PARENTAL CONSENT FORMS

FOR MINOR CHILDREN TRAVELING WITHOUT BOTH BIRTH PARENTS

In addition to the child's citizenship documentation, a minor child under the age of 18 must have a legal guardian, or parental consent form from their birth parents to exit the United States and enter most foreign countries. Parents should complete one of the forms listed below for each minor child under the age of 18 (at the time travel starts) to prevent immigration problems when entering or leaving the country.

When the form is completed, only sign it in the presence of a Notary Public!

(The following forms are fillable .pdfs. Once complete, they can be printed and taken to a Notary for notarization. Each data field has a tip for filling out which will display if the cursor hovers over the form.)

FORM #1 - Use this form when both parents are alive - If both birth parents are alive, and one or both of them will **NOT** be traveling with the minor child, the non-traveling parent(s) must complete the form giving a notarized affidavit of consent to the person traveling with the child their authorization to take them in and out of the country, or to allow the minor child to travel on their own with no guardian.

FORM #2 - **Use this form if one birth parent is deceased** - If one birth parent is deceased, and the surviving birth parent **WILL** be traveling with the minor child, they need only to have in their possession a certified copy of the death certificate of the deceased birth parent and the child's citizenship documentation. However, if the surviving birth parent **WILL NOT** be traveling with the minor child, they must complete this form giving a notarized affidavit of consent to the person traveling with the child their authorization to take them in and out of the country and attach a certified copy of the death certificate for the other non-living birth parent.

FORM #3 - **Use this form if both birth parents are deceased or you have legal guardianship** - If both birth parents are deceased or you have legal guardianship of a minor child and **WILL** be traveling with the minor child, you need only have in your possession a certified copy of your guardianship papers and the child's citizenship documentation. However, if the guardian **WILL NOT** be traveling with the minor child, they must complete this form giving a notarized affidavit of consent to the person traveling with the child their authorization to take them in and out of the country and attach a certified copy of their guardianship papers to it.

AFFIDAVIT OF PARENTAL CONSENT

For Travel Outside The United States Of A Minor Child Without Both Birth Parents Traveling

FORM #1 - For Use When Both Birth Parents Are Alive

I/We				
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To The Following	Countries Witho	ut:		_
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Name:Address:City / State / Zip: Home Phone: (cy Contact Information below: Work Phone: ()	
Signature:		Signature:		
		ng Birth Parent(s) - To Be Signed In		
STATE OF CALIFO	ORNIA COU	NTY OF		
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For Travel Outside The United States Of A Minor Child Without Both Birth Parents Traveling

FORM #2 - For Use When One Birth Parent Is Deceased

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				, Age:
To The Following	g Countries Witho			
From:	Day:	/ Month:	/ Y	
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above named per If not, we have pr Name: Address: City / State / Zip: Home Phone: (rson to make medi rovided Emergenc :)	s; and that I/We AUTI AUTI AUTI AUTI AUTI AUTI AUTI AU	r the minor child list	ed above if needed.
Signature:				
		raveling Birth Parent - To Be		otary Public Only)
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For Travel Outside The United States Of A Minor Child Without Both Birth Parents Traveling

FORM #3 - Guardian For Minor Child

I/We,				,			
The Legal Guardian(s) Of Said Minor Child, Do Hereby Authorize							
		, Of Said M	inor Child To Travel A	As A Guardian Of			
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To The Followin		ut:					
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To:	Day:	/ Month:	/ Year: _				
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