



APPLICATION BY A PERSON OF FULL AGE FOR NATURALISATION AS AN IRISH CITIZEN

Please note before completing the form

This is a statutory declaration. Please ensure that the information you provide is true and correct. A false statement on this form is an offence punishable by a fine not exceeding €3,000 imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months or both.

A certificate of Naturalisation may be revoked if the certificate was procured by fraud, misrepresentation, whether innocent or fraudulent, or concealment of material facts or circumstances.

- Use a black pen and PRINT IN BLOCK CAPITALS
- Cross out any errors – Do not use correction fluid

Date Received – Office Use Only

1. NAME

1.1 CURRENT GIVEN/FIRST NAME:

1.2 CURRENT FAMILY/LAST NAME:

1.3 PREVIOUS NAME(S):

1.4 REASON FOR CHANGE:

1.5 DATE OF CHANGE TO PRESENT NAME:

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
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2. IDENTIFICATION

2.1 PLACE OF BIRTH:

2.2 COUNTRY OF BIRTH:

2.3 DATE OF BIRTH:

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
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2.4 GENDER: MALE FEMALE

2.5 PRESENT NATIONALITY:

2.6 YOUR PPS NUMBER:
(Personal Public Service Number)

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2.7 YOUR GNIB NUMBER:

2.8 YOUR IMMIGRATION REFERENCE NUMBER:

Please supply a certified copy of your Long Form Civil Birth Certificate with your application

3. RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

3.1 PRESENT ADDRESS:

3.2 EMAIL ADDRESS:

3.3 DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER:

3.4 EVENING TELEPHONE NUMBER:

3.5 MOBILE NUMBER:

4. PREVIOUS ADDRESSES

Please provide details of ALL of your previous addresses starting with the most recent one:

Address	Country	From	To

Continue on separate sheet if necessary.

5. RESIDENCY DETAILS

5.1 DATE OF ARRIVAL IN IRELAND:

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
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5.2 PASSPORT NUMBER:

5.3 HAVE YOU BEEN RESIDENT IN THE STATE FOR FIVE OF THE LAST NINE YEARS? YES NO

5.4 DID YOU HAVE PERMISSION TO REMAIN IN THE STATE FOR FIVE OF THE LAST NINE YEARS? YES NO

5.5 WAS ANY PART OF YOUR TIME IN THE STATE IN THE NINE YEARS PRIOR TO YOUR APPLICATION FOR THE PURPOSES OF STUDY? YES NO

5.6 If any of your time in the state in the nine years prior to application was for study purposes please complete the details below:

From	To	Name and Address of School/College/University

5.7 WAS ANY PART OF YOUR TIME IN THE STATE IN THE NINE YEARS SPENT AS AN ASYLUM SEEKER? YES NO

5.8 If any part of your time in the state in the last nine years was spent as an asylum seeker please complete the details below:

From	To	Outcome	Reference Number

Please supply a copy of letter confirming Refugee Status if appropriate.

6. RESIDENCE FOLLOWING NATURALISATION

6.1 DO YOU INTEND, FOLLOWING NATURALISATION, TO HAVE YOUR USUAL OR PRINCIPAL PLACE OF RESIDENCE IN THE STATE, *OR IF YOU ARE MARRIED TO AN IRISH CITIZEN DO YOU INTEND TO HAVE YOUR USUAL OR PRINCIPAL RESIDENCE IN THE ISLAND OF IRELAND?*

YES

NO

7. MARITAL STATUS

7.1 Are you:

SINGLE

MARRIED

SEPARATED

DIVORCED

WIDOWED

If you are currently married please complete the details below:

7.2 FULL NAME OF SPOUSE:

7.3 SPOUSE'S DATE OF BIRTH:

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
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7.4 SPOUSES PLACE & COUNTRY OF BIRTH:

7.5 SPOUSE'S NATIONALITY:

7.6 SPOUSE'S PRESENT ADDRESS:

7.7 YOUR CIVIL STATUS AT THE TIME OF MARRIAGE:

7.8 YOUR SPOUSE'S CIVIL STATUS AT THE TIME OF MARRIAGE:

Please supply a certified copy of your original Long Form Civil Marriage Certificate with your application

8. PREVIOUS MARRIAGE(S):

If you are currently or have ever been divorced please complete the details below:

8.1 TOTAL NUMBER OF YOUR PREVIOUS MARRIAGES:

YOU

YOUR SPOUSE

8.2 DATE OF DIVORCE(S):

DAY	MONTH	YEAR
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DAY	MONTH	YEAR
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8.3 COUNTRY OR COUNTRIES IN WHICH DIVORCE WAS GRANTED:

Please supply a certified copy of your original divorce paper(s)

9. PARENTS DETAILS:

9.1 Please complete the details below in full:

	NAME	BIRTH LAST NAME IF DIFFERENT	DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH	NATIONALITY
MOTHER					
FATHER					

10. MEANS OF SUPPORT:

10.1 Are you:

EMPLOYED

RETIRED

STUDYING

UNEMPLOYED

OTHER

If you are in employment please complete the relevant box below:

10.2 NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER:

10.3 IF YOU ARE SELF EMPLOYED, A PARTNER
OR A DIRECTOR OF A COMPANY PLEASE
GIVE THE ADDRESS USED FOR BUSINESS:

11. PREVIOUS APPLICATIONS:

11.1 HAVE YOU APPLIED FOR IRISH
CITIZENSHIP BEFORE?

YES

NO

If Yes please give:

11.2 DATE OF APPLICATION:

11.3 APPLICATION NUMBER:

12. BACKGROUND:

12.1 HAVE YOU EVER COMMITTED ANY OFFENCES
AGAINST THE LAWS OF IRELAND OR ANY
OVERSEAS COUNTRY?

YES

NO

12.2 HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CONVICTED OR FOUND
GUILTY OF ANY OFFENCES AGAINST THE LAWS
OF IRELAND OR ANY OTHER COUNTRY?

YES

NO

If you answered Yes to either question above please complete the details below:

12.4 DATE OF CONVICTION OR OFFENCE:

12.5 PLACE WHERE CONVICTION OR OFFENCE
TOOK PLACE:

12.6 OUTCOME:

12.7 ARE YOU, OR HAVE YOU BEEN, THE
SUBJECT OF AN INVESTIGATION IN
IRELAND BY THE GARDAI (POLICE)?

YES

NO

If so, please provide details below:

13. APPLICATION BASED ON IRISH ASSOCIATIONS:

13.1 If your application is based on your Irish descent or Irish Associations, please give details below:

14. REFERENCES:

14.1 Please supply three references from Irish citizens who are not related to you or act as a solicitor or agent for you as follows:

NAME OF REFEREE 1:	<input type="text"/>			
REFEREE'S ADDRESS:	<input type="text"/>			
DATE OF BIRTH AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH:	<input type="text" value="DAY"/>	<input type="text" value="MONTH"/>	<input type="text" value="YEAR"/>	<input type="text"/>
LENGTH OF TIME YOU HAVE KNOWN THE APPLICANT:	<input type="text"/>			
SIGNATURE:	<input type="text"/>			
CONTACT NUMBER:	<input type="text"/>			

NAME OF REFEREE 2:	<input type="text"/>			
REFEREE'S ADDRESS:	<input type="text"/>			
DATE OF BIRTH AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH:	<input type="text" value="DAY"/>	<input type="text" value="MONTH"/>	<input type="text" value="YEAR"/>	<input type="text"/>
LENGTH OF TIME YOU HAVE KNOWN THE APPLICANT:	<input type="text"/>			
SIGNATURE:	<input type="text"/>			
CONTACT NUMBER:	<input type="text"/>			

NAME OF REFEREE 3:	<input type="text"/>			
REFEREE'S ADDRESS:	<input type="text"/>			
DATE OF BIRTH AND COUNTRY OF BIRTH:	<input type="text" value="DAY"/>	<input type="text" value="MONTH"/>	<input type="text" value="YEAR"/>	<input type="text"/>
LENGTH OF TIME YOU HAVE KNOWN THE APPLICANT:	<input type="text"/>			
SIGNATURE:	<input type="text"/>			
CONTACT NUMBER:	<input type="text"/>			

SECTION 15A APPLICATION

IS YOUR APPLICATION BASED ON YOUR MARRIAGE TO AN IRISH CITIZEN?

YES

NO

If you are married to an Irish Citizen please complete the additional details below:

DATE OF MARRIAGE:

PLACE AND COUNTRY OF MARRIAGE:

SPOUSE IS AN IRISH CITIZEN BY:

BIRTH

DESCENT

NATURALISATION

POST NUPTIAL
DECLARATION

HONORARY

Please supply proof of spouse's entitlement to Irish Citizenship e.g. certified copy of birth cert, naturalisation certificate

DECLARATION TO BE COMPLETED FOR APPLICANTS APPLYING FOR NATURALISATION BASED ON THEIR MARRIAGE TO AN IRISH CITIZEN

I hereby affirm, declare and swear that I married

NAME OF APPLICANT

who was born on the

DATE OF BIRTH

at NAME OF TOWN/DISTRICT in NAME OF COUNTRY a national of on the DATE OF MARRIAGE

at NAME OF TOWN/CITY in NAME OF COUNTRY

And I further affirm, declare and swear that we are Living Together as husband and wife; that our marriage is subsisting; and that no proceedings for divorce or annulment of this marriage have been commenced or are about to be commenced in any court of law.

FULL NAME OF IRISH CITIZEN

NAME AT BIRTH IF DIFFERENT

CURRENT ADDRESS

DATE OF BIRTH AND PLACE OF BIRTH:

DAY

MONTH

YEAR

PASSPORT NUMBER:

SIGNATURE OF IRISH CITIZEN

DATE OF DECLARATION

This Declaration was declared and subscribed before me a TITLE . It was made by the person named above who is personally known to me Or Who was identified to me by NAME who is personally known to me.

NAME OF WITNESS: (CAPITALS)

SIGNATURE OF WITNESS

ADDRESS OF WITNESS

DAY-TIME TELEPHONE NUMBER

DATE

STATUTORY DECLARATION

I, , do solemnly and sincerely declare that the foregoing particulars stated in this application are true; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1938.

Signed:

Date:

Declared before me a [notary public] [commissioner for oaths] [peace commissioner] [Solicitor] by

who is personally known to me

or
who was identified to me by who is personally known to me

or
whose identity has been established to me before the taking of this Declaration by the production to me of
passport no. issued on by the authorities of ,
[which is an authority recognised by the Irish Government]

or
national identity card no. issued on by the authorities
of which is an EU Member State, the Swiss Confederation or a Contracting Party to the EEA
Agreement

or
[Aliens Passport no. (document equivalent to a passport) issued on
by the authorities of which is an authority recognised by the Irish Government

or
refugee travel document no. issued on by the Minister for Justice,
Equality and Law Reform

or
travel document (other than refugee travel document) issued on
by the Minister for Justice, Equality and Law Reform

at this day of .

SIGNATURE OF WITNESS:

NAME OF WITNESS: (CAPITALS)

ADDRESS OF WITNESS:

DAY-TIME TELEPHONE NUMBER:

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING CAREFULLY. IF ANY OF THE DOCUMENTATION IS OMITTED, OR IF UNCERTIFIED COPIES OF CERTIFICATES ARE ENCLOSED WHEN SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION FORM, YOUR APPLICATION FORM WILL BE RETURNED AND YOU WILL NOT GAIN YOUR PLACE IN THE QUEUE.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU HAVE:

TICK:

ANSWERED ALL QUESTIONS IN THIS FORM

Please re-check your application and ensure that all questions on the form are answered.

If the question is not applicable to you, please answer with n/a (all questions must be answered)

ENCLOSED ALL DOCUMENTATION REQUESTED IN THIS FORM.

- Certified** copy of original Long form Civil Marriage Certificate (if applicable) showing civil status at date of Marriage i.e. married, single, divorced. *A certified copy is a photocopy of the certificate that has been made and validated by a notary public, commissioner, solicitor etc.*
- Certified** copy of original Long Form Civil Birth Certificate for applicant and certified translation if not in English or Irish
- Certified** copy of original divorce papers (if applicable) copy of original petition and final decree in respect of all divorces.
- Copy of Garda National Immigration Bureau Card.
- Letter from your current and previous employers covering employment dates from your date of arrival to date of application, showing commencement and finish dates for each job to this office at your earliest convenience.
- Copy of documentation from Revenue Commissioners regarding tax affairs if employed.
- Copy of Pay slips for the previous 3 months if employed.
- Copy of bank statements for the previous 3 months.
- Copy of Irish Medical Registration letter (for doctors only).

SIGNED THE DECLARATION IN THE PRESENCE OF AN APPROVED WITNESS.

PROVIDED ANY OTHER INFORMATION/DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED AS FOLLOWS:

If application is based on Refugee Status:

- Copy of letter confirming refugee status if required Please note: you must have at least 3 years residence prior to the date of application.

If application is based on marriage to a Irish citizen:

- Copy of documentary proof of Irish spouse's entitlement to Irish citizenship (copy of Irish spouse's birth certificate if born in Ireland / copy of foreign birth registry entry / spouse's parent's birth certificate if latter was born in Ireland / copy of naturalisation certificate
- Sworn Affidavit (this is included with your application form) must be completed by the Irish spouse in the presence of a legal witness (Commissioner for Oaths, Notary Public or Practising Solicitor), to the effect that the couple are living together as husband and wife and that their marriage is subsisting.
- Copy of proof of residence in the State for both applicant and spouse for the previous 3 months showing current address. Please submit three different proofs of residence for this period showing name and address for this period i.e. household bills (gas, electricity, phone, ntl), bank statements, revenue, mortgage agreement, social welfare, letter from employment, doctors letter etc.
- Copy of your passport showing permission to remain stamps for a period of 1 year immediately prior to the application and 2 years in the 4 year period before that, 36 months in total.

Or alternatively

- Proof of residence in the State amounting to 36 months in three of the last five years, including one years continuous residence prior to application. Please submit three different proofs of residence for each year showing name and address for this period i.e. household bills (gas, electricity, phone, ntl), bank statements, revenue, mortgage agreement, social welfare, letter from employment, doctors letter etc

If application is based on residence:

- Copy of your passport showing permission to remain stamps for a period of 1 year immediately prior to the application and 4 years in the 8 year period before that, 60 months in total.
- If you are an E.U. citizen for more than five years please submit Proof of residence in the State amounting to 60 months in five of the last nine years, including one years continuous residence prior to application. Please submit three different proofs of residence for each year showing name and address for this period i.e household bills (gas, electricity, phone, ntl), bank statements, revenue, mortgage agreement, social welfare, letter from employment, doctors letter etc
- If you are an E.U. citizen less than five years please submit copy of your passport showing permission to remain stamps from date of arrival in the state to date of becoming a E.U. citizen. And proof of residence in the state from date of becoming a E.U. citizen to date of application Please submit three different proofs of residence for each year showing name and address for this period i.e household bills (gas, electricity, phone, ntl), bank statements, revenue, mortgage agreement, social welfare, letter from employment, doctors letter etc.
- If you arrived in the state as a minor and is applying as an adult not older than 23 years and entered the State as a member of a family unit. Please submit a copy of your passport showing your permission to remain stamps from your sixteenth birthday to date of application, school letters from your date of arrival to date of application showing enrolment dates and periods of attendance and copies of your parents passports showing their permission to remain stamps from your date of arrival in the state to the date of your application

If application is based on Irish Association:

- If you are basing your application on Irish association (Section 16(2) defines Irish associations as meaning 'related by blood, affinity or adoption to a person who is an Irish citizen') you must submit documentation proving your Irish association.

PLEASE POST COMPLETED FORM AND ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION TO:

**CITIZENSHIP APPLICATIONS,
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, EQUALITY AND LAW REFORM,
HEFFERNAN HOUSE, DUNDRUM ROAD,
TIPPERARY TOWN.**