

# AJ3- ADOPTEE/FOSTER in ENGLAND OR WALES Membership Application

A service of Jigsaw Search & Contact Inc.

If adopted or fostered in the UK in order to obtain your original birth certificate and court documents you must attend a mandatory interview, our counsellor is licensed to conduct this interview. Please contact us if you are uncertain of the process.

## JIGSAW FEES\*

Jigsaw is a not-for-profit organisation. To reduce administration costs, we charge one fee regardless of the search and mediation work involved.

#### Membership entitles you to:

- Newsletter Jigsaw Pieces published quarterly.
- Use of Jigsaw library
- Registration on our National Contact Register
- Use of Jigsaw facilities for search.
- An opportunity to nominate for the Board of Management

It is not possible to advise you regularly about the progress of your search or mediation, however you are welcome to contact us for an update.

\*payment of fees can be negotiated, please talk to us if you have difficulties.

### Membership Package - for first search/mediation

#### **\$330** *incl GST*

This covers 12 months membership, search, preparation interview, outreach and interview for the found party if appropriate, ongoing phone consultation and support for all parties. Fees **DO NOT** cover the purchase of certificates.

**Purchase of certificates-** In order to search we usually have to purchase certificates eg marriage, death, birth. We will invoice you the amount we pay.

**Please fill in** - I authorise Jigsaw to spend up to \$..... <u>over and above</u> the membership cost and will reimburse on invoice. I wish to be contacted before incurring any costs above this figure.

Signed	Date		
Additional Costs			
Renew Annual Membership	\$50*		
Counselling/Additional Interviews	\$60		

2nd Search/Mediation — cost varies please discuss with us

#### **Contact Us:**

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**Payment Details** - You can pay online via Paypal or Direct Deposit, remember to include your full name. Alternatively send your credit card details, cheque or money order together with this application. Cheques payable to <u>JIGSAW SEARCH & CONTACT</u>.

/isa/Mastercard :	/	 /	/	Expiry	_Amount
Name on Card		 	Signature		

DIRECT DEPOSIT - BankWest Leederville BSB - 306 058 A/C - 0515379

Surname	First name	Second Name	
State: C	ountry (if outside Australia)	Can we write to this a	ddress: yes/no
	(Mob)		<b>C</b>
(W)	(Email) - print		
Any special instruction	s in regards to contacting you		
Have you had contact w	vith any member of your birth family? yes/no - Who_		When
For whom are you sear	ching?		
BIRTH DETAILS - NA	MES AT THE TIME OF YOUR BIRTH (Fill in ONL)	details you know for sure,	otherwise leave blank)
Surname	First Name	_ Second Name	
Date of Birth	Hospital	City	State
Adoptive Family Mother—Surname	First name	Second	
Father— Surname	First name	Second	
BIRTH MOTHER Info	ormation at the time of your birth.		
Surname	First name	Second	
Address		Country	
DOB	Age when you were bornMarital Status	Occupation	
Her place of birth	NationalityCur	rent surname if known	
Any other significant info	ormation		
	rmation at the time of <u>your</u> birth.		
	First name		
	Age when you were born His place of birth		
Nationality	Marital StatusO	ccupation	
	nancy/birth		
Any other significant info	ormation		
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Adoption Documents:
Please attach <b><u>copies</u></b> of any birth or adoption documents that you have.
Do you have:
YOUR ORIGINAL birth certificate with your birth mothers name. <b>yes/no</b> . Comment
Information from the Court, Council or Agency holding your adoption file? <b>yes/no</b>
Searching Have you conducted any search yourself.? Yes/No. If yes please include copies of any certificates you have obtained and a summary of your search (add paper if necessary).
Any significant information?
Do you know if other biological siblings were adopted or fostered?
<b>IMPORTANT INFO:</b> Close contact NOT living at your address that we can contact in the event you change contact details and do not notify us.
Name
Address P/C State
Ph: (H) (W) (mobile)
Email (please print)
Relationship to you? Can we identify ourselves as Jigsaw ? Yes/No
Agreement—Please read carefully.
I (print your full name) authorise Jigsaw Search & Contact to undertake search, contact and mediation services on my behalf. I authorise Jigsaw to receive on my behalf copies of all relevant certificates and/or information pertaining to myself and my relinquishing family.
I consent to Isabel Andrews (Licensed Mediator) sharing or receiving information with or from the relevant Adoption Agency and or Government Department if deemed appropriate. Contact and Mediation involves sharing information with the found party, I take responsibility to specify what, if any, information is to be kept confidential from the found party.
I agree at all times to abide by the Constitution of Jigsaw Search & Contact Inc., and to act strictly within the law of the relevant Adoption Act.
In the event of my birth mother/father/family NOT wishing to have any contact with me, I assume full responsibility for any actions taken by me after Jigsaw Search & Contact has advised me that No Contact has been requested by my birth mother/father/family.
Any comment
Signature Date
(A copy of the Constitution will be posted to you on request). Note: This completed form together with copies of documents pertaining to your membership become the property of Jigsaw Search & Contact Inc.