



ARCHDIOCESE OF DENVER

PETITION FOR RADICAL SANATION — page 1 of 3

IT IS THE DUTY OF THE PRIEST OR DEACON TO FILL OUT THE FOLLOWING PETITION AND TO SIGN THE OATH. THE PARTIES SHOULD NOT FILL OUT THIS PETITION, BUT THEY SHOULD BE QUESTIONED BY THE PRIEST OR DEACON.

Full Name of Groom: _____

Full Address of Groom: _____

Date and place of Birth: _____

Church and Date of Baptism: _____

Present Religion: _____ Religion at Wedding: _____

Full Name of Bride (*including Maiden*): _____

Full Address of Bride: _____

Date and place of Birth: _____

Church and Date of Baptism: _____

Present Religion: _____ Religion at Wedding: _____

Date and Place of Attempted Marriage: _____

Officiant Name and Title (*e.g., Minister, rabbi, etc.*): _____

1. At the time of this wedding, were there any impediments to this marriage. If so, Please specify the impediments: _____

2. Have these impediments ceased? _____ If not specify: _____

3. Was the marriage performed according to canonical form in the Catholic Church? If not, why not?

4. At the time of their wedding, did both parties intend to enter into a true marriage marked by permanence, mutual fidelity and openness to children? If not, please specify in what way their consent was defective: _____

5. At the time of their wedding, did both parties freely enter into marriage without force or coercion? If not, please explain: _____

6. At any time since the wedding, has either party changed his/her mind about the permanence of their marriage, the need for mutual fidelity, or their openness to children? If so, please give details: _____

7. Does the Groom remain satisfied with their relationship and desire to continue in a marital relationship with the Bride? _____ If not, why not? _____

8. Likewise, does the Bride remain satisfied with their relationship and desire to continue in a marital relationship with the Groom? _____ If not, why not? _____

9. If both parties are Catholic, have you decided not to inform them about the invalidity of their marriage? _____ If so, why? _____

10. If you have informed the parties about the invalidity of their marriage, do both understand why a Radical Sanation is needed and do both agree to it? _____ If not, please explain: _____

11. What are the reasons for NOT having the parties renew their matrimonial consent according to canonical form? _____

IF NO REASONS ARE PROVIDED FOR NO. 11, A RADICAL SANATION CANNOT BE APPROVED YOU MUST MOVE FORWARD WITH A CONVALIDATION OF THE MARRIAGE.

13. (FOR MIXED MARRIAGES ONLY) What assurances can you provide that all the children will be baptized and educated as Catholics and that the non-Catholic party will not interfere with the practice of the Faith? _____

THE FOLLOWING MUST ACCOMPANY THIS PETITION:

- \$25.00 non-refundable filing fee
- Certified, current baptismal certificates
- Certified marriage certificate
- MC form for necessary Permission or Dispensation
- (FOR MIXED MARRIAGES ONLY) The completed Promise and Declaration found on the MC Form.

OATH

I solemnly swear before God that, the testimony above, which I have recorded is true and accurate to the best of my ability; I have recorded the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth so help me God, and these His Holy Gospels, which I touch with my hand.

Signature of Priest or Deacon

This _____ day of _____, 20 ____.

(Parish Seal)

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Protocol Number _____ Case Names _____

Approval Recommended? _____ Date _____

Official _____