

PRENUPTIAL INVESTIGATION FOR PARISHES OF THE BYZANTINE METROPOLITAN CHURCH SUI IURIS OF PITTSBURGH, USA

ARCHEPARCHY OF PITTSBURGH EPARCHY OF PASSAIC EPARCHY OF PARMA EPARCHY OF VAN NUYS

Form D-1 is the general marriage dispensation or marriage permission petition form and rescript

_____ presents the following petition on behalf of:

NAME OF PASTORAL MINISTER

Groom

Bride

NAME _____

CITY OF CURRENT RESIDENCE _____

- STATE OR COUNTRY _____

RELIGION _____

AGE _____

CHURCH SUI IURIS, IF CATHOLIC _____

AGE _____

The date for the proposed marriage is _____ / _____ / _____.

Form D-1

MARRIAGE PERMISSION OR DISPENSATION PETITION FORM

PERMISSION FOR A MARRIAGE

- Permission for a marriage of a minor or minors whose parents are unaware of it.
- Permission for a marriage of a minor or minors if parents reasonably oppose it.
- Permission to enter a marriage with a baptized non-Catholic (*attach a copy of the baptismal certificate no older than six months*).
- Permission to enter marriage with a baptized Catholic who notoriously rejects the faith.
- Permission to marry in the *sui iuris* church of the bride
- Permission to enter marriage _____ (c.f. c. 789)
- Permission to enter marriage during the Great Fast or during the Great and Holy Week.

CANONICAL REASON(S) URGING THIS PERMISSION BE GRANTED:

- the spiritual welfare of the faithful
- to avoid unlawfully attempted marriage
- to convalidate an invalid marriage
- because of a good hope for conversion
- other (specify) _____

Promise to be made by the practicing Catholic party

(in any petition for mixed religion permission, disparity of worship dispensation, or marriage with a Catholic who notoriously rejects the faith.)

I reaffirm my faith in Jesus Christ, and, with God's help, intend to continue living that faith in the Catholic Church. I promise to do all in my power to share the faith I have received with any children born of this union by having them baptized and reared as Catholics.

SIGNATURE OF THE PRACTICING CATHOLIC PARTY

The required declaration and promise have been made by the practicing Catholic in my presence. The other party has been informed of this commitment.

PARISH SEAL

SIGNATURE OF THE PASTORAL MINISTER

DATE

