

SUGGESTED EVIDENCE OF BONA FIDE MARRIAGE

- 1.# Photographs that show both spouses together, and with family and friends. These can be taken at the wedding, at other functions or events, and throughout their relationship.
- 2.# Copies of joint income tax returns.
- 3.# Evidence of joint checking or savings accounts.
- 4.# Photo identification cards of both spouses with a new card for the wife showing her married name.
- 5.# Driver's licenses, credit cards, check cashing cards, employment I.D. cards, video club memberships, etc. for both parties.
- 6.# Real property deeds showing joint tenancy.
- 7.# Apartment Lease or a letter from the landlord indicating that both spouses live at the apartment, or copies of rent receipts showing both parties' names.
- 8.# Letter from an employer showing a change in records to reflect spouse's new marital status.
- 9.# Letter from an employer showing designation of the spouse as the person to be notified in event of accident, sickness or other emergency.
- 10.# Evidence of life insurance policies where the spouse is named beneficiary.
- 11.# Evidence of medical or health insurance plans which name the spouse as a member or beneficiary.
- 12.# Evidence of correspondence between the parties, including letters, birthday and holiday cards, telephone calls and other correspondence addressed to the parties.
- 13.# Religious marriage certificate if there was a church wedding.
- 14.# Copies of gas, electric, telephone and other utility bills.
- 15.# Evidence of joint ownership of automobile.
- 16.# Birth certificates of children born of the relationship.
- 17.# Evidence of vacations taken together, including airline tickets and hotel bills.
- 18.# Evidence of all major purchases made together, such as stereo, television, refrigerator, washer, dryer, etc.

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