CHECKLIST OF DOCUMENTS: AFFIRMATION/AFFIDAVIT of MARITAL STATUS

You will not be seen by consular staff if you fail to provide complete documentation

These documents are mandatory:

☑ Affirmation or affidavit of marital status typed and printed off a computer on A4 size paper. Everything must fit on one page. Please download the relevant template found in https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/marriage-in-the-philippines. You may adjust font size or margin size as needed.

Please do not sign the affirmation or affidavit before your appointment. You will sign this in the presence of consular staff.

☑ Original British passport

☑ Proof of address (e.g. utility bill, bank/credit card statements, driving licence)

☑ Payment of consular fee #4 for administering an affidavit or affirmation. Please refer to the table of consular fees. We accept payment by Visa/Mastercard in Pounds Sterling (£) or cash in Philippine Peso (=P=) on the day of the appointment.

You may be asked to present these additional documents:

☑ If you are divorced: original or certified copy of divorce decree absolute. If you have lost the original and need a certified copy, visit https://www.gov.uk/copy-decree-absolute-final-order

If your divorce document is in a foreign language: the original divorce decree document and an official English translation

☑ If you are widowed: original or certified copy of death certificate. If you have lost the original death certificate and need a certified copy, visit https://www.gov.uk/order-copy-birth-death-marriage-certificate

If death certificate is in a foreign language: the original death certificate and an official English translation

☑ If your previous marriage was annulled in the Philippines: original marriage certificate from the Philippine Statistics Authority (formerly known as the National Statistics Office) with an annotation stating that the annulment has been made final, Advisory of Marriage and court documents (if the previous marriage was annulled in the Philippines)

☑ If your supporting documents show a different name from what is on your passport: original name change deed poll