

WEDDING DOCUMENTATION

FIRST STEP:

Contact me on 4973 3435, or aburchar@bigpond.net.au .

To legalise your marriage you will need the following:

NOTICE OF INTENDED MARRIAGE (NIM)

Complete this form no more than 18 months prior, or no less than one calendar month before the Ceremony. I can provide a form which may be completed at our first meeting, alternatively download it from www.ag.gov.au/celebrants . As your Celebrant I need to witness your signatures.

BIRTH CERTIFICATES

If you were born in Australia I need to sight the **originals** for identification. If you need to get an official copy of your birth certificate you can apply through Registry of Births, Deaths & Marriages: www.bdm.nsw.gov.au . If born overseas you may provide an officially translated copy of your birth certificate or a current passport .

PREVIOUS MARRIAGE

Before you can enter into another marriage you will need to provide **originals**, either of

- proof of divorce, obtainable through Family Law Court 1300 352 000, enquiries@familylawcourts.gov.au , or
- a death certificate for previous spouse, from Registry of Births, Deaths & Marriages: www.bdm.nsw.gov.au

WITNESSES

You will need two witnesses for the Marriage Certificates. These are often the groomsmen/ best man and the bride's maid/ maid of honour.

IMMIGRATION

One of you may be in the process of applying for a Prospective Marriage Visa. I can help you with a supporting letter along with your Notice of Intended Marriage form.

OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

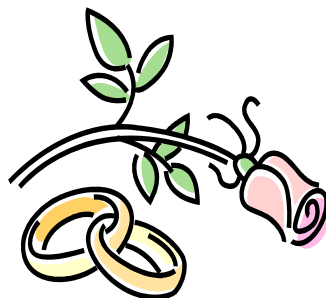
PRE-MARRIAGE COUNSELLING

The Attorney General's Department strongly advises pre-marital counselling. You may obtain this service through other contacts, alternatively I can provide a list of counsellors in your area.

BOOKINGS/ ENQUIRIES:

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