proposed Marriage** \_\_\_\_\_

### INTENDED GROOM

Full name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### INTENDED BRIDE

Full name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### CONSENT OF INTENDED GROOM AND BRIDE

We give consent for the Bishop of South Sydney to collect the personal information in this completed form for the purposes of considering our application for marriage in the Anglican Church.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Intended Groom

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Intended Bride

## 1. PROFILE OF INTENDED GROOM

How many times has the **Groom** been married? \_\_\_\_\_ (if none, go to Q. 3)

The previous marriage was dissolved (if more than one, please specify) by

- divorce, consequent upon sexual infidelity on the part of the former wife
- divorce, initiated by the former wife who did not profess Christian faith
- divorce, where the former wife has since died
- divorce, and the former wife has remarried, or lives in a de facto relationship
- death
- none of the above (give details)

### Details of previous marriage(s):

Date of marriage

Date divorce effective  
(i.e. date of decree absolute)

Registration number divorce certificate  
(if not Family Court of Australia, please specify)

## 2. CHILDREN OF PREVIOUS MARRIAGE(S)

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| Ages of any children under 18 years of age of the intended <b>Groom</b>                 |
| The children are in the custody or control of   |
| Financial Provision for children (as specified by court order or special circumstances) |

## CHURCH ASSOCIATION

3. Particulars of any church association of the intended **Groom** are as follows.

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4. I have known or been acquainted with the intended **Groom** for \_\_\_\_\_ years/months in the following circumstances.

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**5. PROFILE OF INTENDED BRIDE**

How many times has the **Bride** been married? \_\_\_\_\_ (if none, go to Q. 7)

The previous marriage was dissolved (if more than one, please specify) by

- divorce, consequent upon sexual infidelity on the part of the former husband
- divorce, initiated by the former husband who did not profess Christian faith
- divorce, where the former husband has since died
- divorce, and the former husband has remarried, or lives in a de facto relationship
- death
- none of the above (give details)

**Details of previous marriage(s):**

Date of marriage

Date divorce effective  
(i.e. date of decree absolute)

Registration number of decree **or** divorce certificate  
(if not Family Court of Australia, please specify)

**6. CHILDREN OF PREVIOUS MARRIAGE (S)**

Ages of any children under 18 years of age of the intended **Bride**

The children are in the custody or control of

Financial Provision for children (as specified by court order or special circumstances)

**CHURCH ASSOCIATION**

7. Particulars of any church association of the intended **Bride** are as follows.

8. I have known or been acquainted with the intended **Bride** for \_\_\_\_\_ years/months in the following circumstances.

**9. FURTHER COMMENTS**

For privacy purposes please do not include any comments which identify another person other than the groom or bride.

**10. PASTORAL DECLARATION BY CELEBRANT**

I believe that the proposed marriage is in accordance with the principles of Holy Scripture and that the attitude of neither party towards their previous marriage(s) causes any impediment to the proposed marriage.

I believe that a marriage in the Anglican Church is in the best pastoral interests of both parties involved and I believe that they do not wish to use the church merely for convenience or for social reasons. I am confident that they have a good understanding of the meaning of marriage as defined by Holy Scripture as a lifelong, exclusive commitment, and of the solemnity of making promises before God.

Minister's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send completed form to:

The Bishop of South Sydney  
PO Box Q190  
QVB POST OFFICE NSW 1230

Office Use Only:

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

The Rt Rev R C Forsyth  
Bishop of South Sydney