



LETTER OF CONSENT FOR TRAVEL OF A MINOR CHILD

Because of increasing instances of child abduction in custody cases, and a growing number of children who are the victims of trafficking or pornography, an immigration officer, airline, or travel company may ask you to provide some form of letter of consent if your child is traveling internationally with only one parent or with another adult, such as a grandparent, aunt or uncle, youth worker, etc. To that end, please complete the attached form.

Instructions: If traveling outside the United States, an original, notarized form *MUST* accompany traveling minor.

- Both birth parents/legal guardians must sign the form:
 - If divorced. (If divorced with sole custody, legal documentation from the parent with custody must be attached and notarized.)
 - If a natural parent is deceased, a certified copy of the death certificate is required.
 - Step-parents cannot sign for a minor unless that child has been legally adopted by that step-parent, in which case, legal documentation supporting the adoption must be attached and notarized.
- Birth parents/legal guardians may sign the form separately and with different Notary Publics.
- Missions will retain a copy of the document, but the original **MUST** travel with the traveling minor in the possession of accompanying adult.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I/We, _____
(Full Name(s) of Custodial and/or Non-Custodial Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s))

am/are the lawful custodial parent and/or non-custodial parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of:

Child's full name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Place of Birth: _____

U.S. Passport Number: _____ Date and Place of Issuance of U.S. Passport: _____

_____ has my/our consent to travel with:
(Child's Full Name)

Full name of accompanying person(s): [we'll fill out this one for you later - It'll be all DBSM staff attending this trip]

U.S. or foreign passport number(s): [we'll fill out this one for you later]

Date and Place of issuance of this/these passport(s): [we'll fill out this one for you later]

to visit Trinidad and Tobago during the period of March 10-18, 2018.
(Name of Foreign Country) (Dates of Travel: Departure and Return)

During that Period, _____ will be residing with _____
(Child's Name) (Name of Person Who Child will be Residing With in Foreign Country)

at the following address:

Number/street address and apartment number: L. P. #6 Mohepath Street

City, State/Province, Country: St. Helena, Piarco, Trinidad

Telephone and fax numbers: (868) 669-7700 (868) 350-7851 (868) 669-7700 (TTUM)
(work) (cell phone) (residence)

PARENT #1

Signature: _____ Date: _____
(Signature of Custodial Parent, and/or Non-Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian)

Full Name: _____

CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF NOTARY PUBLIC

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

Acknowledged before me on _____ By _____
[date] [name of principal].

[Notary Seal, if any]:

(Signature of Notarial Officer)

PARENT #2

Signature: _____ Date: _____
(Signature of Custodial Parent, and/or Non-Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian)

Full Name: _____

CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF NOTARY PUBLIC

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

Acknowledged before me on _____ By _____
[date] [name of principal].

[Notary Seal, if any]:

(Signature of Notarial Officer)