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**Statement of Sole Responsibility**  
Under the provisions of Section 8 of the  
*Marriage Act*

In the matter of an application for a licence under the *Marriage Act*

We, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Applicant) (Name of city, town or village)

and, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Joint Applicant) (Name of city, town or village)

understand and acknowledge that the issuance of a marriage licence under the provisions of Section 8 of the *Marriage Act* does not necessarily imply that the divorce/annulment granted

in \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of city, town or village and province or country) (date)

dissolving/annulling the marriage of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of party to the marriage)

and \_\_\_\_\_ would be recognized as valid by the Courts of  
(Name of party to the marriage)

the Province of Ontario.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Applicant)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Witness)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Joint Applicant)

Personal information contained on this form is collected under the authority of the *Marriage Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. M. 3, and will be used to determine whether to issue the marriage licence, to register and record the marriage, provide certified copies, extracts, certificates, search notices, photocopies and for statistical, research, medical, law enforcement, adoption and adoption disclosure purposes.

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