



**APPLICATION FOR RETROACTIVE VALIDATION**  
**(ONE PARTY CATHOLIC)**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ born on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ and baptized  
at \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
and residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
in the Parish of \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_  
request that my marital union entered on \_\_\_\_\_ at  
\_\_\_\_\_ (Church/Temple/Registry Office) in  
\_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ who was born on  
\_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ and is

- a baptized member of the \_\_\_\_\_
- doubtfully baptized
- never baptized

may be validated without renewal of consent before a priest and two witnesses.

Our relationship as a couple is stable.

I re-affirm my faith in Jesus Christ, and with God's help intend to continue living in that faith in the Catholic faith.

My partner is aware / not aware of my application but is aware of my obligations as a Catholic.

Date:

Signature:

*(Catholic party)*

**TO BE COMPLETED BY PRIEST**

As the non-Catholic party holds that he/she is already married and unwilling to renew consent according to the Canonical Form, I recommend the granting of this validation.

Name of Priest/ Deacon:

Signature:

Date:

Parish Seal:

*Note:*

- 1. The Diocesan Bishop cannot grant a retroactive validation in cases where a marriage was invalid because of the existence of a previous valid marriage or, because of an impediment mentioned in Canon 1078 §2.*
- 2. The usual application for permission/ dispensation is to be made in mixed/ disparity of cult marriage cases.*

**DIOCESE OF PENANG (for Curial use only)**

Granted at: \_\_\_\_\_ Ref. No. \_\_\_\_\_

On: \_\_\_\_\_

By (Name): \_\_\_\_\_

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[Bishop/Delegate]