INTERNAL AFFAIRS
Te Tari Taiwhenua

DEED OF PATERNITY

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE FATHER OF THE CHILD BEFORE A SOLICITOR

By this Deed which is intended to be deposited in the office of the Secretary for Internal Affairs at Wellington, New Zealand for the purposes of section 3(1)(b) of the *Citizenship Act 1977* as required by section 8 of the *Status of Children Act 1969*:

I _____
(*father's full name*)

of _____
(*father's full address*)

born on ____/____/____ at _____
(*father's date of birth*) (*father's place and country of birth*)

do hereby declare that I am the natural father

of _____
(*child's full name*)

born on ____/____/____ at _____
(*child's date of birth*) (*child's place and country of birth*)

to _____
(*mother's full name*)

born on ____/____/____ at _____ .
(*mother's date of birth*) (*mother's place and country of birth*)

Signed _____
(*signature of **FATHER***)

on ____/____/____ at _____
(*date signed*) (*place signed*)

in the presence of _____ .
(*full name of solicitor*)

Signature of Solicitor: _____

Occupation: _____

Full Address: _____

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