



Diocese of Palm Beach
 Tribunal and Office of Canonical Services
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<i>For Tribunal Use</i>	
Protocol Number:	_____
Date:	_____
Granted by:	_____

Total Lack of Canonical Form Petition Documentary Process

_____ and _____
 (Petitioner – give MAIDEN and current legal name if a woman) (Respondent – given MAIDEN name if a woman)

Enclosed please find the following required documentation:

1. AN OFFICIAL CIVIL RECORD OF MARRIAGE OF THE PARTIES:

Date of Marriage: _____
 Place of Marriage: _____
(physical location, i.e. house, hotel, synagogue, town hall, etc.) (City/State)
 Officiating witness (Check one): Civil Official Non-Catholic Minister

2. AN OFFICIAL RECORD OF DIVORCE:

Date of Divorce: _____
 Court: _____
(City/State)

3. RECENT BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATE (with notations front and back) OF: _____

(one of the parties who is Catholic)

at: _____ on: _____
(Name of Church) (City and State) (Country) (Date)

THIS BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATE INDICATES THERE IS NO NOTATION WITH REGARD TO MARRIAGE.

NOTE A: For marriage *BEFORE* January 1, 1949, contact the Tribunal.

NOTE B: For marriages *BETWEEN* November 27, 1983, and April 9, 2010, one of the following is necessary (check one):

_____ Sworn statement of the Catholic party that he/she did not leave the Catholic Church by a formal act prior to the marriage in question.

OR

_____ Sworn statement of two persons that the Catholic party did not leave the Catholic Church by a formal act prior to the marriage in question.

THE PETITIONER SWORE IN MY PRESENCE THAT:

- a. the marriage in question did not take place, nor was it convalidated, before a Catholic priest;
- b. the marriage was not performed outside the Catholic Church with a dispensation from canonical form;
- c. he/she is fulfilling as best as he/she can any natural obligations to a previous spouse or children (e.g., financial support).

DATE: _____

PARISH: _____

CITY: _____

 Signature of priest or deacon

 Printed name of priest or deacon

NOTE: PLEASE SUBMIT ALL DOCUMENTS TO THE TRIBUNAL WITH THIS PETITION.
 COPIES ARE ACCEPTABLE AND WILL BE RETURNED WITH RESCRIPT.