





(ARCH) DIOCESE of \_\_\_\_\_

**REPORT of the MARRIAGE CEREMONY  
that occurred for which a  
DISPENSATION from the CANONICAL FORM was granted**

**Verification that the non-Catholic marriage ceremony occurred (Check only one):**

- I, the non-Catholic officiant, witnessed the marriage ceremony of the couple below. I have made any necessary corrections of the marriage information below.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of non-Catholic officiant                      Date signed

- A Catholic priest or deacon was present at this marriage ceremony.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Priest or  Deacon-*Type/print name*

- Other means of verification:
  - Secured photocopy of the civil marriage license signed by a non-Catholic officiant.
  - Groom/Bride contacted the Catholic priest, deacon or other Church person.
  - Family member/friend contacted the Catholic priest, deacon or other person.
  - Catholic priest, deacon, other contacted Groom/Bride or family member/friend.
  - Or: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Catholic:  Priest  Deacon  Other      Date signed

\_\_\_\_\_  
The marriage ceremony of \_\_\_\_\_, a Catholic,  
and \_\_\_\_\_, a non-Catholic, did occur.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name and title of person who received the consent of both parties (exchange of vows)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of church or place where the non-Catholic marriage ceremony was celebrated

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip Code                      Date of non-Catholic marriage ceremony

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

In a mixed marriage for which there has been granted a dispensation from canonical form (Canon 1127, §2), an ecclesiastical record of the marriage shall be kept in the Chancery of the (Arch) Diocese which granted the dispensation and in the marriage records of the parish from which application for the dispensation was made (Canon 1121, §3).

It is the responsibility of the priest or deacon who requested the dispensation that the following occurs after the marriage ceremony is celebrated:

- (a) Complete this form. Type or print clearly.

Indicate that the marriage ceremony did occur by one of the following options:

→Send this form to the non-Catholic officiant to be signed.

OR

Give this form to the Catholic groom/bride to secure the non-Catholic officiant's signature.

→Indicate if a Catholic priest or deacon was present at this marriage ceremony.

→Indicate the "Other means of verification".

- (b) Place a copy of this completed form into the marriage file and then forward this form to the Tribunal/Chancery (Canon 1121, §3).

- (c) Place all documents, dispensation(s), permission(s), and records pertaining to this marriage in the usual marriage file of the parish where the pre-nuptial investigation and request for this dispensation from canonical form occurred (Canon 1121, §3).

- (d) Make notation of this marriage in the same parish marriage register where the pre-nuptial investigation and request for this dispensation from canonical form occurred, indicating the name of the minister, place and date of the non-Catholic marriage ceremony, and the granting of the necessary dispensation(s), permission(s) (Canon 1121, §3).

- (e) Send the notice of marriage to the place of baptism of the Catholic spouse (Canon 1122).

\_\_\_\_\_  
A dispensation from canonical form was granted by the Tribunal/Chancery of the (Arch) Diocese of \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ (Month, Day, Year).

This marriage has been recorded on \_\_\_\_\_ in the marriage register (Month, Day, Year) of \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ (Parish) (City, State).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of  Priest or  Deacon or  Other      Parish

\_\_\_\_\_  
Type/print name                      City/State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date signed

**\*\*\*PARISH SEAL\*\*\***