

IN THE FAMILY COURT
HELD AT

FAM _____ - _____ - _____

IN THE MATTER of the Adoption Act 1955

AND

IN THE MATTER of an Application to adopt

AFFIDAVIT OF NATURAL MOTHER

Note: Delete inapplicable sentences/paragraphs as necessary

PRESENTED FOR FILING BY:

AFFIDAVIT OF NATURAL MOTHER

I, *[full name]* of *[place]*, *[occupation]*, swear that -

1. I am the mother of *[full name of child, if named]*, a *[female/male child]* born at *[place]* on *[date]* as evidenced by the Certificate of Birth annexed to the consent to adoption signed by me and filed herein.
2. THE father of my child is *[full name of father]* / I do not know the identity of the father of my child.
3. I am unmarried / I am married to *[full name of spouse]*.
4. I have never been married to, or in a civil union, or in a de facto relationship with the father of my child / I have been married to, or in a civil union, or in a de facto relationship with the father of my child *[provide details]*.
5. AT no time between conception and the birth of my child did I live with the father of my child as husband and wife or as de facto partners / BETWEEN conception and the birth of my child I lived with the father of my child as husband and wife or as de facto partners *[provide details]*.
6. THE father of my child has not had and has not attempted to have any contact or involvement with my child / THE father has had the following contact or involvement with my child: *[describe the nature of the relationship of the father with the child (if any) and the role he has played during the pregnancy and in the child's life (if any)]*.
7. TO the best of my knowledge no testamentary guardian of my child has been appointed by any person and no order of the Court has been made declaring any other person to be the guardian of my child nor is an application for any such order pending / TO the best of my knowledge the following person(s) are guardians of my child *[full name of guardian(s)]*.
8. NO adoption order is in force in respect of my child / AN adoption order is in force in respect of my child *[provide details]*.
9. NO declaration or order of paternity, or child support or maintenance order in respect of my child has been made and nor is any application for any such order pending / A declaration or order of paternity, or child support or maintenance order in respect of my child has been made *[provide details]*.
10. NO person has by agreement or otherwise acknowledged paternity of my child / THE following person has by agreement or otherwise acknowledged paternity of my child *[provide details]*.

