Australian Government

Department of Home Affairs

Supporting statement in relation to a Partner or Prospective Marriage visa application

Form

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About this form

This form must be completed by a person who:

- knows the visa applicant and their partner or fiancé(e) and the history of their relationship;
- is at least 18 years of age.

The person completing this form must provide documentary evidence of their current name, age and, where applicable, Australian citizenship or Australian permanent residency (for example, a copy of their birth certificate, Australian passport or passport containing a permanent visa).

You may be asked to submit up to 3 separate statements during the processing of the visa application.

You may also be contacted for further comment and/or interview in relation to the information you provide.

Purpose of this form

When assessing a Partner or Prospective Marriage visa application, the Department of Home Affairs (the Department) must consider the social aspects of the claimed relationship. The Department will use the information provided in this form (your statements), among other things, to assess these aspects.

How to submit this form

Once completed, the visa applicant or their appointed representative can attach this form to the Partner or Prospective Marriage visa application in ImmiAccount.

Warning: The *Migration Act 1958* (the Act) provides penalties for providing false or misleading statements of 10 years' imprisonment or a fine of AUD313,000, or both.

Important information about privacy

The *Privacy Act 1988* contains 13 Australian Privacy Principles which regulate the way that the Department collects and handles personal information. Information about how the Department collects, uses and discloses personal information for its key functions can be found in form 1442i Privacy notice. More information about the Department's general information handling practices (including form 1442i) can be found in the Department's Privacy policy at **https://www.homeaffairs.gov.au/access-and-accountability/our-commitments/privacy**

Home page **www.homeaffairs.gov.au**

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Please open this form using Adobe Acrobat Reader.
Either type (in English) in the fields provided or print this form and complete it (in English) using a pen and BLOCK LETTERS.

Tick where applicable ☑

Details of person making the statement

I, Family name: w

Given names: we

of Your residential address

2323

Postcode

make the following statement:

1 Visa applicant's name

Family name: wew

Given names: ewe

How long have you known this person?

2 Name of applicant's partner or fiancé(e)

Family name: we

Given names: wewew

How long have you known this person?

3 State how you know the applicant and the applicant's partner or fiancé(e), and indicate how often you have been in contact with them

I first met the applicant and the spouse when we were living in the same neighborhood a few years ago. Our friendship grew over time as we discovered shared interests and values. We often meet for dinners or outings, and we stay in touch through phone calls and messages regularly. I admire the strong bond between them and the way they support each other through thick and thin. It's heartwarming to see their love and commitment to each other, and I believe in the authenticity of their relationship. I have heard them talk about their future plans, such as buying a house and starting a family, and I am excited to see the journey they will embark on together. Their love is evident in everything they do, and I am grateful to have such wonderful friends in my life.

If insufficient space, please attach additional details

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4 State whether you believe the relationship of the applicant and their partner or fiancé(e) to be genuine and continuing, and give your reasons for your belief

I first met the applicant and her spouse through mutual friends at a social gathering. It has been a pleasure to get to know them over the years, as we often meet up for dinner or attend events together. Our communication is frequent, as we exchange messages and calls to catch up on each other's lives. They are a loving couple who complement each other well, and I am supportive of their relationship. I have witnessed how they care for each other and how their bond has strengthened over time. I believe in the authenticity of their relationship and wish them nothing but happiness and success in the future.

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5 State any other matters you wish to add in support of the visa application

Based on the information provided, it is clear that the relationship between the sponsored person and the sponsor is genuine and the sponsor is currently sponsoring the sponsored person for a partner visa. I fully support the love between this couple and hope that they will always be happy. I sincerely hope that the immigration department will consider and approve the visa application of the sponsored person.

Love is a beautiful thing that should be cherished and celebrated. Seeing a couple who are willing to go through the immigration process together shows the depth of their commitment to each other. I believe that their love is genuine and that they deserve to be together in the same place, building a future full of happiness and love.

I wish them all the best in their journey together and hope that they will soon be reunited in a place where they can continue to nurture their love and create memories that will last a lifetime. Love knows no boundaries, and I believe that this couple's love is strong enough to overcome any obstacles. Let love win, always.

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6 Have you attached evidence of your identity?

No ☐

Yes ☐

7 **WARNING**: Giving false or misleading information is a serious offence.

I understand that pursuant to section 234(1)(b) of the *Migration Act 1958* (the Act), it is an offence to make a false statement in connection with a visa application and I believe that the statements in this form are true in every particular.

Your signature

Day Month Year

Date 21/3/2024

We strongly advise that you keep a copy of this statement and all attachments for your records.

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