

**DECLARATION TO BE SWORN BY THE SOLE GUARDIAN OF THE CHILD**

I (full name)

\_\_\_\_\_

of (full address)

\_\_\_\_\_  
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aged \_\_\_\_\_ years and upwards, make oath and say as follows:-

I am the sole guardian of (full names of child)

\_\_\_\_\_

born the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year of \_\_\_\_\_. I beg to refer to the birth certificate of the said child upon which, marked with the letter "X", I have signed my name prior to the swearing hereof.

I say that I am the sole guardian of the said child and that:

- there is no other guardian of the said child pursuant to the Guardianship of Infants Act 1964;
- there is no court order giving any other person guardianship over the said child, or rights and responsibilities equivalent to guardianship over the said child, or parental responsibility in relation to the said child;
- I have not entered into any arrangement or agreement which has the effect of making, or purports to make any other person a guardian of the said child jointly with me, or otherwise relating to any other person having rights and responsibilities equivalent to guardianship over the said child, or having parental responsibility in relation to the said child;
- no other person is a guardian, or has rights and responsibilities equivalent to guardianship over the said child, or has parental responsibility in relation to the said child by operation of law;
- no other circumstances exist whereby there is a guardian, or whereby another person has rights and responsibilities equivalent to guardianship over the said child, or has parental responsibility in relation to the said child.

I make this Declaration from facts within my own knowledge save where otherwise appears.

Sworn and declared by the above named

\_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_  
day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ at

\_\_\_\_\_ before me (print full name)

\_\_\_\_\_  
[who is personally known to me],  
or

[who is 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. [passport number] issued on [date of issue] by the authorities of [issuing state], which is an authority recognised by the Irish Government]

Or

national identity card no. [identity card number] issued on [date of issue] by the authorities of [issuing state] [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) [passport number] issued on [date of issue] by the authorities of [issuing state] which is an authority recognised by the Irish Government]

Or

refugee travel document no. [document number] issued on [date of issue] by the Minister for Justice

or

Irish Residency Permit [document number] issued on [date of issue] by the Minister for Justice

Signature of Deponent OFFICIAL SEAL OR STAMP

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Signature of Person Administering Oath/Declaration  
and Telephone Number

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This document must be sworn or declared before a person authorised by law to administer oaths.