

## **Support for Affidavit (RERC Spouse of a Caymanian)**

### ***Use this form:***

To support your application when you are married to a Caymanian and wish to apply to the Chief Immigration Officer or the Caymanian Status & Permanent Residency Board for the right to reside and work in the Cayman Islands.

There is a two-stage process (use this form for both stages):

- A non-Caymanian spouse may apply first to the Chief Immigration Officer for the grant of an interim Residency & Employment Rights Certificate. If approved, the spouse will be entitled to begin working immediately in any occupation of their choice for any employer. The Certificate issued by the Chief Immigration Officer will be valid for six months only and is not renewable.
- During the currency of the an interim Residency & Employment Rights Certificate issued by the Chief Immigration Officer, or without having obtained an interim Certificate, the non-Caymanian spouse may apply to the Caymanian Status & Permanent Residency Board for the grant of a full Residency & Employment Rights Certificate. If approved, the Certificate issued by the Board will be valid for seven years and is renewable. However, after seven years the non-Caymanian spouse will, if the marriage is subsisting, be eligible to apply for the Right to be Caymanian.

### ***Submission requirements:***

Applicant and spouse must submit evidence of marital stability by completing an affidavit which consists of two parts. Part 1 is to be completed by the non-Caymanian spouse and Part 2 is to be completed by the Caymanian spouse. If the parties are separated at the time of submitting the application, but they are still legally married, the applicant must provide a detailed explanation of the circumstances.

***Send the completed affidavit form, along with the completed Residency & Employment Rights Certificate application form, to:***

If you are applying for an *interim* Residency & Employment Rights Certificate:

The Chief Immigration Officer  
Department of Immigration

P.O. Box 1098  
Grand Cayman, KY1-1102  
CAYMAN ISLANDS

If you are applying for a **full** Residency & Employment Rights Certificate:

The Secretary to the Caymanian Status & Permanent Residency Board  
P.O. Box 1098  
Grand Cayman, KY1-1102  
CAYMAN ISLANDS

***What happens next?***

A letter will be sent to you, notifying you of the decision.