



## Application to Deposit a Declaration by Family Court as to sex of person aged 18 or over

There are two forms of application to deposit a declaration by the Family Court as to sex:

BDM 65 for those aged 18 years or over, or who have married, and  
BDM 66 for those aged under 18 years and who have never married.

Please ensure you have the right form.

### *For this application, you need to:*

- be 18 years of age or over or have married
- have your birth registered in New Zealand
- have a declaration from the Family Court with the details of the sex to be included on the birth register
- be not legally married to a person of your nominated sex.

### *How to complete the form:*

- 1 As the person whose sex is to be recorded in accordance with the Family Court declaration, please fill in the form personally.
- 2 To complete the application the following must be sent to the Central Registry in Wellington:
  - The completed application form (BDM 65)
  - A full birth certificate establishing the birth in New Zealand of the person whose nominated sex in the Family Court declaration is to be recorded
  - The declaration from the Family Court
  - The application fee: \$50.00
  - New birth certificate if required \$26.00

The form, evidence of birth date, Family Court declaration and fee needs to be sent to:

Births, Deaths and Marriages Central Registry  
P O Box 10526  
Wellington  
New Zealand

### *Any Queries*

If you would like some assistance with filling in this form, please contact your local Registrar or Central Registry, telephone 0800 22 52 52

**The information on this form and the declaration is collected in accordance with the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act 1995.**

**This form, the accompanying declaration and certificate, and the details relating to your sex at birth will not be publicly available, except where the Registrar-General is satisfied the information is required in relation to the administration of an estate or trust, a marriage, or by order of a Court.**

**A new birth registration will be made from the information provided. The information is available as a certificate, as a copy of the registration or through an inspection of the register. Corrections may be made as provided for in the Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act 1995.**



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## PERSON WHOSE SEX IS TO BE RECORDED

Please print clearly

Name currently known by

First or given name(s)

Surname or family name

Sex at birth as shown on birth registration

Name at birth  
(if different from above)

First or given name(s)

Surname or family name

Date of birth

day

month

year

Place of birth

City or Town in New Zealand

Home address

Usual occupation, profession or job

## IF CURRENTLY LEGALLY MARRIED - DETAILS OF THE MARRIAGE

If you are legally married to a person of your nominated sex the Registrar-General is prohibited by law from including your nominated sex on your birth registration.

Name(s) used for marriage

First or given name(s)

Surname or family name

Date of marriage

day

month

year

Place of marriage

City or Town

Country (if not New Zealand)

To whom currently married  
- Give full name at time of marriage

First or given name(s)

Surname or family name

## NEW NAME

Name you want to appear on  
future birth certificates

First or given name(s)

Surname or family name

Tick one circle

The Family Court has declared that my registration of birth should show sex as:

Male

Female

I wish the information about the sex nominated in the attached Family Court declaration to be recorded on my birth certificate.

Signed

Date

Contact telephone number where the  
Central Registry can contact you  
during working hours if they have  
any questions about this application

Telephone number

The Births, Deaths and Marriages Central Registry will keep the birth certificate and Family Court declaration sent with this form. The birth certificate and declaration will not be publicly available.