

# Application to Deposit a Family Court Declaration as to sex



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## To apply:

- your birth must be registered in New Zealand, and
- the Family Court must have issued a declaration that your birth certificate should contain the information that you are a person of a nominated sex.

## What to send Births, Deaths and Marriages

To complete the application the following must be sent to Births, Deaths and Marriages:

1. This completed application form (BDM65).
2. The Registrar-General has agreed not to charge fees for this service.
3. If you require a new birth certificate, complete Section 5.
4. If you require an official letter that links your previous birth registration details with your new birth registration details please request this in Section 6.

**Note:** The details relating to your sex at birth will not be publicly available, except where the Registrar-General is satisfied the information is required in relation to the administration of an estate or trust, a marriage, or by order of a Court. A new birth registration will be made from the information provided. Corrections may be made as provided for in the Births, Deaths, Marriages, and Relationships Registration Act 1995.

## Privacy Statement

The information on this form is collected under the Birth, Deaths and Marriages, and Relationships Registration Act 1995. As part of processing your request, your identification details will be checked against other records held by Birth, Deaths and Marriages or other government agencies, as authorised by law.

### Post to:

Births, Deaths and Marriages  
PO Box 10526  
Wellington 6143

### If you have questions:

Call free 0800 22 52 52  
Email [crs@dia.govt.nz](mailto:crs@dia.govt.nz)

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## SECTION 1: Person whose sex is to be recorded (Details currently recorded on New Zealand birth record)

First and middle name(s)

Surname

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First name(s) at birth (If different from above)

Surname at birth (If different from above)

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Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)

Place of birth

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Sex currently recorded

Male     Female     Indeterminate

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## SECTION 2: Details of attached Family Court Declaration as to sex

Name you wish to appear on future birth certificates

First name(s)

Surname

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The Family Court has declared that future birth certificates should show sex as

Male     Female     Indeterminate

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## SECTION 3: Your contact details

Full name

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Address

Flat/street number and name

Suburb

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Town/city

Country

Postcode

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Phone number

Email Address

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## SECTION 4: Signature

Tick one box

- I am the subject of the information and I wish the information about my nominated sex in the Family Court declaration be recorded on my New Zealand birth record.
- I am a guardian of the subject of the information and I wish the information about their nominated sex in the Family Court declaration be recorded on their New Zealand birth record.

Sign here

Date signed (dd/mm/yyyy)

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## SECTION 5: Birth certificate order

**I request a (select one):**

- Standard birth certificate
- Forest style decorative certificate
- Beach style decorative certificate
- All Blacks style decorative certificate

**Send it to me by: (select one):**

- Post
- Courier

**Delivery Address if different from section 3, if ordering a certificate:**

**Delivery name**

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**Flat/street number and name**

**Suburb**

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**Town/city**

**Country**

**Postcode**

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## SECTION 6: Letter to confirm previous and new birth registration details

In some circumstances you may require a document that links your previous registration details to your new registration details. Please indicate below if you would like an official letter confirming these details.

- Yes - please provide a letter confirming these details
- No - I do not require a letter