



WOMEN’S CHARTER 1961

NOTICE OF MARRIAGE UNDER SECTION 14
MARRIAGE LICENCE UNDER SECTION 17
APPLICATION FOR MARRIAGE LICENCE UNDER SECTION 10
APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL LICENCE UNDER SECTION 21

Notice is hereby given that _____
and _____ intend to marry.

Notice of Marriage/Application Details

Date of notice of marriage / application:

Solemnisation Details

Solemnisation date and time

Venue address

Witness 1

Witness 2

Witness 1 ID type

Witness 2 ID type

Witness 1 ID number

Witness 2 ID number

Personal Details

Male Applicant

Name

ID Type

ID Number

Date of Birth (Age at the point of solemnisation)

+Marital Status

Nationality

Race

Religion

Education

Occupation

Both related? (by kindred and affinity)

Address

Contact

Female Applicant

Name

ID Type

ID Number

Date of Birth (Age at the point of solemnisation)

+Marital Status

Nationality

Race

Religion

Education

Occupation

Both related? (by kindred and affinity)

Address

Contact

+Someone who describes himself/herself as single must be previously unmarried and not a divorcee, or may be a party to a purported marriage that is void or a marriage that is voidable.

Declaration (Male applicant)

I, _____
_____ do solemnly
and sincerely declare that the particulars given in this Form
A relating to myself are true and that further,

- (a) I am (select one)
- ☐ at least 21 years of age; OR
 - ☐ below 21 years of age, but above 18 years of age, and
will attain 21 years of age on _____; OR
 - ☐ below 21 years of age and *divorced/a widower/have
had my marriage declared null and void; OR
 - ☐ below 21 years of age and have not been previously
married, and the consent of the appropriate person in
the Second Schedule to the Women’s Charter *has
been obtained/dispensed with/the consent of the
High Court or a Family Court has been given in
accordance with section 21A of the Women’s Charter;
- (b) There is no lawful impediment to the marriage;
- (c) I am not married under any law, religion, custom or
usage to any person other than the person whose
name appears together with mine overleaf;
- (d) I ~~*am/am not~~ a Singapore ~~*citizen/permanent resident~~
and I ~~*have been/have not been~~ physically present in
Singapore for at least 31 continuous days preceding the
date of notice of marriage;
- (e) ~~+I have attended and completed a marriage
preparation programme;~~
- (f) ~~+I am a divorcee. There *is/isn’t a maintenance order
against me and I *owe/do not owe maintenance arrears
under the maintenance order.~~
- (g)+I ~~*have~~/have not been previously convicted of either or
both of the following offences:
- (i) an offence of entering into marriage of convenience
under section 57C(1) of the Immigration Act 1959[1];
 - (ii) an offence of marrying again during lifetime of
husband or wife under section 6A of the Women’s
Charter[2] or under section 494 of the Penal Code
(Cap. 224) as in force immediately before 1 January
2020[3].

And I make this solemn declaration subject to the penalties
provided by section 37 of the Women’s Charter for the
making of false statements in declarations, conscientiously
believing the statements contained in the declaration to be
true in every particular.

Declaration (Female applicant)

I, _____
_____ do solemnly
and sincerely declare that the particulars given in this Form
A relating to myself are true and that further,

- (a) I am (select one)
- ☐ at least 21 years of age; OR
 - ☐ below 21 years of age, but above 18 years of age, and
will attain 21 years of age on _____; OR
 - ☐ below 21 years of age and *divorced/a widower/have
had my marriage declared null and void; OR
 - ☐ below 21 years of age and have not been previously
married, and the consent of the appropriate person in
the Second Schedule to the Women’s Charter *has
been obtained/dispensed with/the consent of the
High Court or a Family Court has been given in
accordance with section 21A of the Women’s Charter;
- (b) There is no lawful impediment to the marriage;
- (c) I am not married under any law, religion, custom or
usage to any person other than the person whose
name appears together with mine overleaf;
- (d) I ~~*am/am not~~ a Singapore ~~*citizen/permanent resident~~
and I ~~*have been/have not been~~ physically present in
Singapore for at least 31 continuous days preceding the
date of notice of marriage;
- (e) ~~+I have attended and completed a marriage
preparation programme;~~
- (f) ~~+I am a divorcee. There *is/isn’t a maintenance order
against me and I *owe/do not owe maintenance arrears
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or both of the following offences:
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under section 57C(1) of the Immigration Act 1959[1];
 - (ii) an offence of marrying again during lifetime of
husband or wife under section 6A of the Women’s
Charter[2] or under 494 of the Penal Code (Cap. 224)
[3] as in force immediately before 1 January 2020.

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true in every particular.

[1] Section 57C(1) of the Immigration Act 1951: Any person who contracts or otherwise enters into a marriage —
(a) knowing or having reason to believe that the purpose of the marriage is to assist one of the parties to the marriage to obtain an immigration advantage; and
(b) where any gratification, whether from a party to the marriage or another person, is offered, given or received as an inducement or reward to any party to the marriage for entering into the marriage,
shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding \$10,000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 10 years or to both.

[2] Section 6A of the Women’s Charter 1961: Whoever, having a husband or wife living, marries in any case in which such marriage is void by reason of its taking place during the life of such husband or wife, shall be guilty of an offence and shall on conviction —
(a) in a case where the offender concealed from the person with whom the subsequent marriage is contracted the fact of the former marriage, be punished with imprisonment for a term not exceeding 10 years and shall also be liable to a fine not exceeding \$15,000; and
(b) in any other case, be punished with imprisonment for a term not exceeding 7 years and shall also be liable to a fine not exceeding \$10,000.

[3] Section 494 of the Penal Code (Cap. 224) as in force immediately before 1 January 2020: Whoever, having a husband or wife living, marries in any case in which such marriage is void by reason of its taking place during the life of such husband or wife, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to 7 years, and shall also be liable to fine.

Signature of Declarant

Interpretation in *Mandarin/_____
language by_____
_____to the
Declarant.

*Delete as appropriate.
+Notes to Declaration

1. Paragraph (e) may be deleted if the declarant does not fall within a class of persons prescribed under section 21B of the Women’s Charter as persons who must attend a marriage preparation programme. The prescribed classes of persons consists of every party to an intended marriage where —
(a) at least one of the parties to the intended marriage is a citizen or permanent resident of Singapore
(b) at least one of the parties to the intended marriage is below the age of 21 years; and
(c) neither party to the intended marriage suffers from any critical or terminal illness or any physical disability or infirmity which renders it impracticable or impossible for that party to attend or complete a marriage preparation programme.

2. Paragraph (f) may be deleted if the declarant is not a divorcee.

3. Paragraph (g) may be deleted if the declarant has never been married, and has never been a party to a purported marriage that is void or a marriage that is voidable.

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