





20b. WITNESSES (Print Name and Sign):

**AFFIDAVIT OF SOLEMNIZING OFFICER**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of legal age, Solemnizing Officer of \_\_\_\_\_ with address at \_\_\_\_\_, after having sworn to in accordance with law, do hereby depose and say:

1. That I have solemnized the marriage between \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_;
2. ☐ a. That I have ascertained the qualifications of the contracting parties and have found no legal impediment for them to marry as required by Article 34 of the Family Code;
- ☐ b. That this marriage was performed in articulo mortis or at the point of death;
- ☐ c. That the contracting party/ies \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, being at the point of death and physically unable to sign the foregoing certificate of marriage by signature or mark, one of the witnesses to the marriage; sign for him or her by writing the dying party's name and beneath it, the witness' own signature preceded by the preposition "By";
- ☐ d. That the residence of either party is so located that there is no means of transportation to enable concerned party/parties to appear personally before the civil registrar;
- ☐ e. That the marriage was among Muslims or among members of the Ethnic Cultural Communities and that the marriage was solemnized in accordance with their customs and practices;
3. That I took the necessary steps to ascertain the ages and relationship of the contracting parties and that neither of them are under any legal impediment to marry each other;
4. That I am executing this affidavit to attest to the truthfulness of the foregoing statements for all legal intents and purposes.

In truth whereof, I have affixed my signature below this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, Philippines.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Over Printed Name of the Solemnizing Officer

**SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN** to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, Philippines, affiant who exhibited to me his Community Tax Cert. \_\_\_\_\_

issued on \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of the Administering Officer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Position/Title/Designation

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name in Print

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

**AFFIDAVIT FOR DELAYED REGISTRATION OF MARRIAGE**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of legal age, single/married/divorced/widow/widower, with residence and postal address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_, after having duly sworn in accordance with law do hereby depose and say:

1. That I am the applicant for the delayed registration of  
☐ my marriage with \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ the marriage between \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_.
2. That said marriage was solemnized by \_\_\_\_\_ (Solemnizing Officer's name) under  
a. ☐ religious ceremony      b. ☐ civil ceremony      c. ☐ Muslim rites      d. ☐ tribal rites
3. That the marriage was solemnized:  
☐ a. with marriage license no. \_\_\_\_\_ issued on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_;  
☐ b. under Article \_\_\_\_\_ (marriages of exceptional character);
4. (If the applicant is either the wife or husband) That I am a citizen of \_\_\_\_\_ and my spouse is a citizen of \_\_\_\_\_;  
(If the applicant is other than the wife or husband) That the wife is a citizen of \_\_\_\_\_ and the husband is a citizen of \_\_\_\_\_;
5. That the reason for the delay in registering our/their marriage is \_\_\_\_\_;
6. That I am executing this affidavit to attest to the truthfulness of the foregoing statements for all legal intents and purposes.

In truth whereof, I have affixed my signature below this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, Philippines.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Over Printed Name of Affiant

**SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN** to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, Philippines, affiant who exhibited to me his Community Tax Cert. \_\_\_\_\_

issued on \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of the Administering Officer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Position/Title/Designation

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name in Print

\_\_\_\_\_  
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