

**TRIBUNAL OF THE DIOCESE OF WORCESTER**

CASE NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PROT. NUM. \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED BY: \_\_\_\_\_ (Chancery Use Only)

**DEFECT OF SUBSTANTIAL FORM**

1. Your Name \_\_\_\_\_
2. Your Address \_\_\_\_\_
3. Your Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_
4. His Religion \_\_\_\_\_
5. Your Mother's Maiden Name \_\_\_\_\_
6. Her Religion \_\_\_\_\_
7. Date & Place of Your Birth \_\_\_\_\_
8. Your Religion \_\_\_\_\_
9. Do you practice your religion faithfully? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Who (preferably a priest) can give you a character testimony?  
\_\_\_\_\_
11. Do you recognize the sanctity & obligation of an oath? \_\_\_\_\_
12. Do you realize that what you say now will be the truth to the best of your ability? \_\_\_\_\_

**INTERROGATORY PARTICULARS**

1. You contracted marriage with whom, when, where, & before whom?  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. When & where were you baptized? (Name & address of church)  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. Why was this marriage attempted outside the Catholic Church?  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. What was the religion of your spouse? \_\_\_\_\_ Was he/she ever baptized & if so, when & where? \_\_\_\_\_

5. Where did you live during the continuance of the marriage? Give names of cities or towns

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6. Where any children born of this marriage? \_\_\_\_\_

If they were baptized give name and address of church \_\_\_\_\_

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7. Was any attempt made to have your marriage blessed or validated in the Catholic Church?

\_\_\_\_\_ If not, why not? \_\_\_\_\_

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If so, when & where was the attempt made? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ By whom? \_\_\_\_\_

With what success? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Has this marriage been civilly dissolved? \_\_\_\_\_

When & Where? \_\_\_\_\_

9. What were the major problems in this marriage? \_\_\_\_\_

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10. What is the present name and address of your former spouse? \_\_\_\_\_

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If unknown, what is that last known address? \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Petitioner

DATE:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Assisting Priest

PLACE:

SEAL

DOCUMENTS NEEDED:

1. Recent Catholic Party Baptismal Certificate
2. Complete Marriage Certificate
3. Final Divorce Decree