

DIOCESE OF GLOUCESTER



DIOCESAN REGISTRY

Jos Moule, Registrar

Application form regarding marriage of foreign (Non European Economic Area) nationals

	Bride	Groom
Names:		
Address:		
A Identity, residence and immigration status		
Passport details: NB Both passports must be produced for copying, together with documentary proof of your normal place of residence.		
1 Do you have permission (or the right) to live indefinitely in the UK?		
2 If no, on what basis did you enter the UK? On what basis do you remain in the UK?		
3 Have you sought permission to marry from the Home Office? Has it been granted?		

4	If refused, on what basis was it refused?		
5	If you are not here lawfully, please explain why you consider that the Church of England should facilitate your marriage		
6	If you do not have the right to remain in the UK what are your plans if, after marriage, one of you is deported?		
7	It is intended that you will live together permanently despite deportation should that occur?		
B Proposed marriage			
1	How long have you known each other?		
2	When did you decide to seek to marry?		
3	Have you been married before? Have you entered into a civil partnership before?		
4	<p>If you have been married before, how was that marriage ended?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If by death of partner: death certificate required • If the marriage ended by divorce or annulment by a UK court, please produce the final (absolute) order of that court • If the marriage ended in divorce or annulment outside the United Kingdom, you must produce the relevant order and in addition the Registrar may require you to produce a letter from a United Kingdom 		

	solicitor confirming that in his / her opinion the divorce / annulment is recognised under English law		
5	Has a Church of England minister agreed to marry you? State name of the minister and intended place of marriage		
6	How long have you attended worship in a Church of of England church? (Please specify church and periods of worship)		
7	Are you satisfied that your marriage in this country will be recognised in your country of domicile?		
8	If you have answered question 7 negatively, please set out your reasons for being content to proceed		
C Children			
1	Do you have infant children?		
2	Are they the children of both you and the intended groom, or of one of you? (Please explain which)		
3	Do they live with either of you?		
4	If you do not have the right to remain in the UK what would be your plans in respect of any infant children of whom only one of you is a parent, if after marriage, one of you is deported?		

I confirm that the answers given above are true. I ask for a licence to marry and intend after marriage to live permanently with my intended spouse.

Dated this day of 201

Signed Bride

Signed Groom

NB: Information and documents provided may be passed to the UK Border Agency or other Government agencies or departments for verification