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ARCHDIOCESE OF OKLAHOMA CITY

Office of the Tribunal

PETITION FOR DECLARATION OF NULLITY BECAUSE OF DEFECT OF PROPER CANONICAL FORM

PARISH _____ LOCATION _____

I, _____ a non-Catholic
(first name) (middle name) (maiden name) (last name) a baptized Catholic

acknowledge that the proper canonical form of marriage as prescribed by Canon 1108 of the Code of Canon Law was not followed when a civil marriage license was obtained in _____ County,

which is located in _____, _____, on _____
(city) (state) (month/date/year)

to attempt marriage with _____ a non-Catholic
(first name) (middle name) (maiden name) (last name) a baptized Catholic

I further verify that this marriage was held before a minister/civil official WITHOUT dispensation from canonical form. I

have since obtained a civil divorce, which was granted on _____ in _____
(month/date/year)

County, which is located in _____, _____.
(city) (state)

I claim this attempted marriage to be null and void because of defect of proper canonical form, and I humbly petition that it be so declared by legitimate ecclesiastical authority.

- These documents are to be presented in all cases:
1. Updated copy of Baptismal Certificate (Catholic Party)
2. Copy of Marriage License
3. Copy of Decree of Civil Divorce

N.B. If the marriage in question took place before January 1, 1949, one of the following documents for the Catholic Party is to be presented:
1. First Communion Record
2. Confirmation Certificate
3. Proof of Catholic training

STATEMENT OF PETITIONER

Name _____
(first) (middle) (maiden) (last)

Address _____
(address) (city) (state) (zip)

Date of birth _____ Place of birth _____

Catholic Baptism Date _____

Church Name _____

Location _____

Father

Mother

Name _____

Name _____

Address _____

Address _____

City, State Zip _____

City, State Zip _____

Religion _____

Religion _____

Legal Name of former spouse _____
(first) (middle) (maiden) (last)

Current address _____
(address) (city) (state) (zip)

Religion of former spouse _____ Number of Children born during this marriage _____

Was a **dispensation from canonical form** (*permission to marry outside of the Catholic Church*) requested so that this marriage could take place before an official or minister other than a Catholic priest? YES NO
Please provide additional details below

Was this marriage convalidated by the Church? YES NO If **Yes**, please provide date and church location. If **No**, please explain the reason you married contrary to the laws of the Catholic Church.

Why are you seeking the declaration of nullity?

By signing below, I solemnly swear before God that I have told the truth in the foregoing testimony.

Petitioner

Date

Priest/Deacon Name (please print)

Priest/Deacon Signature

Parish Seal: (please stamp below)

Marriage declared null and void due to Defect of Form
Office of the Archdiocesan Tribunal

Date: _____

Judicial Vicar

Notary