



Episcopal Diocese of Georgia

Petitioner's Form for Bishop's Consent to Solemnize a Marriage after Divorce or Annulment (*Canon I.19.2a*)

Each person needs to complete a separate form regardless of whether they have a prior marriage

DATE OF REQUEST	PROPOSED DATE OF MARRIAGE	NAME OF PETITIONING PERSON

MEMBER OF CONGREGATION, CITY

NAME OF PERSON TO WHOM YOU ARE ENGAGED

Check here if you have not previously been married. *Otherwise, please add the following:*

The dates when the divorce of any previous marriages were finalized:

How many previous marriages have ended in divorce: _____

On the back of this form, please state what you learned from the failure of your marriage that will help you in this new one?

The petitioning priest's name is _____

By signing below, I acknowledge that this petition will help determine the possibility of marriage in the Church. No date for your marriage may be announced until the Bishop gives consent. I agree with the understanding of Christian marriage as it is set forth in the Declaration of Intention, which I have read and signed.

Signature of Petitioner

Date

Printed Name of Petitioner

When completed, please give this form to the petitioning priest who will file the petition.