APPLICATION FOR CANADIAN CITIZENSHIP - ADULTS (18 years of age and older) UNDER SUBSECTION 5(1)

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UCI no.	
Certificate no.	

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: REFER TO THE GUIDE FOR SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS. PLEASE PRINT IN INK OR TYPE.

The information that you provide should not be limited by the space allowed to answer a question. If you need more space, **attach another sheet of paper. Indicate the number of the question you are answering.**

1. A Language you prefer for service:

☐ English ☐ French

B I have special needs that require accommodation

☐ No ☐ Yes ▶ If yes, please explain:

2. I have applied for Canadian citizenship before

☐ No ☐ Yes ▶ When? Year

3. A Name (exactly as it is shown on my immigration document)

Last name (surname/family name)

Given name(s)

B Request for a different name to appear on certificate and please indicate/select reason below: [subject to approval by Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC)]

☐ Truncated (shortened) name on immigration document ☐ Legal name change

☐ Minor change in spelling ☐ Significant change in spelling

Last name (surname/family name)

Given name(s)

C List any other names used including name at birth, maiden name, previous married name(s), aliases and nicknames. These names will not appear on your citizenship certificate.

Provide details:

Last name (surname/family name)

Given name(s)

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4. A Birth details as shown on my immigration document

Date ▶ (YYYY-MM-DD) Place ▶ Town/City

Country

B Personal information

Sex ▶ ☐ Male ☐ Female Height ▶ cm **OR** ft in Colour of eyes ▶

Marital status ▶ ☐ Never married ☐ Married ☐ Common-law ☐ Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐ Legally separated

5. A Home address

No. and street		Apt. no.
City/Village	Province	
Country		Postal code

B Mailing address (if different from home address)

No. and street		Apt. no.
City/Village	Province	
Country		Postal code

5. C Telephone number(s)

Home: Area code and number

Work: Area code and number

Cell: Area code and number

D I have lived at my home address

year(s) month(s)

E Email address, if applicable (If you provide us with your email address, we may correspond with you about your application via email)

6. A Date you became a permanent resident (landed immigrant)?

(YYYY-MM-DD)

B When did you first come to live in Canada if different from "A"?

(YYYY-MM-DD)

C List all countries of which you are a citizen. You must include photocopies of the biographical pages of any passports from the countries.

D Do you have permanent resident status or the equivalent in any country other than Canada?

☐ No ☐ Yes ▶ If yes, list the country(ies) and provide the dates you acquired this status.

Country	Date (YYYY-MM-DD)

E Addresses in the past six (6) years immediately before the date of your application or since you became a permanent resident, whichever is more recent

List all your Canadian and overseas addresses in the relevant period, including the postal codes. If you were residing, employed or attending school outside Canada during this time, you **must** also indicate all your foreign addresses.
Do not exclude any period of time during the relevant period.

From (YYYY-MM-DD)	To (YYYY-MM-DD)	Apt. no.	Street no. and name	City/Town	Province/State	Country	Postal code

F Work and education history in the six (6) years immediately before the date of your application or since you became a permanent resident, whichever is more recent

A) Have you worked in the relevant period? ☐ Yes ☐ No

B) Have you attended an educational institution or participated in English/French language training in the relevant period? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If you answered yes to questions A and/or B, list your work and/or education history (inside and outside Canada) in the relevant period, including the city and country, starting with your most recent. If you were not employed (i.e. you were unemployed, retired, homemaker, etc.) you must indicate the reason for being unemployed and confirm the dates of your unemployment under "Work/Education" and indicate the time period. Do not exclude any period of time during the relevant period. Do not leave this section blank. If you do, your application will be returned to you. If you need more space, use an additional sheet of paper.

From (YYYY-MM)	To (YYYY-MM)	Work/Education	Employer or school attended	City, Country

G Minor children's education history in the six (6) years immediately before the date of your application or since you became a permanent resident, whichever is more recent (if applicable).

Complete the information below for all children who were under the age of 18 in the six (6) years immediately before the date of your application or since you became a permanent resident, whichever is more recent, including those who are already Canadian citizens (if applicable). If you need more space, use an additional sheet of paper.

NOTE: LISTING A MINOR CHILD'S SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IS NOT AN APPLICATION FOR CITIZENSHIP FOR THE CHILD. IF YOU WISH TO APPLY FOR YOUR CHILDREN, YOU MUST COMPLETE AN "APPLICATION FOR CANADIAN CITIZENSHIP - MINOR" FOR EACH CHILD (UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE).

CHILD

Family name/Surname	Given name(s)	Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)	Country of birth

From (YYYY-MM)	To (YYYY-MM)	Institution/School Attended/Home schooled	City, Country	Child is not at school age
				☐
				☐
				☐

CHILD

Family name/Surname	Given name(s)	Date of birth (YYYY-MM-DD)	Country of birth

From (YYYY-MM)	To (YYYY-MM)	Institution/School Attended/Home schooled	City, Country	Child is not at school age
				☐
				☐
				☐

H Income tax information

Do you have a Social Insurance Number (SIN), Temporary Tax Number (TTN), and/or Individual Tax Number (ITN)?

A) ☐ Yes ▶ If yes, provide the most recent number you used to file your income taxes so that we may verify compliance with the income tax filing requirements: _____

Complete the table below detailing your income tax filling history to help demonstrate that you meet any applicable requirement under the *Income Tax Act* to file a return in respect of four (4) taxation years that are fully or partially within the six (6) years immediately before the date of your application.

Taxation year	Required to file	Taxes filed
	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No

With your consent to the sharing of your income tax filing history between IRCC and CRA, IRCC will use this information to determine if you meet the income tax filing requirement of the *Citizenship Act.* Note that if you do not provide your consent for that specific purpose, your application will be returned as incomplete and not be processed. Note that with your consent this information may also be used in the assessment of whether you meet the physical presence requirements.

B) ☐ No, I declare that I do not have a SIN, an ITN or a TTN and was not required to file income taxes for any of the past six (6) taxation years.

Note: You do not need to consent to the sharing of your income tax filing history between IRCC and CRA in part 9 if you checked “NO”.

I Presence calculation

The Online Physical Presence Calculator is the preferred method to calculate your physical presence in Canada. The printout from the Internet must be included with your application. If you experience difficulty with the Online Physical Presence Calculator, you may submit a *How to Calculate Physical Presence* form (CIT 0407).

J Residence outside Canada

In the six (6) years immediately before the date of your application, or since you became a permanent resident, whichever is most recent:

A) Did you reside outside Canada with your Canadian spouse or common-law partner who was employed in or with the Canadian Armed Forces, the federal public administration or the public service of a province, otherwise than as a locally engaged person? ☐ Yes ☐ No

B) Were you employed outside Canada in or with the Canadian Armed Forces, the federal public administration or the public service of a province, otherwise than as a locally engaged person? ☐ Yes ☐ No

C) Did you reside outside Canada with your spouse, common-law partner, or parent who:

- was a permanent resident, and
- was employed in or with the Canadian Armed Forces, the federal public administration or the public service of a province, otherwise than as a locally engaged person?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If you have answered yes to any of the above questions, complete the Residence outside Canada form (CIT 0177) and submit it with your application.

7. LANGUAGE EVIDENCE. See section 7 - "Step 2. Complete the application" and section 4 - "Step 1. Gather documents" in the instruction guide.

A If you are 18 to 64 years of age you **must** submit acceptable proof that demonstrates that you have adequate knowledge of English or French. Please check the appropriate box to indicate which of the following forms of proof you are submitting with your application:

☐ Results of a IRCC-approved third-party language test; **or**

☐ Diploma, certificate or transcript of a secondary or post-secondary education completed in English or French, in Canada or abroad; **or**

☐ Check this box if you are submitting a transcript(s) that is also to be used as proof of education

☐ Evidence of achieving CLB/NCLC 4 in a government-funded language training program

☐ If you successfully completed LINC or CLIC (Language Instruction for Newcomers to Canada), classes during the period from January 2008 to October 2012 but did not receive a certificate*

* IRCC has previously collected information about the results of your LINC or CLIC language training for statistical purpose but IRCC would like to obtain and use this information for purposes of verifying your language results. By signing the consent form section 9F of this application, you authorize IRCC to use the information that has been already collected to verify whether you have adequate knowledge of English of French.

B See section 7 - "Step 2. Complete the application" and section 4 - "Step 1. Gather documents" in the instruction guide.
I am deaf, which prevents me from submitting the proof of language described in 7A with my application. Note: If you check yes, you must submit supporting evidence with your application.

☐ No ☐ Yes

C I have a disorder, disability or condition that is cognitive, psychiatric or psychological in nature which prevents me from submitting proof of language with my application. Note: You must submit supporting evidence.

☐ No ☐ Yes ▶ If yes, you must submit supporting evidence of your disorder, disability or condition.

8. PROHIBITIONS UNDER THE *CITIZENSHIP ACT*

A Are you now or have you ever been in the six (6) years immediately before the date of your application, or since you became a permanent resident, whichever is most recent:

- **on probation in Canada?** ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes
- **on parole in Canada?** ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes
- **an inmate of a penitentiary, jail, reformatory, or prison in Canada?** ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes

B Are you now serving a sentence outside Canada for an offence? ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes

C Are you now charged with, on trial for, or subject to or a party to an appeal relating to an offence under the *Citizenship Act* or an indictable offence in Canada? ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes

D Are you now charged with, on trial for, or subject to or a party to an appeal relating to an offence committed outside Canada? ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes

E Are you now, or have you ever been, under a removal order (have you been asked by Canadian officials to leave Canada)? ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes

F Are you now under investigation for, charged with, on trial for, subject to or a party to an appeal relating to or have you ever been convicted of a war crime or a crime against humanity? ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes

G In the past five (5) years, were you prohibited from being granted citizenship or taking the Oath of Citizenship because of misrepresentation or withholding material circumstances? ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes

H In the past four (4) years, have you been convicted in Canada of an indictable offence under any Act of Parliament or an offence under the *Citizenship Act?* ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes

I In the past four (4) years, have you been convicted outside Canada of an offence, regardless of whether you were pardoned or otherwise granted amnesty for the offence? ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes

J While a permanent resident, have you:

- **been convicted in Canada of terrorism, high treason, treason, or spying offences?** ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes
- **been convicted outside Canada of terrorism?** ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes
- **served as a member of an armed force of a country or organized armed group and that country or group engaged in armed conflict with Canada?** ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes

K In the past four (4) years, were you present in any country, other than Canada, for at least six (6) months (cumulative)? ▶ ☐ No ☐ Yes

If you have checked "YES", provide police certificates for each country.

I have read and understand the prohibitions under the *Citizenship Act.*

If you have checked "YES" to any of the questions listed above, provide details below. If applicable, attach court documents to avoid unnecessary delays.

9. CONSENT TO DISCLOSE PERSONAL INFORMATION

A CONGRATULATORY LETTER

Request for authorization
Federal Members of Parliament (MPs) send a letter of congratulations to new citizens in their ridings. Do you authorize IRCC to forward your name, address, sex and preferred official language to your Member of Parliament? No other information will be forwarded.

☐ Yes ☐ No

This information will be disclosed once your Canadian citizenship is granted.

B NATIONAL REGISTER OF ELECTORS

Request for authorization
Canadian citizens who are 18 years of age or older have the right to vote in federal elections and referendums. Elections Canada needs your authorization to add your name to the National Register of Electors which is used to produce the voters lists for federal elections and referendums.

Do you authorize IRCC to give your name, address, sex and date of birth to Elections Canada, after you obtain your citizenship, so that Elections Canada can include this information in the National Register of Electors? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Whether you answer **"yes"** or **"no"** is completely your choice. Your information will be used only for purposes permitted under the *Canada Elections Act*, which include sharing the information with provincial and territorial election agencies, members of Parliament and political parties, as well as candidates at election time. Your answer will not affect your citizenship application.

For more information, please refer to Section 8 of the instruction guide. If you have any other questions, please call Elections Canada at 1-800-463-6868 or visit www.elections.ca.

C QUÉBEC'S PERMANENT LIST OF ELECTORS

Do you reside in Québec? ▶ ☐ Yes ☐ No

Request for authorization
To make sure that you are on the list of electors (voters) for provincial, municipal or school elections, the Chief Electoral Officer of Québec needs to add your name to Québec's Permanent list of electors.

Do you authorize IRCC to forward your name, address, sex and date of birth to the Chief Electoral Officer of Québec so that this information can be added to the permanent list? ☐ Yes ☐ No

No information will be forwarded until you acquire Canadian citizenship. By law this information will be used for electoral purposes only.

For more information, please refer to Section 8 of *How to complete this Form* .

D HISTORY OF ENTRIES TO CANADA

Request for authorization
By selecting "YES" in the box below, and by signing this form, I hereby give my consent to the Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA) to disclose the details of my history of entries into Canada to IRCC in order to assist IRCC in determining my citizenship eligibility.

I also hereby authorize IRCC to collect the history of my entries into Canada from the CBSA.

☐ Yes ☐ No

Please do not contact the CBSA to request your history of entries.

E CANADA REVENUE AGENCY (Complete this section if you answered “YES” to Section 6, Question H)

Note that if you do not provide consent, your application will not be considered complete according to the *Citizenship Regulations*. Consequently, your application will be returned and not be processed

1. By selecting “YES” in the box below and by signing this application form, I hereby authorize IRCC to disclose my SIN, ITN, or TTN, as the case may be, to the CRA for the purpose of requesting my income tax filing history from the CRA and for the CRA to disclose my income tax filing history from the CRA's Income Tax and Benefit Return file to IRCC so as to allow it to assess my citizenship application against the tax filing requirement of subparagraph 5(1)(c)(iii) of the Citizenship Act.

☐ Yes ☐ No

2. By selecting “YES” in the box below and by signing this application form, I also authorize IRCC to disclose my SIN, ITN, or TTN, as the case may be, to the CRA for the purpose of requesting my income tax information and filing history from the CRA and for the CRA to disclose my income tax information and filing history from the CRA's Income Tax and Benefit Return file to IRCC for the taxation year(s) indicated above for the purpose of assessing my citizenship application against the physical presence requirement of subparagraphs 5(1)(c)(i) and (ii) of the *Citizenship Act*.

☐ Yes ☐ No

F LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION FOR NEWCOMERS TO CANADA (LINC)

*This section needs to be completed by applicants choosing previous LINC results as proof of language.

Request for authorization
By selecting "YES" in the box below, and by signing this application form, I hereby give my consent to IRCC to access my LINC results in order to assist IRCC in determining my citizenship eligibility.

☐ Yes ☐ No

Note that if you do not provide consent, you will be required to submit alternate acceptable proof of language with your application.

10. INTENTION

I intend, if granted citizenship,

- to continue to reside in Canada;
- to enter into, or continue in, employment outside Canada in or with the Canadian Armed Forces, the federal public administration or the public service of a province, otherwise than as a locally engaged person; or
- to reside with my spouse or common-law partner, or parent, who is a Canadian citizen or permanent resident and is employed outside Canada in or with the Canadian Armed Forces, the federal public administration or the public service of a province, otherwise than as a locally engaged person.

☐ Yes

☐ I have a mental disability and am incapable of forming the intent referred to above. **Note:** You must submit supporting evidence.

☐ No – **Note**: If you select `no', your application will be returned to you as you do not meet the requirements for a grant of citizenship.

11. APPOINTMENT OF A REPRESENTATIVE

Are you appointing an individual, firm or organization as your representative? ► ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, the Use of a Representative form (IMM 5476) must be completed and included with your application.

12. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

I agree to advise Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) if any information on this form changes before I take the Oath of Citizenship. I understand the content of this form. I declare that the information provided is true, correct and complete, and that the photographs enclosed are a true likeness of me. I understand that if I or someone on my behalf, makes a false representation, or commit fraud or conceal any material circumstances relevant to my application, I could be prohibited from becoming a citizen and reapplying for citizenship for 5 years, my citizenship could be revoked and I could be charged with an offence as provided for under the *Citizenship Act* or the *Criminal Code*.

Notice: IRCC may verify the authenticity and accuracy of any documents you have provided in support of your application for an adult grant of citizenship with the body that issued the documents.

I have indicated in Section 8 of this form whether the prohibitions apply to me.

I have indicated my future residence intentions in Section 10 of this form.

IMPORTANT NOTE:
Remember to make sure that you are eligible to apply for citizenship on the day BEFORE you sign this application.

(you must sign inside the white box in black ink only)

Signature of APPLICANT ► City (YYYY-MM-DD) Date

Protected Information
Personal Information Bank CIC PPU 050

The information you provide on this form is collected under the authority of the *Citizenship Act* to determine whether your citizenship application may be approved. It will be stored in the Personal Information Bank (CIC PPU 050 entitled Application and Assessment for Canadian Citizenship). The information may be shared with other Canadian government institutions such as the Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA), the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP), the Canadian Security Intelligence Service (CSIS), and foreign governments in accordance with the *Citizenship Regulations* or subsection 8(2) of the *Privacy Act*. Information may also be disclosed to foreign governments, law enforcement bodies and detaining authorities with respect to the administration and enforcement of citizenship legislation where such sharing of information may not put the individual and/or his/her family at risk. Information may also be systematically validated by other Canadian government institutions under the terms of an agreement or arrangement for the purposes of validating status and identity to administer their programs. In accordance with the *Privacy Act* and the *Access to Information Act*, individuals have a right to protection of, access to and correction of their personal information. Details on these matters are available at the InfoSource Website at http://infosource.gc.ca. InfoSource is also available at public libraries across Canada.