

**SWORN STATEMENT IN APPLICATION FOR A
CERTIFICATE OF LEGAL CAPACITY TO CONTRACT MARRIAGE**

I, _____, a Filipino citizen of legal age, after having been duly sworn in accordance with law, hereby depose and say:

1. That I was born on _____ in/at _____;
2. That I am **single** / **a widow/widower** / **a person whose prior marriage was annulled** / **a divorcee within the meaning of Article 26 of the Family Code of the Philippines** and do not possess any legal impediment or disqualification to contract marriage under the laws of the Republic of the Philippines;
3. That I am _____ years old;
4. That I am the bearer of Philippine passport no. _____ issued on _____ in _____;
5. That my father's full name is _____;
6. That my mother's full name is _____;
7. That my and/or my parent's permanent address in the Philippines is _____, with telephone no. _____;
8. That I am currently residing at (address in Germany) _____, with telephone no. _____ and email _____;
9. That I wish to marry _____;
10. That my fiancé/e is single / a widow/widower / a person whose prior marriage was annulled / a divorcee;
11. That he/she was born on _____ in/at _____, and is a citizen of _____ currently residing at _____;
12. That his/her parents are _____ and _____;
13. That my fiancé/e and I are / are not related to each other by consanguinity; and
14. That in executing this Sworn Statement, I am hereby applying for the issuance of a Certificate of Legal Capacity to Contract Marriage.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this ____ day of _____ 20____ in _____, Germany.

Signature of Affiant

X ----- X

FOREIGN SERVICE OF THE PHILIPPINES)
Consulate General of the Philippines)
S.S. Frankfurt, Germany)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this _____ day of _____ 20____ in Frankfurt, Germany.

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INFORMATION SHEET ON FILIPINO NATIONALS MARRYING IN GERMANY
(Certificate of Legal Capacity to Contract Marriage, or LCCM)

REQUIREMENTS

1. **Personal appearance** of the applicant
2. Accomplished **Sworn Statement** (see previous page)
3. Applicant's **valid Passport** – original + photocopy
4. Applicant's **Birth Certificate** issued on PSA security paper and duly authenticated by the DFA – original + 1 photocopy
5. Copy of **passport or Personalausweis of the fiancé(e)**
6. One **photo** (size: 4.5cm x 3.5cm) each of the applicant and fiancé(e)
7. Requirement for the following types of applicants:

SINGLE	- PSA Certificate of No Record of Marriage (CENOMAR) duly authenticated by the Department of Foreign Affairs (DFA). The CENOMAR must not be more than 6 months old. The purpose in securing the certificate should clearly state that it will be used for marriage abroad.	1 original + 1 photocopy
WIDOWED	- DFA authenticated PSA Marriage Certificate with the deceased spouse; and - DFA authenticated PSA Death Certificate of deceased spouse (<i>if the deceased spouse died in the Philippines</i>); OR DFA authenticated PSA Report of Death (<i>if the deceased spouse was a Philippine citizen who died abroad</i>); OR Death Certificate of deceased spouse duly authenticated/ Apostilled by the competent authority (<i>if the deceased spouse was a foreign citizen who died outside the Philippines</i>).	1 original + 1 photocopy each
PREVIOUS MARRIAGE WAS ANNULLED IN THE PHILIPPINES	- DFA authenticated Court Decree of Annulment with a Certificate of Finality ; and - DFA authenticated PSA Marriage Certificate with the former spouse bearing the annotation of annulment .	1 original + 1 photocopy each
DIVORCED BY FOREIGN SPOUSE <i>(see note below)</i>	- Court Decree of Divorce with English translation, duly authenticated/Apostilled by the competent authority; and - Authenticated PSA Marriage Certificate / Report of Marriage with the former spouse bearing the annotation of divorce .	1 original + 1 photocopy each
PREVIOUS MARRIAGE WAS ANNULLED IN GERMANY <i>(see note below)</i>	- Court Decree of Annulment with English translation authenticated by the Landgericht; and - DFA authenticated PSA Marriage Contract / Report of Marriage with the former spouse bearing the annotation of annulment .	1 original + 1 photocopy each

*Note: For applicants **previously divorced by their foreign spouse** and those whose **previous marriage was annulled in Germany**: Pursuant to a decision of the Supreme Court of the Philippines, you must first of all: (1) have your foreign divorce or annulment judicially confirmed by a Regional Trial Court (RTC) in the Philippines; (2) register the RTC confirmation/decision with the PSA Local Civil Registry Office of the city/municipality where the RTC is functioning; and (3) secure from the PSA a copy of your Marriage Contract / Report of Marriage (to the former spouse) bearing the annotation of divorce or annulment, as the case may be. Only after this process is completed can you apply for a Certificate of Legal Capacity to Contract Marriage from the Consulate.*

8. Additional requirements for young applicants below 25 years of age:
 - **BETWEEN 18-20 YEARS OF AGE** – Affidavit of Parental Consent. Affidavits coming from the Philippines must be authenticated by the Department of Foreign Affairs, Manila;
 - **BETWEEN 21-25 YEARS OF AGE** – Sworn Statement that parental advice was sought.
9. After completion of all requirements, the LCCM certification will be issued after ten working days. During this time, the announcement of the marriage of the concerned individuals will be posted at the Consulate's premises, as a notice to the public.
10. Fees (Single, over 25):

Sworn Statement	Euro 25.00
<u>Certificate</u>	<u>Euro 25.00</u>
Total	Euro 50.00

For special cases: Additional Euro 25.00 per document.

For further questions, please email the Consulate at civilregistry.frankfurtpcg@gmail.com.