
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**The Marriage of Same Sex Couples (Conversion
of Civil Partnership) Regulations 2014**

PART 3

Consular Conversions

Conversion declaration

32. In this Part of these Regulations, the “conversion declaration” means a document containing—

- (a) the following details pertaining to each of the parties—
 - (i) forenames;
 - (ii) surname;
 - (iii) nationality;
 - (iv) date of birth;
 - (v) sex;
 - (vi) address;
- (b) the date and place of the formation of the civil partnership;
- (c) a statement to the effect that the party has had, for the period of 28 days ending on the day on which the conversion declaration is signed, their usual residence within the consular district of the registration officer;
- (d) a declaration in the following terms: “I solemnly and sincerely declare that we are in a civil partnership with each other and I know of no legal reason why we may not convert our civil partnership into a marriage. I understand that on signing this document we will be converting our civil partnership into a marriage and you will thereby become my lawful wife [*or husband*]”; and
- (e) a declaration that the party believes all of the information and evidence given for the purposes of the conversion declaration is true.