INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING IN THE REQUEST FORM FOR CERTIFIED COPY OF MARRIAGE RECORD (GENEALOGY)

Essential Certificate information:

- Name of applicant 1
  - Provide first name, full middle name, and last name of bride/groom/spouse/partner. Provide all names the individual may be known by (i.e. maiden, married, or nick names).

- Name of applicant 2
  - Provide first name, full middle name, and last name of bride/groom/spouse/partner. Provide all names the individual may be known by (i.e. maiden, married, or nick names).

- Date of ceremony
  - Indicate to the best of your knowledge the month, date and year of marriage.

- Place of ceremony
  - City/Town: List City, Camp, Town or District of marriage
  - Island: List Island the ceremony took place

Requestor information:

- Relationship of Requestor to Person Named on Certificate
  - For vital records of events that occurred 115 years or less prior to the current year, the applicant must establish a direct and tangible interest in the records (i.e. grandchild, grandniece/grandnephew, cousin, etc.).
  - Submit proof of direct lineage to the registrant. Provide document(s) tracing your relationship to the registrant (i.e. copies of certified birth, death, or marriage certificates).
  - If Requestor is from an agency representing an individual, include an authorization letter or court order allowing the agency to obtain vital records on behalf of the individual.
  - If Requestor is applying as the Power of Attorney, provide legal power of attorney documents.

- Reason for the request
  - Write Genealogy, application for OHA grants/benefits, Department of Hawaiian Homelands, or Kamehameha Schools programs.

- Email of requestor
  - If available, please provide a reliable email address.

- Phone
  - If available, please provide a reliable residence or business phone number. Please include area code (i.e 808-586-0000)

- Address
  - Number and Street or P.O. Box City, State, Island, Zip code

- Signature of Requestor
  - Requestor must sign the “Signature of Requestor” on the marriage certificate request form

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