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**Form I-600A, Application for Advance Processing of an Orphan Petition**

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| **Page 1, For USCIS Use Only** | **[Page 1]**  **For USCIS Use Only**  **The applicant is:**  Married  Unmarried  **The applicant is approved to adopt an orphan from** (if specified):  [Fillable Field] (Name of non-Hague Convention Country)  **Approval Valid Until:**  **Final Adjudicating Office:**  **Action Block**  **Receipt/Fee Stamp**  **Remarks**  **To be Completed by an Attorney or Accredited Representative** (if any)  **Select this box if Form G-28 or Form G-28I is attached.**  **Attorney State Bar Number** (if applicable):  **Attorney or Accredited Representative USCIS Online Account Number** (if any) | **[Page 1]**  **For USCIS Use Only**  **The applicant is:**  Married  Unmarried  **The applicant is approved to adopt an orphan from** (if specified):  [Fillable Field] (Name of non-Hague Country)  **Approval Valid Until:**  **Final Adjudicating Office:**  **Action Block**  **Receipt/Fee Stamp**  **Remarks**  **To be Completed by an Attorney or Accredited Representative** (if any)  **Select this box if Form G-28 or Form G-28I is attached.**  **Attorney State Bar Number** (if applicable):  **Attorney or Accredited Representative USCIS Online Account Number** (if any) |
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Yes  No  **NOTE:** If you answered "Yes,” provide a detailed explanation in the space provided in **Part 9. Additional Information**.  **17.** What is your marital status? Single  Married  Separated  Divorced  Widowed  **18.** How many times have you been married (including your current marriage, if applicable)?  [content moved from later in this Part]  **NOTE:** If you are not currently married, skip to **Item Number 30.**  ***Information About Your Current Marriage***  **19.** Date of Current Marriage (mm/dd/yyyy)  **20.** Place Where Current Marriage Occurred  **21.** Name of Your Current Spouse  Family Name (Last Name)  Given Name (First Name)  Middle Name (if applicable)  **22.** Other Names Your Current Spouse Has Used (if any)  Provide all other names your spouse has ever used, including aliases, maiden name, and nicknames. If you need extra space to complete this section, use the space provided in **Part 9. 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Yes No  **D.** Been the subject of any investigation at any time even if closed or unsubstantiated, by any child welfare agency, court, or other official authority in any state or foreign country concerning the abuse or neglect of any child? Yes No  **39.** Has your spouse **EVER**, whether in or outside the United States:  **A.** Been investigated, arrested, cited, charged, indicted, convicted, fined, or imprisoned for breaking or violating any law or ordinance? (Answer “Yes,” even if the record of the arrest, conviction, or other adverse criminal history was expunged, sealed, pardoned, or the subject of any other amelioration. Do not include traffic violations, except for violations for driving or operating a vehicle while intoxicated or while impaired by or under the influence of alcohol or other intoxicant.) Yes No  **[Page 7]**  **B.** Received the beneficiary of a pardon, amnesty, rehabilitation decree, other act of clemency, or similar action? Yes No  **C.** Received a suspended sentence, been placed on probation or parole, or been in an alternative sentencing or rehabilitation program, such as diversion, deferred prosecution, deferred or withheld adjudication, or expungement of a criminal charge? Yes No  **D.** Been the subject of any investigation at any time even if closed or unsubstantiated, by any child welfare agency, court, or other official authority in any state or foreign country concerning the abuse or neglect of any child? Yes No | **[Page 6]**  **Part 4. Information About Prior Filings or Adoptions**  If you need extra space to complete **Item Numbers 1. - 6.,** use the space provided in **Part 12. Additional Information.**  **1.** Have you ever previously filed Form I-600A; Form I-600, Petition to Classify Orphan as an Immediate Relative; Form I-800A, Application for Determination of Suitability to Adopt a Child From a Convention Country; Form I-800, Petition to Classify Convention Adoptee as an Immediate Relative; or Form I-130 Petition for Alien Relative for an adopted child? Yes No  If you answered "Yes," provide the following information for **EACH** petition and/or application:  Type of Application/Petition Filed:  Form I-600A  Form I-600  Form I-800A  Form I-800  Form I-130 (for an adopted child)  Result:  Approved  Denied  Withdrawn  Revoked  Other (please explain): [fillable field]  Date (mm/dd/yyyy)  **2.** Have you previously completed a domestic adoption of a child within the U.S.? Yes No  If you answered “Yes,” provide the following information for each completed domestic adoption.  State And Country Where Adoption Was Finalized  Date Adoption Was Finalized (mm/dd/yyyy)  **3.** Have you ever previously attempted to adopt a child internationally or domestically, but the adoption was disrupted before it was finalized? An adoption is disrupted if you (or a custodian escorting the child on your behalf) are granted legal custody or guardianship of the child but the adoptive placement is interrupted *before* the adoption was finalized. Yes No  If you answered “Yes,” provide a detailed description of the disruption.  [Fillable field]  **[Page 6]**  **4.** Have you ever previously completed an adoption, either in the United States or abroad, that was later dissolved? An adoption is dissolved if your parental rights over the adopted child are terminated at any time ***after*** the adoption was finalized. Yes No  If you answered “Yes,” provide a detailed description of the dissolution.  [Fillable field]  **5.** Have you ever previously placed a child in the care of another person with the intent to transfer permanent custody of the child? Yes No  If you answered “Yes,” provide a detailed description of the placement.  [Fillable field]  **6.** Have you ever received a child with the intent to gain permanent custody but without involving child welfare or other state/local authorities or following a state/local process? Yes No  If you answered “Yes,” provide a detailed description of the custody transfer.  [Fillable field]  **[deleted]** |
| **Pages 7-9,**  **Part 2. Information About Your Home Study Preparer and/or Adoption Service Provider** | **[Page 7]**  **Part 2. Information About Your Home Study Preparer and/or Adoption Service Provider**  **1.** Your home study:  **A.** **IS** **attached** to this Form I-600A.  **B. IS NOT** **attached** to this Form I-600A, but will be submitted within one year from the date you file this Form I-600A. (If your home study is not received within one year, U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) will deny your Form I-600A under 8 CFR 204.3(c)(2) and (h)(5).)  ***Information About Your Home Study Preparer***  **2.** Information About Who Prepared or Will Prepare Your Home Study  **A.** Name of Home Study Preparer  **B.** Point of Contact Within the Organization (if applicable)  Family Name (Last Name)  Given Name (First Name)  **C.** Home Study Preparer's Mailing Address and Contact Information  Street Number and Name  Apt. Ste. Flr.  Number  City or Town  State  ZIP Code  Province  Postal Code  Country  **D.** Home Study Preparer's Daytime Telephone Number  **E.** Home Study Preparer's Fax Number (if any)  **F.** Home Study Preparer's Email Address (if any)  ***Information About Your Home Study Reviewer and Approver*** *(if applicable)*  If your home study was not performed by an accredited agency, an accredited agency must review and approve your home study before you submit it to USCIS. This requirement does not apply to a home study that was prepared by a public domestic authority or a public foreign authority.  **3.** Information About Who Reviewed And Approved (or will review and approve) Your Home Study (if applicable)  **A.** Name of Home Study Reviewer/Approver  **[Page 8]**  **B.** Point of Contact Within the Organization  Family Name (Last Name)  Given Name (First Name)  **C.** Reviewer’s/Approver's Mailing Address and Contact Information  Street Number and Name  Apt. Ste. Flr.  Number  City or Town  State  ZIP Code  Province  Postal Code  Country  **D.** Home Study Reviewer’s/Approver's Daytime Telephone Number  **E.** Home Study Reviewer’s/Approver's Fax Number (if any)  **F.** Home Study Reviewer’s/Approver's Email Address (if any)  ***Information About Your Primary Adoption Service Provider*** *(if applicable)*  A primary adoption service provider is the accredited agency or approved person who is responsible under 22 CFR 96 for ensuring all six adoption services defined in 22 CFR 96.2 are provided according to the law, for supervising and being responsible for supervised providers when used (see 22 CFR 96.14), and for developing and implementing a service plan in accordance with 22 CFR 96.44.  **4.** Is your home study preparer or the agency that reviewed and approved your home study also your primary adoption service provider?  Yes No  If you answered “Yes,” indicate which individual or organization provided in either **Item Number 2.** or **Item Number 3.** is serving as your primary adoption service provider.  [Fillable field]  If you answered “No,” you must answer **Item Number 5.**  **5.** Have you identified another accredited agency or approved person to serve as your primary adoption service provider?  [] Yes, I have identified a primary adoption service provider that will be responsible for my case. Provide the name and contact information of your primary adoption service provider in **Item A. - E.** below.  [] No, I have not yet identified a primary adoption service provider that will be responsible for my case.  **NOTE:** If you have not identified a different agency to serve as your primary adoption service provider, the individual or agency that prepared or reviewed and approved your home study must serve as your primary adoption service provider when you file your Form I-600 petition on behalf of a specific child. See the **General Instructions** section of the Form I-600A’s Instructions for more information.  Provide the name and contact information of the primary adoption service provider that will be responsible for your case.  **A.** Name of Primary Adoption Service Provider  **[Page 9]**  **B.** Point of Contact Within the Organization  Family Name (Last Name)  Given Name (First Name)  **C.** Primary Adoption Service Provider’s Daytime Telephone Number  **D.** Primary Adoption Service Provider’s Fax Number (if any)  **E.** Primary Adoption Service Provider’s Email Address (if any) | **[Page 7]**  **Part 5. Information About Your Home Study Preparer and/or Primary Adoption Service Provider**  **1.** Your home study:  **A.** **IS** **attached** to this Form I-600A.  **B. IS NOT** **attached** to this Form I-600A, but will be submitted within one year from the date you file this Form I-600A. (If your home study is not received within one year, USCIS will deny your Form I-600A under 8 CFR 204.3(c)(2) and (h)(5).)  ***Information About Your Home Study Preparer***  **2.** Information About Who Prepared or Will Prepare Your Home Study  **A.** Name of Home Study Preparer  **B.** Point of Contact Within the Organization (if applicable)  Family Name (Last Name)  Given Name (First Name)  **C.** Home Study Preparer's Mailing Address and Contact Information  Street Number and Name  Apt. Ste. Flr.  Number  City or Town  State  ZIP Code  Province  Postal Code  Country  **[Page 8]**  **D.** Home Study Preparer's Daytime Telephone Number  **E.** Home Study Preparer's Fax Number (if any)  **F.** Home Study Preparer's Email Address (if any)  ***Information About Your Home Study Reviewer and Approver*** *(if applicable)*  If your home study was not performed by an accredited agency, an accredited agency must review and approve your home study before you submit it to USCIS. This requirement does not apply to a home study that was prepared by a public domestic authority or a public foreign authority.  **3.** Information About Who Reviewed And Approved (or will review and approve) Your Home Study (if applicable)  **A.** Name of Home Study Reviewer/Approver  **B.** Point of Contact Within the Organization  Family Name (Last Name)  Given Name (First Name)  **C.** Reviewer’s/Approver's Mailing Address and Contact Information  Street Number and Name  Apt. Ste. Flr.  Number  City or Town  State  ZIP Code  Province  Postal Code  Country  **D.** Home Study Reviewer’s/Approver's Daytime Telephone Number  **E.** Home Study Reviewer’s/Approver's Fax Number (if any)  **F.** Home Study Reviewer’s/Approver's Email Address (if any)  ***Information About Your Primary Adoption Service Provider*** *(if applicable)*  A primary adoption service provider is the accredited agency or approved person who is responsible under 22 CFR 96 for ensuring all six adoption services defined in 22 CFR 96.2 are provided according to the law, for supervising and being responsible for supervised providers when used (see 22 CFR 96.14), and for developing and implementing a service plan in accordance with 22 CFR 96.44.  **4.** Is your home study preparer or the agency that reviewed and approved your home study also your primary adoption service provider?  Yes No  If you answered “Yes,” indicate which individual or organization provided in either **Item Number 2.** or **Item Number 3.** is serving as your primary adoption service provider.  [Fillable field]  If you answered “No” to **Item Number 4.**, you must answer **Item Number 5.**  **[Page 9]**  **5.** Have you identified another accredited agency or approved person to serve as your primary adoption service provider?  [] Yes, I have identified a primary adoption service provider that will be responsible for my case. Provide the name and contact information of your primary adoption service provider in **Item A.** below.  [] No, I have not yet identified a primary adoption service provider that will be responsible for my case.  **NOTE:** If, during the adoption process, you do not identify a different agency to serve as your primary adoption service provider, the individual or agency that prepared or reviewed and approved your home study must serve as your primary adoption service provider when you file your Form I-600 petition on behalf of a specific child. See the **General Instructions** section of the Form I-600A’s Instructions for more information.  Provide the name and contact information of the primary adoption service provider that will be responsible for your case.  **A.** Name of Primary Adoption Service Provider  **[Page 9]**  **B.** Point of Contact Within the Organization  Family Name (Last Name)  Given Name (First Name)  **C.** Primary Adoption Service Provider's Mailing Address Street Number and Name Apt. Ste. Flr. Number City or Town State ZIP Code  **D.** Primary Adoption Service Provider’s Daytime Telephone Number  **E.** Primary Adoption Service Provider’s Fax Number (if any)  **F.** Primary Adoption Service Provider’s Email Address (if any)  **6.** The primary adoption service provider named above is one of the following:  **A.** An accredited agency in the United States. Yes/No  **B.** An approved person in the United States. Yes/No |
| **Page 9,**  **Part 3. Information About Your Intended Adoption(s)** | **[Page 9]**  **Part 3. Information About Your Intended Adoption(s)**  **1.** What country do you intend to adopt from (if known)?  **2.** Do you or your spouse (if married) plan to travel abroad to locate or adopt a child? Yes No  **3.** If you answered "Yes" to **Item Number 2.**, provide the following information (if available):  **A.** Your Intended Departure Date (mm/dd/yyyy) **B.** Your Spouse's Intended Departure Date (mm/dd/yyyy)  **C.** Place to Which You or Your Spouse (if married) Are Traveling  City or Town Province Country  **4.** Will you and your spouse (if married) adopt the child abroad after either you or your spouse (if married) have personally seen and observed the child before or during the adoption proceedings? Yes No  **5.** If you know that the child will be adopted in the United States, provide a written description of all the pre-adoption requirements of the state of the child's proposed residence. Cite any relevant state statutes and regulations, and describe the steps you have already taken or will take to comply with these requirements. Identify and explain any pre-adoption requirements that you cannot meet at this time as a result of state law. If you need extra space to complete this **Item Number.,** use the space provided in **Part 9. Additional Information.**  [Fillable Field]  **6.** Where do you wish to file your Form I-600 orphan petition? (Complete **one** of the options below)  **A.** The USCIS office located at:  **OR**  **B.** The U.S. Embassy or U.S. Consulate located at:  **7.** Do you plan to adopt more than one child? Yes No  **8.** If you answered "Yes," enter the number of children you plan to adopt. | **[Page 9]**  **Part 6. Information About Your Intended Adoption(s)**  **1.** What country do you intend to adopt from (if known)?  **2.** Do you or your spouse (if married) plan to travel abroad to locate or adopt a child? Yes No  **[Page 10]**  **3.** If you answered "Yes" to **Item Number 2.**, provide the following information (if available):  **A.** Your Intended Departure Date (mm/dd/yyyy) **B.** Your Spouse's Intended Departure Date (mm/dd/yyyy)  **C.** Place to Which You or Your Spouse (if married) Are Traveling  City or Town Province Country  **4.** Will you and your spouse (if married) adopt the child abroad after either you or your spouse (if married) have personally seen and observed the child before or during the adoption proceedings? Yes No  **5.** If you know that the child will be adopted in the United States, provide a written description of all the pre-adoption requirements of the state of the child's proposed residence. Cite any relevant state statutes and regulations, and describe the steps you have already taken or will take to comply with these requirements. Identify and explain any pre-adoption requirements that you cannot meet at this time as a result of state law. If you need extra space to complete this **Item Number.,** use the space provided in **Part 12. Additional Information.**  [Fillable Field]  **6.** Where do you wish to file your Form I-600 orphan petition? (Complete **one** of the options below)  **A.** The USCIS office located at:  **OR**  **B.** The U.S. Embassy or U.S. Consulate located at:  **7.** Do you plan to adopt more than one child? Yes No  **8.** If you answered "Yes," enter the number of children you plan to adopt. |
| **Page 10,**  **Part 4. Accommodations for Individuals With Disabilities and/or Impairments** | **[Page 10]**  **Part 4. Accommodations for Individuals With Disabilities and/or Impairments**  **NOTE:** Read the information in the Form I-600A Instructions before completing this section.  **1.** Are you requesting an accommodation because of your disabilities and/or impairments?  Yes  No  **2.** If you answered “Yes,” select all applicable boxes below that indicate who has the disabilities and/or impairments.  Applicant  Spouse  Other Adult Household Member  **3.** If you answered “Yes” to **Item Number 1**., select all applicable boxes in **Items A. - C.** and provide an answer for each person with disabilities and/or impairments.  **A.** Deaf or hard of hearing and request the following accommodation. (If requesting a sign-language interpreter, indicate for which language (for example, American Sign Language):  [Fillable Field]  **B.** Blind or have low vision and request the following accommodation:  [Fillable Field]  **C.** Another type of disability and/or impairment. (Describe the nature of the disability and/or impairment and the requested accommodation):  [Fillable Field] | **[Page 10]**  **Part 7. Accommodations for Individuals With Disabilities and/or Impairments**  **NOTE:** Read the information in the Form I-600A Instructions before completing this section.  **1.** Are you requesting an accommodation because of your disabilities and/or impairments?  Yes  No  **2.** If you answered “Yes,” select all applicable boxes below that indicate who has the disabilities and/or impairments.  Applicant  Spouse  Adult Member of the Household  **3.** If you answered “Yes” to **Item Number 1**., select all applicable boxes in **Items A. - C.** and provide an answer for each person with disabilities and/or impairments.  **A.** Deaf or hard of hearing and request the following accommodation. (If requesting a sign-language interpreter, indicate for which language (for example, American Sign Language):  [Fillable Field]  **[Page 11]**  **B.** Blind or have low vision and request the following accommodation:  [Fillable Field]  **C.** Another type of disability and/or impairment. (Describe the nature of the disability and/or impairment and the requested accommodation):  [Fillable Field] |
| **Pages 10-11,**  **Part 5. Applicant’s Statement, Certification, Duty of Disclosure, and Signature** | **[Page 10]**  **Part 5. Applicant’s Statement, Certification, Duty of Disclosure, and Signature**  **NOTE:** Read the **Penalties** section of the Form I-600A Instructions before completing this section.  ***Applicant’s Statement***  **1.** Applicant’s Statement Regarding the Interpreter (Select the box for either **Item A.** or **B.**)  **A.** I can read and understand English, and I have read and understand every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question.  **B.** The interpreter named in **Part 7.** read to me every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question in [Fillable field], a language in which I am fluent, and I understood everything.  **2.** Applicant’s Statement Regarding the Preparer (if applicable)  At my request, the preparer named in **Part 8.,** [Fillable field], prepared this application for me based only upon information I provided or authorized.  ***Applicant’s Certification***  Copies of any documents I have submitted are exact photocopies of unaltered, original documents, and I understand that USCIS may require that I submit original documents to USCIS at a later date. Furthermore, I authorize the release of any information from any and all of my records that USCIS may need to determine my suitability and eligibility as an adoptive parent.  I furthermore authorize release of information contained in this application, in supporting documents, and in my USCIS records, to other entities and persons where necessary for the administration and enforcement of U.S. immigration law.  **[Page 11]**  I understand that USCIS will require me to appear for an appointment to take my biometrics (for example, fingerprints, photograph, and/or signature) and, at that time, I will be required to sign an oath reaffirming that:  **1)** I reviewed and provided or authorized all of the information in my application;  **2)** I understood all of the information contained in, and submitted with, my application; and  **3)** All of this information was complete, true, and correct at the time of filing.  I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I provided or authorized all of the information in my application, I understand all of the information contained in and submitted with my application, and that all of this information is complete, true, and correct.  ***Applicant’s Duty of Disclosure***  I understand the ongoing duty to disclose information concerning my suitability and eligibility as an adoptive parent, as described in the Form I-600A and/or Form I-600 Instructions, and I agree to notify my home study preparer and USCIS of any new information that I am required to disclose.  ***Applicant’s Signature***  **3.** Applicant’s Signature Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)  **NOTE TO ALL APPLICANTS:** If you do not completely fill out this application or fail to submit required documents listed in the Instructions, USCIS may deny your application. | **[Page 11]**  **Part 8. Applicant’s Statement, Certification, Duty of Disclosure, and Signature**  **NOTE:** Read the **Penalties** section of the Form I-600A Instructions before completing this section.  ***Applicant’s Statement***  **1.** Applicant’s Statement Regarding the Interpreter (select the box for either **Item A.** or **B.**)  **A.** I can read and understand English, and I have read and understand every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question.  **B.** The interpreter named in **Part 10.** read to me every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question in [Fillable field], a language in which I am fluent, and I understood everything.  **2.** Applicant’s Statement Regarding the Preparer (if applicable)  At my request, the preparer named in **Part 11.**, [Fillable field], prepared this application for me based only upon information I provided or authorized.  ***Applicant’s Certification***  Copies of any documents I have submitted are exact photocopies of unaltered, original documents, and I understand that USCIS may require that I submit original documents to USCIS at a later date. Furthermore, I authorize the release of any information from any and all of my records that USCIS may need to determine my suitability and eligibility to adopt.  I furthermore authorize release of information contained in this application, in supporting documents, and in my USCIS records, to other entities and persons where necessary for the administration and enforcement of U.S. immigration law.  I understand that USCIS will require me to appear for an appointment to take my biometrics (for example, fingerprints, photograph, and/or signature) and, at that time, I will be required to sign an oath reaffirming that:  **1)** I reviewed and provided or authorized all of the information in my application;  **2)** I understood all of the information contained in, and submitted with, my application; and  **3)** All of this information was complete, true, and correct at the time of filing.  I certify, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States, that I provided or authorized all of the information in my application, I understand all of the information contained in and submitted with my application, and that all of this information is complete, true, and correct.  **[Page 12]**  ***Applicant’s Duty of Disclosure***  I understand the ongoing duty to disclose information concerning my suitability and eligibility to adopt, as described in the Form I-600A and/or Form I-600 Instructions, and I agree to notify my home study preparer and USCIS of any new information that I am required to disclose.  ***Applicant’s Signature***  **3.** Applicant’s Signature Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy)  **NOTE TO ALL APPLICANTS:** If you do not completely fill out this application or fail to submit required documents listed in the Instructions, USCIS may deny your application. |
| **Pages 11-12,**  **Part 6. Your Spouse’s Statement, Certification, Duty of Disclosure, and Signature** | **[Page 11]**  **Part 6. Your Spouse’s Statement, Certification, Duty of Disclosure, and Signature**  ***Your Spouse’s Statement***  **1.** Spouse’s Statement Regarding the Interpreter (select the box for either **Item A.** or **B.**)  **A.** I can read and understand English, and have read and understand every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question.  **B.** The interpreter named in **Part 7.** read to me every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question in [Fillable field], a language in which I am fluent, and I understood everything.  **2.** Spouse’s Statement Regarding the Preparer (if applicable)  At my request, the preparer named in **Part 8.,** [Fillable field], prepared this application for me based only upon information I provided or authorized.  ***Your Spouse’s Certification***  Copies of any documents I have submitted are exact photocopies of unaltered, original documents, and I understand that USCIS may require that I submit original documents to USCIS at a later date. Furthermore, I authorize the release of any information from any and all of my records that USCIS may need to determine my suitability and eligibility as an adoptive parent.  I furthermore authorize release of information contained in this application, in supporting documents, and in my USCIS records, to other entities and persons where necessary for the administration and enforcement of U.S. immigration law.  **[Page 12]**  I understand that USCIS will require me to appear for an appointment to take my biometrics (for example, fingerprints, photograph, and/or signature) and, at that time, I will be required to sign an oath reaffirming that:  **1)** I reviewed and provided or authorized all of the information in my application;  **2)** I understood all of the information contained in, and submitted with, my application; and  **3)** All of this information was complete, true, and correct at the time of filing.  I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I provided or authorized all of the information in my application, I understand all of the information contained in and submitted with my application, and that all of this information is complete, true, and correct.  ***Your Spouse's Duty of Disclosure***  I understand the ongoing duty to disclose information concerning my suitability and eligibility as an adoptive parent, as described in the Form I-600A and/or Form I-600 Instructions, and I agree to notify the home study preparer and USCIS of any new information that I am required to disclose.  ***Your Spouse’s Signature***  **3.** Your Spouse’s Signature Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy) | **[Page 12]**  **Part 9. Your Spouse’s Statement, Certification, Duty of Disclosure, and Signature**  ***Your Spouse’s Statement***  **1.** Spouse’s Statement Regarding the Interpreter (select the box for either **Item A.** or **B.**)  **A.** I can read and understand English, and have read and understand every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question.  **B.** The interpreter named in **Part 10.** read to me every question and instruction on this application and my answer to every question in [Fillable field], a language in which I am fluent, and I understood everything.  **2.** Spouse’s Statement Regarding the Preparer (if applicable)  At my request, the preparer named in **Part 11.**, [Fillable field], prepared this application for me based only upon information I provided or authorized.  ***Your Spouse’s Certification***  Copies of any documents I have submitted are exact photocopies of unaltered, original documents, and I understand that USCIS may require that I submit original documents to USCIS at a later date. Furthermore, I authorize the release of any information from any and all of my records that USCIS may need to determine my suitability and eligibility to adopt.  I furthermore authorize release of information contained in this application, in supporting documents, and in my USCIS records, to other entities and persons where necessary for the administration and enforcement of U.S. immigration law.  I understand that USCIS will require me to appear for an appointment to take my biometrics (for example, fingerprints, photograph, and/or signature) and, at that time, I will be required to sign an oath reaffirming that:  **1)** I reviewed and provided or authorized all of the information in my application;  **2)** I understood all of the information contained in, and submitted with, my application; and  **3)** All of this information was complete, true, and correct at the time of filing.  I certify, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States, that I provided or authorized all of the information in my application, I understand all of the information contained in and submitted with my application, and that all of this information is complete, true, and correct.  **[Page 13]**  ***Your Spouse's Duty of Disclosure***  I understand the ongoing duty to disclose information concerning my suitability and eligibility to adopt, as described in the Form I-600A and/or Form I-600 Instructions, and I agree to notify the home study preparer and USCIS of any new information that I am required to disclose.  ***Your Spouse’s Signature***  **3.** Your Spouse’s Signature Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy) |
| **Pages 12-13,**  **Part 7. Interpreter’s Contact Information, Certification, and Signature** | **[Page 12]**  **Part 7. Interpreter’s Contact Information, Certification, and Signature**  If you and/or your spouse (if married) used an interpreter to read and complete this application, provide the following information about the interpreter.  ***Interpreter’s Full Name***  **1.** Interpreter's Family Name (Last Name)  Interpreter's Given Name (First Name)  **2.** Interpreter's Business or Organization Name (if any)  ***Interpreter’s Mailing Address***  **3.** Street Number and Name  Apt. Ste. Flr.  Number  City or Town State ZIP Code Province Postal Code Country  ***Interpreter’s Contact Information***  **4.** Interpreter's Daytime Telephone Number  **5.** Interpreter’s Mobile Telephone Number (if any) **6.** Interpreter’s Email Address (if any)  **[Page 13]**  ***Interpreter’s Certification***  I certify, under penalty of perjury, that:    I am fluent in English and [Fillable field], which is the same language specified in **Parts 5.** and **6., Item B** in **Item Number 1.,** and I have read to this applicant and/or the applicant’s spouse in the identified language every question and instruction on this application and their answer to every question. The applicant and/or the applicant’s spouse informed me that he or she understands every instruction, question, and answer on the application, including the **Applicant’s Certification** and the **Your Spouse’s Certification,** and has verified the accuracy of every answer.  ***Interpreter’s Signature***  **7.** Interpreter's Signature  Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy) | **[Page 13]**  **Part 10. Interpreter’s Contact Information, Certification, and Signature**  If you and/or your spouse (if married) used an interpreter to read and complete this application, provide the following information about the interpreter.  ***Interpreter’s Full Name***  **1.** Interpreter's Family Name (Last Name)  Interpreter's Given Name (First Name)  **2.** Interpreter's Business or Organization Name (if any)  ***Interpreter’s Mailing Address***  **3.** Street Number and Name  Apt. Ste. Flr.  Number  City or Town State ZIP Code Province Postal Code Country  ***Interpreter’s Contact Information***  **4.** Interpreter's Daytime Telephone Number  **5.** Interpreter’s Mobile Telephone Number (if any) **6.** Interpreter’s Email Address (if any)  ***Interpreter’s Certification***  I certify, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States, that:    I am fluent in English and [Fillable field], which is the same language specified in **Part 8. a**nd/or **9.**, **Item B.** in **Item Number 1.**, and I have read to this applicant and/or the applicant’s spouse in the identified language every question and instruction on this application and his or her answer to every question. The applicant and/or the applicant’s spouse informed me that he or she understands every instruction, question, and answer on the application, including the **Applicant’s Certification** and the **Your Spouse’s Certification**, and has verified the accuracy of every answer.  **[Page 14]**  ***Interpreter’s Signature***  **7.** Interpreter's Signature  Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy) |
| **Pages 13-14,**  **Part 8. Contact Information, Declaration, and Signature of the Person Preparing this Application, If Other Than the Applicant and Spouse** | **[Page 13]**  **Part 8. Contact Information, Declaration, and Signature of the Person Preparing this Application, If Other Than the Applicant and Spouse**  If you and/or your spouse (if married) used a preparer to complete this application, provide the following information about the preparer.  ***Preparer’s Full Name***  **1.** Preparer’s Family Name (Last Name) Preparer’s Given Name (First Name)  **2.** Preparer’s Business or Organization Name (if any)  ***Preparer’s Mailing Address***  **3.** Street Number and Name Apt. Ste. Flr.  Number  City or Town  State ZIP Code Province Postal Code Country  ***Preparer’s Contact Information***  **4.** Preparer’s Daytime Telephone Number  **5.** Preparer’s Mobile Telephone Number (if any) **6.** Preparer’s Email Address (if any)  **[Page 14]**  ***Preparer’s Statement***  **7. A.** I am not an attorney or accredited representative but have prepared this application on behalf of the applicant and/or the applicant’s spouse (if married) with the applicant’s and/or the applicant’s spouse’s (if married) consent.  **B.** I am an attorney or accredited representative and my representation of the applicant and/or the applicant’s spouse (if married) in this case extends/does not extend beyond the preparation of this application.  ***Preparer’s Certification***  By my signature, I certify, under penalty of perjury, that I prepared this application at the request of the applicant and/or the applicant’s spouse (if married). The applicant and the applicant’s spouse (if married) then reviewed this completed application and informed me that he or she understands all of the information contained in, and submitted with, his or her application, including the **Applicant’s Certification** and the **Your Spouse’s Certification,** and that all of this information is complete, true, and correct. I completed this application based only on information that the applicant provided to me or authorized me to obtain or use.  ***Preparer’s Signature***  **8.** Preparer's Signature  Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy) | **[Page 14]**  **Part 11. Contact Information, Declaration, and Signature of the Person Preparing this Application, If Other Than the Applicant and Spouse**  If you and/or your spouse (if married) used a preparer to complete this application, provide the following information about the preparer.  ***Preparer’s Full Name***  **1.** Preparer’s Family Name (Last Name) Preparer’s Given Name (First Name)  **2.** Preparer’s Business or Organization Name (if any)  ***Preparer’s Mailing Address***  **3.** Street Number and Name Apt. Ste. Flr.  Number  City or Town  State ZIP Code Province Postal Code Country  ***Preparer’s Contact Information***  **4.** Preparer’s Daytime Telephone Number  **5.** Preparer’s Mobile Telephone Number (if any) **6.** Preparer’s Email Address (if any)  ***Preparer’s Statement***  **7. A.** I am not an attorney or accredited representative but have prepared this application on behalf of the applicant and/or the applicant’s spouse with the applicant’s and/or the applicant’s spouse’s (if married) consent.  **B.** I am an attorney or accredited representative and my representation of the applicant and/or the applicant’s spouse in this case extends/does not extend beyond the preparation of this application.  **[Page 15]**  ***Preparer’s Certification***  By my signature, I certify, under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States, that I prepared this application at the request of the applicant and/or the applicant’s spouse. The applicant and the applicant’s spouse then reviewed this completed application and informed me that he or she understands all of the information contained in, and submitted with, his or her application, including the **Applicant’s Certification** and the **Your Spouse’s Certification**, and that all of this information is complete, true, and correct. I completed this application based only upon information that the applicant and/or the applicant’s spouse provided to me or authorized me to obtain or use.  ***Preparer’s Signature***  **8.** Preparer's Signature  Date of Signature (mm/dd/yyyy) |
| **Page 15,**  **Part 9. Additional Information** | **[Page 15]**  **Part 9. Additional Information**  If you need extra space to provide any additional information within this application, use the space below. If you need more space than what is provided, you may make copies of this page to complete and file with this application or attach a separate sheet of paper. If you attach a separate sheet of paper, type or print your full name and A-Number (if any) at the top of each sheet; indicate the **Page Number**, **Part Number**, and **Item Number** to which your answer refers; and sign and date each sheet.  **1.** Family Name (Last Name) [Auto-populated field]  Given Name (First Name) [Auto-populated field]  Middle Name [Auto-populated field]  **2.** A-Number (if any) [Auto-populated field]  **3. A.** Page Number  **B.** Part Number  **C.** Item Number  **D.** [Fillable field]  **4. A.** Page Number  **B.** Part Number  **C.** Item Number  **D.** [Fillable field]  **5. A.** Page Number  **B.** Part Number  **C.** Item Number  **D.** [Fillable field]  **6. A.** Page Number  **B.** Part Number  **C.** Item Number  **D.** [Fillable field] | **[Page 16]**  **Part 12. Additional Information**  If you need extra space to provide any additional information within this application, use the space below. If you need more space than what is provided, you may make copies of this page to complete and file with this application or attach a separate sheet of paper. If you attach a separate sheet of paper, type or print your full name and A-Number (if any) at the top of each sheet; indicate the **Page Number**, **Part Number**, and **Item Number** to which your answer refers; and sign and date each sheet.  **1.** Family Name (Last Name) [Auto-populated field]  Given Name (First Name) [Auto-populated field]  Middle Name [Auto-populated field]  **2.** A-Number (if any) [Auto-populated field]  **3. A.** Page Number  **B.** Part Number  **C.** Item Number  **D.** [Fillable field]  **4. A.** Page Number  **B.** Part Number  **C.** Item Number  **D.** [Fillable field]  **5. A.** Page Number  **B.** Part Number  **C.** Item Number  **D.** [Fillable field]  **6. A.** Page Number  **B.** Part Number  **C.** Item Number  **D.** [Fillable field] |