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Government Decree No. 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm.

on the Implementation of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship

Pursuant to the authorization conferred in Subsection (4) of Section 24 of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship (hereinafter referred to as "Citizenship Act"), the Government has adopted the following Decree concerning the detailed regulations of citizenship proceedings:

Petition for Citizenship

Section 1¹

The petitions for citizenship referred to in Subsection (1) of Section 13 of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship (hereinafter referred to as "Citizenship Act") shall be submitted using the forms specified in the Annexes to this Decree illustrated below:²

*a)*³ petition for naturalization in Annex 1; except where the petition is based on Subsections (3) and (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act;

b) declaration made under Paragraph *a)* of Subsection (1) of Section 5/A of the Citizenship Act in Annex 2;

c) declaration made under Paragraph *b)* of Subsection (1) of Section 5/A of the Citizenship Act in Annex 3;

d) declaration of renunciation of citizenship in Annex 4;

e) application for a certificate of citizenship in Annex 5;

*f)*⁴ the declaration made under Paragraph *c)* of Subsection (1) of Section 5/A of the Citizenship Act in Annex 6;

*g)*⁵ petition for naturalization and repatriation made under Subsections (3) and (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act in Annex 10.

Section 2⁶

¹ Established: by Section 1 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010. Shall apply to proceedings opened after 1 January 2011.

² Amended: by subparagraph a) paragraph (1) Section 10 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

³ Amended: by subparagraph a) Section 9 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁴ Amended: by Section 3 of Government Decree 26/2011 (III. 10.) Korm. In force: as of 11. 03. 2011.

⁵ Amended: by subparagraph a) Section 9 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁶ Established: by Section 2 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010. Shall apply to proceedings opened after 1 January 2011.

(1)⁷ Upon receipt of a petition for citizenship, the head of the competent district (Budapest district) offices of Budapest and county government agencies, the competent consulate officer, the head of the integrated customer service center or the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters shall check the identity of the petitioner and - in the case of a petition for naturalization and repatriation made under Subsections (3) and (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act - shall check the petitioner's proficiency in the Hungarian language and - if satisfied - shall sign the petition to verify the petitioner's signature.

(2)⁸ Upon receipt of the application for citizenship the applicant shall be advised of any missing information and of the consequences for failure to supply them.

Section 2/A⁹

The insurmountable obstacle referred to in Paragraph *a*) of Subsection (5) of Section 14 of the Citizenship Act shall, in particular, be considered to exist if:¹⁰

a) obtaining the diplomatic recertification - according to the officer of the competent Hungarian consulate - is not possible or it would take an unreasonably long time, or

b) the applicant is likely to suffer considerable harm in connection with obtaining the diplomatic recertification.

Applications for Naturalization and Repatriation

Section 3¹¹

(1)¹² The body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters shall check the following records to verify the data and information contained in an application:¹³

a)¹⁴ the personal data and address records, and in the immigration register or the central register of refugees to check the applicant's Hungarian address and the duration and title of his/her stay in Hungary;

⁷ Amended: by Section 3 of Government Decree 26/2011 (III. 10.) Korm. In force: as of 11. 03. 2011. Amended: by subparagraphs a) and b) Section 9 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁸ Amended: by subparagraph c) Section 9 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁹ Enacted: by Section 1 of Government Decree 340/2010 (XII. 28.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 01. 2011.

¹⁰ Amended: by subparagraph d) Section 9 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

¹¹ Established by Section 2 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

¹² Established by Section 2 of Government Decree 128/2003 (VIII. 19.) Korm. Amended by Paragraph a) of Subsection (2) of Section 25 of Government Decree 303/2006 (XII. 23.) Korm.

¹³ Amended: by subparagraph a) paragraph (3) Section 9 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010.

¹⁴ Amended: by subparagraph e) Section 9 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

*b)*¹⁵ the penal register to check the applicant's criminal history in Hungary and whether he/she has been indicted in any criminal proceedings in Hungary.

(2)¹⁶ The petitioner must supply a statement of having no prior criminal record and that he/she is not indicted in any criminal proceedings, and as to whether he/she has been sentenced by any court for the willful commission of a crime during the past five years. If the petitioner resides abroad he/she is required to enclose, when so requested by the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters, a certificate in proof of having no prior criminal record from the competent authority of the foreign state of residence.

(3)¹⁷ With the exception of applications for naturalization or repatriation submitted pursuant to Subsections (3), (3a), (6) and (7) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, the applicant shall provide proof of subsistence and accommodations in Hungary.

(4)¹⁸ If the application for naturalization or repatriation is based upon Subsection (3) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, the documents giving evidence of former Hungarian citizenship of the applicant or his/her ancestors shall be enclosed.

(5)¹⁹ For applications for naturalization which are based upon Paragraphs *a)*, *b)* and *c)* of Subsection (2) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, data and information necessary for establishing the Hungarian citizenship of the applicant's spouse, child of minor age or the adopting parent shall be disclosed. For applications for naturalization which are based upon Subsection (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, data and information necessary for establishing the Hungarian citizenship of the applicant's spouse shall be disclosed.

(5a)²⁰ In the case of applications for naturalization which are based upon Subsection (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, the applicant and his/her spouse shall declare of being lawfully married for at least ten years in the case of Subparagraph *aa)* of Paragraph *a)* of Subsection (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, or for at least five years in the case of Subparagraph *ab)* of Paragraph *a)* of Subsection (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act.

(5b)²¹ In the case of applications for naturalization which are based upon Subsection (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, the birth certificate of the common child shall be presented to verify compliance with the condition under Subparagraph *ab)* of Paragraph *a)* of Subsection (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act.

¹⁵ Established: by paragraph (1) Section 3 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010. Shall apply to proceedings opened after 1 January 2011.

¹⁶ Established: by paragraph (2) Section 3 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010. Shall apply to proceedings opened after 1 January 2011.

¹⁷ Established by Subsection (1) of Section 2 of Government Decree 119/2005 (VI. 28.) Korm. Amended by Paragraph *a)* of Subsection (2) of Section 25 of Government Decree 303/2006 (XII. 23.) Korm. Amended: by subparagraph *a)* paragraph (3) Section 9 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010. Amended: by subparagraph *f)* Section 9 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

¹⁸ Established: by paragraph (1) Section 1 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

¹⁹ Established: by paragraph (1) Section 1 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

²⁰ Enacted: by paragraph (2) Section 1 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

²¹ Enacted: by paragraph (2) Section 1 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

(6)²² For applications for naturalization which are based upon Subsections (1), (2) and (4) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, if Subsection (2) of Section 4/A of the Citizenship Act applies, the following shall be provided:

a) the birth certificate of an incompetent minor;

b) the ruling of guardianship or conservatorship of an incompetent adult;

c) as regards a person of limited legal capacity provided for in Paragraph *a)* of Subsection (2) of Section 4/A of the Citizenship Act (hereinafter referred to as “person of limited legal capacity”):

ca) the birth certificate, if a minor,

cb) the ruling of guardianship or conservatorship, if a person whose legal capacity has been partially limited by court in respect of citizenship matters;

d) the certificate or diploma from a school or educational institution or institution of higher education, or a certificate issued by the institution in question;

e) a certificate from the competent healthcare service provider as proof of the applicant’s health condition.

(6a)²³

(6b)²⁴ Within the meaning of Paragraph *b)* of Subsection (2) of Section 4/A of the Citizenship Act, a bilingual school or educational institution or institute of higher education shall be considered to have a Hungarian-language curriculum if the applicant graduated in a class in which subjects were taught in the Hungarian language.

(7)²⁵ Applications for naturalization or repatriation shall have enclosed one facial photograph if the applicant resides in Hungary.

(8)²⁶ Applications for naturalization or repatriation shall have enclosed one facial photograph if the applicant is over fourteen years of age and resides abroad.

(9)²⁷ An autobiography written in Hungarian in the handwriting of the applicant of legal age shall be attached with an application for naturalization or repatriation using the standard form set out in Annex 1.

(10)²⁸ In the process of submission of applications for naturalization or repatriation by persons residing in Hungary, the particulars of the applicant provided for by Act LXVI of 1992 on Records of the Personal Data and Addresses of Citizens - required for the issue of a personal identification document - shall be recorded by the officer accepting the application.

²² Established by Subsection (1) of Section 1 of Government Decree 56/2014 (III. 4.) Korm. Amended by Paragraph *a)* of Section 2 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.).

²³ Repealed by Paragraph *a)* of Section 3 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.), effective as of 4 April 2017.

²⁴ Enacted: by paragraph (3) Section 1 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

²⁵ Established by Subsection (1) of Section 69 of Government Decree 414/2015 (XII. 23.) Korm., effective as of 1 January 2016.

²⁶ Established: by paragraph (4) Section 1 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

²⁷ Enacted: by paragraph (5) Section 1 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

²⁸ Established by Subsection (2) of Section 69 of Government Decree 414/2015 (XII. 23.) Korm., effective as of 1 January 2016.

(11)²⁹ The document specified in the Citizenship Act or in this Government Decree need not be attached with the application for naturalization or repatriation if the applicant:

a) declares to have enclosed such document previously in a case handled by the immigration authority, and requests the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters to obtain such document, or

b) declares that such document has previously been enclosed by his/her family member in his/her naturalization or repatriation procedure, and requests the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters to obtain such document.

*Section 3/A*³⁰

The officer receiving the application shall forward the supporting documents necessary for being recorded in the Hungarian registry together with the application for naturalization and repatriation.

*Section 4*³¹

(1)³²

(2) Following the decision of the President of the Republic, the certificate of naturalization or repatriation or the notice of the rejection of the application shall be sent to the mayor of the community where the applicant resides, or to the competent Hungarian consulate officer.

(3)³³ After taking the oath or pledge of allegiance, the documents necessary for being recorded in the Hungarian registry shall be sent to the civil register office responsible to maintain civil registers.

*Declaration*³⁴

*Section 4/A*³⁵

(1) The marriage and birth certificates of the applicant's parents shall be attached to the declaration filed under Paragraph *c)* of Subsection (1) of Section 5/A of the Citizenship Act, and the data and information for determining the mother's Hungarian citizenship shall be enclosed.

²⁹ Enacted: by paragraph (5) Section 1 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

³⁰ Established: by Section 4 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010. Shall apply to proceedings opened after 1 January 2011.

³¹ Established: by Section 4 of Government Decree 116/2007 (V. 24.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 07. 2007.

³² Repealed: by Section 4 of Government Decree 26/2011 (III. 10.) Korm. No longer in force: as of 11. 03. 2011.

³³ Amended by Paragraph *b)* of Section 2 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.).

³⁴ Enacted by Section 4 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

³⁵ Established: by Section 2 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

(2) For the declaration filed under Paragraph *b*) of Subsection (1) of Section 5/A of the Citizenship Act a certificate from the competent authority of the State of which the applicant's parents are citizens verifying that the applicant did not acquire citizenship in that country by birth shall be attached when so requested by the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters, if the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters has not been formally informed that the applicant did not acquire citizenship by birth.

Section 4/B³⁶

The officer receiving the application shall forward the supporting documents necessary for being recorded in the Hungarian registry together with the declaration, and - if the applicant is not listed in the personal data and address records - including also the data sheet required for admission into the personal data and address records.

Citizenship Oath and Pledge of Allegiance

Section 5³⁷

(1)³⁸ Following naturalization or repatriation under Subsections (3) and (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act the mayor indicated by the petitioner at the time of submission or according to Subsection (3) of Section 16 of the Citizenship Act, or the head of the competent Hungarian consulate, or if naturalized on other grounds the mayor of the community where the residence of the naturalized person is located or the head of the competent Hungarian consulate shall notify the petitioner and shall arrange the ceremony to administer the citizenship oath or pledge of allegiance.

(2)³⁹ The administration of the citizenship oath or pledge of allegiance shall be recorded in a report made in two counterparts containing the information specified in Annex 9. The first copy of the report shall be sent to the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters within the deadline prescribed in Subsection (4) of Section 13 of the Citizenship Act, and the second copy shall be filed and archived. The report may not be discarded.

(3) The date of administration of the citizenship oath or pledge of allegiance shall be recorded on the certificate of naturalization or repatriation, after which the certificate shall be delivered to

³⁶ Enacted: by Section 3 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

³⁷ Established by Section 5 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

³⁸ Established: by Section 5 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010. Shall apply to proceedings opened after 1 January 2011. Amended: by subparagraphs a) and g) Section 9 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

³⁹ Amended by Paragraph a) of Subsection (2) of Section 19 of Government Decree 119/2005 (VI. 28.) Korm. Amended: by subparagraph a) paragraph (2) Section 12 of of Government Decree 116/2007 (V. 24.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 07. 2007. Amended: by subparagraph a) paragraph (3) Section 9 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010. Amended: by Section 3 of Government Decree 26/2011 (III. 10.) Korm. In force: as of 11. 03. 2011.

the naturalized or repatriated person.

(4)-(5)⁴⁰

Renunciation of Hungarian Citizenship

Section 6

(1) The applicant shall attach the following to a declaration of renunciation of Hungarian citizenship:

*a)*⁴¹

b) certificate issued by the competent foreign authority for the purpose of evidencing foreign citizenship or one which renders the acquisition of foreign citizenship probable (promise of citizenship);

*c)*⁴²

(2)⁴³

*Section 7*⁴⁴

Section 8

(1)⁴⁵ The document issued in respect of the acceptance of renunciation of citizenship or the resolution for rejecting the application shall be sent to the competent Hungarian consul, who shall forward it to the applicant.

(2) Prior to the delivery of the document, the consul shall confiscate the documents evidencing the Hungarian citizenship of the applicant.

*Section 8/A*⁴⁶

(1) For a petition submitted under Subsection (4) of Section 8 of the Citizenship Act a

⁴⁰ Repealed: by subparagraph b) paragraph (1) Section 12 of of Government Decree 116/2007 (V. 24.) Korm. No longer in force: as of 1. 07. 2007.

⁴¹ Repealed: by subparagraph a) paragraph (2) Section 10 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. No longer in force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁴² Repealed by Section 11 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

⁴³ Repealed by Section 11 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

⁴⁴ Repealed by Paragraph c) of Section 6 of Government Decree 128/2003 (VIII. 19.) Korm., effective as of 1 September 2003.

⁴⁵ Established: by Section 6 of Government Decree 116/2007 (V. 24.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 07. 2007.

⁴⁶ Enacted by Section 6 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

certificate from the competent authority of the State where the petitioner was promised citizenship to verify that such citizenship was not granted shall be attached, along with the document on acceptance of the renunciation of citizenship.

(2)⁴⁷

Withdrawal of Hungarian Citizenship⁴⁸

*Section 8/B*⁴⁹

When Hungarian citizenship is withdrawn the immigration authority of jurisdiction by reference to the permanent residence of the person affected shall be notified.

Certificate of Citizenship; Request

Section 9

(1)⁵⁰

(2)⁵¹ The applicant shall enclose with the application for citizenship the documents to verify the data specified in Subsection (1) of Section 14 of the Citizenship Act when so requested by the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters, such as a passport issued by a Hungarian authority, an official certificate for the purposes of identification, certificate of change of name or a certificate issued by the registrar.

(3)⁵² In proceedings for the issue of citizenship certificates, if the application was filed at a consulate, the notification, the notice for requesting missing information, or the decision shall be sent to the applicant via the minister in charge of foreign policies if the applicant has no agent for service of process in Hungary.

⁴⁷ Repealed: by subparagraph c) paragraph (1) Section 12 of of Government Decree 116/2007 (V. 24.) Korm. No longer in force: as of 1. 07. 2007.

⁴⁸ Enacted by Section 7 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

⁴⁹ Established: by Section 7 of Government Decree 116/2007 (V. 24.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 07. 2007.

⁵⁰ Repealed: by Section 46 of Government Decree 182/2009 (IX. 10.) Korm. No longer in force: as of 1. 10. 2009.

⁵¹ Enacted: by Section 8 of Government Decree 116/2007 (V. 24.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 07. 2007. Amended: by subparagraph a) paragraph (3) Section 9 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010. Amended: by subparagraph h) Section 9 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁵² Enacted: by Section 8 of Government Decree 116/2007 (V. 24.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 07. 2007. Amended: by Section 45 of Government Decree 182/2009 (IX. 10.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 10. 2009. Shall apply to proceedings opened after the time of time of entry into force and to reopened proceedings.

Section 9/A⁵³

The officer receiving the application shall forward the supporting documents necessary for being recorded in the Hungarian registry together with the application, and - if the applicant is not listed in the personal data and address records - including also the data sheet required for admission into the personal data and address records.

Section 10⁵⁴

The body referred to in Section 12 of the Citizenship Act shall send any request for the confirmation of citizenship directly to the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters. In addition to the data specified in Subsection (2) of Section 14 of the Citizenship Act, the body referred to in Section 12 of the Citizenship Act shall send the documents necessary to establish citizenship, if available.

Section 11⁵⁵

Resolution

Section 12⁵⁶

(1) The decision of the President of the Republic is contained in a certificate of naturalization or repatriation or a document issued in respect of the acceptance of renunciation of citizenship.

(2) The resolutions adopted in citizenship proceedings shall contain the following:

a) the name of the body adopting the resolution, the case number, name and address of the applicant;

b) the decision adopted in the citizenship proceedings, and information on any remedy available;

c) the facts, evidence and provisions of legal regulations serving as basis for the decision;

d) the place and date when and where the resolution was adopted, name of the signatory, and the official seal of the body adopting the resolution.

Basic Constitutional Studies Examination⁵⁷

⁵³ Enacted: by Section 4 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁵⁴ Established: by Section 5 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁵⁵ Repealed: by Section 4 of Government Decree 26/2011 (III. 10.) Korm. No longer in force: as of 11. 03. 2011.

⁵⁶ Established: by Section 9 of Government Decree 116/2007 (V. 24.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 07. 2007.

⁵⁷ Established by Subsection (1) of Section 8 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm.,

Section 13

(1)⁵⁸ The applicant may enroll for the examination specified in Paragraph *e*) of Subsection (1) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act by submitting the Application for Examination with the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters in person, by post, or by way of electronic means.

(2)⁵⁹ It is the responsibility of the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters to organize the examination that shall:⁶⁰

a)⁶¹

b) set the date of the examination;

c) appoint the chairman and two members of the examination board.

d)⁶²

e)⁶³

(3) The following may serve as chairman and members of the examination board:

a)⁶⁴ persons in public service, government service or State service relationship, holding a diploma in political sciences and law, certified public administration managers, certified public administration experts, or persons holding a degree in administrative management, public administrative management;

b) teachers holding a diploma of higher education who teach the subject of civics in primary schools.

(3a)⁶⁵ Members of the examination committee and the recorder shall be entitled to remuneration. The chairman of the examination committee, the members and the recorder shall receive, respectively, 6, 3.5 and 1.75 per cent of the examination fee for each examinee.

effective as of 1 July 2001.

⁵⁸ Established by paragraph (1) Section 6 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. Amended by Subsection (2) of Section 2 of Government Decree 477/2016 (XII. 27.), Paragraph c) of Section 2 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.).

⁵⁹ Amended by Paragraph a) of Subsection (4) of Section 62 of Act LXIII of 1994, and by Subsection (5) of Section 5 of Government Decree 366/2006 (XII. 28.) Korm., point 51 paragraph (1) Section 17 of Government Decree 318/2008 (XII. 23.) Korm., Paragraph d) of Section 2 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.).

⁶⁰ Amended: by subparagraph b) Section 4 of Government Decree 174/2012 (VII. 26.) Korm. In force: as of 27. 07. 2012. Amended: by subparagraph b) paragraph (1) Section 10 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁶¹ Repealed by Section 11 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

⁶² Repealed by Section 11 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

⁶³ Repealed by Paragraph a) of Subsection (1) of Section 19 of Government Decree 119/2005 (VI. 28.) Korm., effective as of 1 January 2006.

⁶⁴ Amended by subparagraph i) Section 9 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm., Section 1 of Government Decree 347/2013 (IX. 30.) Korm., Section 1 of Government Decree 205/2015 (VII. 23.) Korm, Section 2 of Government Decree 217/2016 (VII. 22.).

⁶⁵ Enacted: by paragraph (2) Section 6 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

(4)⁶⁶ The exam shall be arranged and carried out according to the examination rules. The examination rules, the specimen of the examination ledger and the examination report, and the examination requirements are contained in Annex 7 to this Decree.

(5)⁶⁷ The performance of the candidate shall be rated "passed" or "failed". A certificate shall be issued to the examinee if he/she passes the examination. The certificate shall contain the name of the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters, the case number, the indication "certificate of examination of basic constitutional studies", the personal data of the examinee (name, place and date of birth, mother's name, address), the grade given, the date of the exam, signatures of members of the examination committee, the date of the certificate and the official seal of the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters.

(5a)⁶⁸

(6)⁶⁹ The applicant shall be charged a fee payable to the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters. The fee shall be fifty per cent of the mandatory prevailing monthly minimum wage.

(7)⁷⁰ Any examination fee paid by a person who is not required to take the exam or is granted exemption under Subsection (2) of Section 4/A of the Citizenship Act shall be refunded upon request if submitted within six months from the effective date of the resolution of his/her petition for citizenship.

(8)⁷¹

*Change of Name*⁷²

*Section 13/A*⁷³

⁶⁶ Established by Subsection (2) of Section 8 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

⁶⁷ Established by Subsection (2) of Section 8 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm. Amended by point 51 paragraph (1) Section 17 of Government Decree 318/2008 (XII. 23.) Korm., subparagraph c) Section 4 of Government Decree 174/2012 (VII. 26.) Korm., subparagraph c) paragraph (1) Section 10 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm., Paragraph e) of Section 2 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.).

⁶⁸ Repealed by Paragraph b) of Section 3 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.), effective as of 4 April 2017.

⁶⁹ Established by Section 6 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. Amended by subparagraph d) Section 4 of Government Decree 174/2012 (VII. 26.) Korm., subparagraph j) Section 9 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm., Paragraph f) of Section 2 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.).

⁷⁰ Enacted by Subsection (3) of Section 8 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

⁷¹ Repealed: by subparagraph b) paragraph (2) Section 10 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. No longer in force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁷² Enacted by Section 9 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

⁷³ Enacted by Section 9 of Government Decree 103/2001 (VI. 21.) Korm., effective as of 1 July 2001.

(1)⁷⁴ Applications for change of name shall be submitted with the petition for citizenship.

(2)⁷⁵ For an application for change of name under Paragraph *a*) of Subsection (1) of Section 20/A of the Citizenship Act an official certificate issued by the appropriate authority, which contains the former family name of the applicant or of his/her ancestors, or a document issued by a Hungarian authority based on official files containing authentic personal data shall be attached, subject to the exception set out in Subsection (2a).

(2a)⁷⁶ The document referred to in Subsection (2) is not required if the translation of the applicant's foreign birth certificate made by the Országos Fordító és Fordításhitelesítő Iroda (*Hungarian National Office for Translations and Attestations*) contains a clause verifying the Hungarian equivalent of the applicant's surname, provided that there is only one Hungarian expression of that surname exists.

(2b)⁷⁷ Documents or expert assessments supporting the facts of which the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters is officially aware and which are of common knowledge need not be enclosed with an application for change of name submitted pursuant to Paragraphs *b*)-*d*) of Subsection (1) of Section 20/A of the Citizenship Act.

(3)⁷⁸ In the case of an application for change of name under Paragraph *b*) or *c*) of Subsection (1) of Section 20/A of the Citizenship Act - if it fails to comply with the requirements set out in Subsections (2a) and (2b) - a translation or certificate by the Országos Fordító és Fordításhitelesítő Iroda (*Hungarian Translation and Translation Authentication Office*) or an evaluation by the Magyar Tudományos Akadémia (*Hungarian Academy of Sciences*) concerning the linguistic features of the name or any component shall be attached when requested by the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters.

(3a)⁷⁹ In the case of an application for change of name under Paragraph *d*) of Subsection (1) of Section 20/A of the Citizenship Act - if it fails to comply with the requirements set out in Subsections (2a) and (2b) - the official certificate referred to in Subsection (2) shall be attached when requested by the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters.

(4)⁸⁰ The application for change of name shall be rejected by way of a resolution if the naturalized or repatriated applicant did not satisfy the criteria laid down in Subsections (1) and (2) of Section 20/A of the Citizenship Act and in this Decree for change of name, or did not attach the documents and/or evaluations required. In this case the naturalized or repatriated person in question shall have the right to apply for change of name under the general rules.

⁷⁴ Amended: by subparagraph d) paragraph (1) Section 10 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁷⁵ Established: by Section 4 of Government Decree 340/2010 (XII. 28.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 01. 2011.

⁷⁶ Enacted: by Section 4 of Government Decree 340/2010 (XII. 28.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 01. 2011.

⁷⁷ Enacted: by paragraph (1) Section 7 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁷⁸ Established: by paragraph (2) Section 7 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁷⁹ Enacted: by paragraph (3) Section 7 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁸⁰ Established: by Section 10 of Government Decree 116/2007 (V. 24.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 07. 2007.

(5)⁸¹ Applications for change of name are decided by the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters.

(6)⁸²

Body in Charge of Naturalization and Nationality Matters⁸³

*Section 13/B*⁸⁴

The Government appoints the Government Agency of the City of Budapest to function as the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters.

Transitional and Closing Provisions

Section 14

(1) Any person who was released from the bonds of Hungarian citizenship during the period between 15 September 1947 and 2 May 1990, and whose Hungarian citizenship was terminated through forced relocation to Germany, and whose application for repatriation has not yet been assessed, the application of such a person shall be adjudged according to Section 21 of the Citizenship Act. The operative date of this Decree shall be construed as the date of acquisition of Hungarian citizenship.

(2) In cases of denaturalization still in progress at the time of the Citizenship Act entering into force, the provisions of Subsection (2) of Section 8 shall apply.

Section 15

This Decree shall enter into force on 1 October 1993.

*Section 16*⁸⁵

The provisions of this Decree established by Government Decree 340/2010 (XII. 28.) Korm. on the Amendment of Specific Government Decree in Connection with the Introduction of the Simplified Naturalization Procedure shall apply to proceedings opened after 1 January 2011.

⁸¹ Established by Section 148 of Government Decree 221/2014 (IX. 4.) Korm., effective as of 5 September 2014.

⁸² Repealed by Section 149 of Government Decree 221/2014 (IX. 4.) Korm., effective as of 5 September 2014.

⁸³ Enacted: by Section 7 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010.

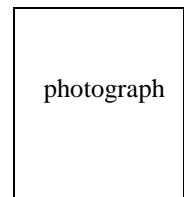
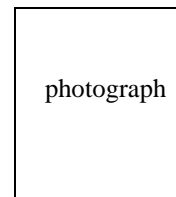
⁸⁴ Established by Subsection (1) of Section 10 of Government Decree 379/2016 (XII. 2.), effective as of 1 January 2017.

⁸⁵ Enacted: by Section 5 of Government Decree 340/2010 (XII. 28.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 01. 2011.

Section 17⁸⁶

The provisions of this Decree established by Government Decree 477/2016 (XII. 27.) on the Amendment of Government Decrees Relating to Setting Up the Single Electronic Administration System shall apply until 31 December 2017 only if the Budapest Government Agency agreed before 1 January 2018 to communicate electronically in accordance with Subsection (2) of Section 108 of Act CCXXII of 2015 on the General Rules for Trust Services for Electronic Transactions. In the absence of such agreement, as regards electronic communication the provisions of this Decree in effect on 31 December 2016 shall apply to the Budapest Government Agency until 31 December 2017.

Annex 1 to Government Decree 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm⁸⁷



President of the Republic
Budapest

APPLICATION FOR NATURALIZATION
pursuant to Subsections (1)-(2), (4)-(7) of Section 4 of Act LV of 1993 on
Hungarian Citizenship

I, the undersigned, and my lawfully wedded spouse do hereby request my/our naturalization together with my/our minor child (children) or child (children) of legal age having no legal competency of the name(s) on the basis of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship, and request the issue of a certificate thereof.

THE APPLICANT

I. Particulars of the applicant:

1. Married name:
Surname by birth:
Forename(s) by birth:
Previous surname (by birth):
Previous forename(s):
.....

⁸⁶ Enacted by Subsection (1) of Section 2 of Government Decree 477/2016 (XII. 27.), effective as of 1 January 2017.

⁸⁷ Established: by paragraph (1) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

Sex: female male

2. Place of birth: (country, province, federal state)
..... (city/town)

In the naturalization proceeding I would like to have my place of birth indicated by its official foreign place-name in addition to the official Hungarian name. (*Underline where appropriate.*)

Date of birth: day month year

3. Citizenship(s):

Date and title of acquiring current citizenship:

4. Previous citizenship:

Date and title of receipt of previous citizenship and the reason under which terminated:
.....

5. Home address: (city/town)

..... (street) (no.) (floor) (apt.)

Habitual residence: (city/town)

..... (street) (no.) (floor) (apt.)

Phone number:

E-mail address:

Last address abroad: (country) (city/town)

Street address: (street, number, etc.)

Date of entering Hungary and type of travel document used:

6. Education:

Degree or diploma obtained from a school or educational institution or institute of higher education in which the language of instruction was Hungarian:
.....

Name and address of school:

Date and serial number of certificate/diploma:
.....

7. Source of income:

Occupation:

Name of employer:

Work address:

Work phone:

Employment during the past five years in Hungary:

II. Applicant's marital status:

1. Marital status: single (never married)
married widowed divorced

Place of marriage: date:

2. If divorced, name of divorce court:

Number of divorce certificate:

Effective date of certificate:

3. If widowed, place and date of death of spouse:

4. If present marriage is not the first:
Place and date of previous marriage:

Married name after previous marriage:

Surname and forename after last marriage is terminated:

place and date and the mode of dissolution of previous marriage:

Name of previous spouse:

Place of birth:

date:

Citizenship:

Indicate the same for any other marriages apart from the current marriage and the one indicated in Point 4 (in the same detail as in Point 4:

III. Particulars of the applicant's ascendants:

1. Father's name:

Father's place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:

Father's citizenship:

Was father ever a Hungarian citizen:

If yes, from when to when:

The following data is not mandatory:

Name of father's father:

place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:

Birth name of father's mother:

place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:

Place of marriage of father's parents:

date:

2. Mother's name:

.....
Mother's place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:
Mother's citizenship:
Was mother ever a Hungarian citizen:
If yes, from when to when:

The following data is not mandatory:

Name of mother's father:
place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:
Birth name of mother's mother:
place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:
Place of marriage of mother's parents:
date:
3. Place of marriage of parents: (country) (city/town)
date:

IV. Information concerning the applicant's stay in Hungary:

Information concerning the applicant's certificate or document of residence in Hungary:
- type:
- number:
- date of issue:
- validity period:

Name of issuing authority:
Date of registration of address following authorization:
.....

V. Indicate if any family member has been granted Hungarian citizenship: yes no
(Parent, grandparent, child, grandchild, sibling, child of sibling, grandchild of sibling)

1. Family member's name:
Place of birth: date:
Number of citizenship certificate:
2. Family member's name:
Place of birth: date:
Number of citizenship certificate:

If yes, I request the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters to obtain the documents that my family member has previously supplied for his/her application for naturalization or repatriation, and which may be used for my naturalization. yes no

My petition is based on the following:

- I have maintained a registered residence in Hungary since
- my spouse is a Hungarian citizen (was a Hungarian citizen if deceased).
- my minor child is a Hungarian citizen.
- my adoptive parent is a Hungarian citizen.
- I was granted refugee status by the Hungarian authorities.
- I was born on the soil of Hungary's present territory.
- I settled in Hungary as a minor.
- I am stateless.

(Underline the above as appropriate.)

AUTOBIOGRAPHY

(non-professional)

applicant

SPOUSE'S PARTICULARS

Please complete all fields if your spouse is also an applicant.

If your spouse is not an applicant, only Points 1, 2, 3 and 5 of Part VI shall be completed if your spouse is a Hungarian citizen and Points 1, 2, and 3 of Part VI shall be completed if your marriage has been dissolved (death of spouse, divorce).

VI. Particulars of applicant's spouse:

1. Married name:

Surname by birth:

Forename(s) by birth:

Previous surname (by birth):

Previous forename(s):

.....

Sex: female male

2. Place of birth: (country, province, federal state)

..... (city/town)

In the naturalization proceeding I would like to have my place of birth indicated by its official foreign place-name in addition to the official Hungarian name. *(Underline where appropriate.)*

Date of birth: day month year

3. Citizenship(s):

Date and title of acquiring current citizenship:

4. Previous citizenship:

Date and title of receipt of previous citizenship and the reason under which terminated:

.....

5. Home address: □□□□ (city/town)

..... (street) (no.) (floor) (apt.)

Habitual residence: □□□□ (city/town)

..... (street) (no.) (floor) (apt.)

Phone number:,.....

E-mail address:

Last address abroad: (country) (city/town)

Street address: (street, number, etc.)

Date of entering Hungary and type of travel document used:

.....

6. Education:

Degree or diploma obtained from a school or educational institution or institute of higher education in which the language of instruction was Hungarian:

.....

Name and address of school:

Date and serial number of certificate/diploma:

.....

Source of income:

Occupation:

Name of employer:

Work address:

Work phone:

Employment during the past five years in Hungary:

.....

VII. Particulars regarding spouse's previous marriage, if applicable:

If present marriage is not the first:

Place and date of previous marriage:

.....

Married name after previous marriage:

Surname and forename after last marriage is terminated:

.....

place and date and the mode of dissolution of previous marriage:

.....

Name of previous spouse:

place

of

birth:

.....

date:

citizenship:

Particulars of any marriage prior to the above:

.....

VIII. Particulars of ascendants of applicant's spouse:

1. Father's name:

.....

Father's place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:

Father's citizenship:

Was father ever a Hungarian citizen:

If yes, from when to when:

The following data is not mandatory:

Name of father's father:

Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:

Birth name of father's mother:

place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:

Place of marriage of father's parents:

date:

2. Mother's name:

.....

Mother's place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:

Mother's citizenship:

Was mother ever a Hungarian citizen:

If yes, from when to when:

The following data is not mandatory:

Name of mother's father:

place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:

Birth name of mother's mother:

place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:

Place of marriage of mother's parents:

date:

3. Place of marriage of parents: (country) (city/town)

date:

IX. Information concerning the spouse's residence in Hungary:

Information concerning the applicant's certificate or document of residence in Hungary:

- type:
- number:
- date of issue:
- validity period:

Name of issuing authority:

Date of registration of address following authorization:

X. Indicate if any family member has been granted Hungarian citizenship: yes
no

(Parent, grandparent, child, grandchild, sibling, child of sibling, grandchild of sibling)

1. Family member's name:
Place of birth: date:
Number of citizenship certificate:

2. Family member's name:
Place of birth: date:
Number of citizenship certificate:

If yes, I request the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters to obtain the documents that my family member has previously supplied for his/her application for naturalization or repatriation, and which may be used for my naturalization. yes no

My petition is based on the following:

- I have maintained a registered residence in Hungary since
- my minor child is a Hungarian citizen.
- my adoptive parent is a Hungarian citizen.
- I was granted refugee status by the Hungarian authorities.
- I was born on the soil of Hungary's present territory.
- I settled in Hungary as a minor.
- I am stateless.

(Underline the above as appropriate.)

AUTOBIOGRAPHY

(non-professional)

spouse

CHILD (CHILDREN) OF MINOR AGE OF APPLICANT(S):

1. Surname by birth: Forename:
 Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
 date:
 Mother's name:

 Father's name:

 Citizenship:

2. Surname by birth: Forename:
 Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
 date:
 Mother's name:

 Father's name:

 Citizenship:

3. Surname by birth: Forename:
 Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
 date:
 Mother's name:

 Father's name:

 Citizenship:

4. Surname by birth: Forename:
 Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
 date:
 Mother's name:

 Father's name:

 Citizenship:

In the naturalization proceeding I would like to have my place of birth indicated by its official foreign place-name in addition to the official Hungarian name. (*Underline where appropriate.*)

CHANGE OF NAME

I was duly informed of the possibility of name change.

I/we request a name change (*the following application is to be completed*)

I/we do not request a name change (*the following application is not required*)

Application for change of name

pursuant to Section 20/A of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship

Name change variations:

- 1. bearing the former family name at birth, or the family name of ancestors*
- 2. waiving one or more components of the family birth name, or any designation of gender from the birth name or married name*
- 3. bearing the Hungarian equivalent of forename*
- 4. bearing the former family name of spouse or former spouse at birth or the former family name at birth of spouse's or former spouse's ancestors*
- 5. having the name of deceased mother shown in Hungarian.*

Based on the above, please indicate the number of your choice and complete the name field accordingly.

Applicant

My married name:

My birth name: (surname and forename, father's name)

Name requested:

Birth name:

Married name:

Pursuant to the documents enclosed, please indicate the name of my deceased mother in Hungarian, as per the following:

Surname by birth:

forename:

Applicant's spouse

My married name:

My birth name: (surname and forename, father's name)

Name requested:

Birth name:

Married name:

Pursuant to the documents enclosed, please indicate the name of my deceased mother in Hungarian, as per the following:

Surname by birth:

forename:

Applicant's children

My birth name: (surname and forename, father's name)

Name requested:

Applicant's children

My birth name: (surname and forename, father's name)

Name requested:

Applicant's children

My birth name: (surname and forename, father's name)

Name requested:

Applicant's children

My birth name: (surname and forename, father's name)

Name requested:

Applicant's children

My birth name: (surname and forename, father's name)

Name requested:

Enclosed please find the following to substantiate my application for change of name:
(Please indicate the ones attached.)

- my own birth certificate or that of my father, mother, grandfather (other ascendant)
 - applicant
 - spouse
- the following document issued by a contemporary Hungarian authority regarding my or my ascendant's surname: personal identification document, passport, address registration form, military card, certificate of registration, contemporary school degree, other:
.....
 - applicant
 - spouse
- regarding the linguistic features of the component or designation that I wish to omit
 - translation or certificate by the Országos Fordító és Fordításhitelesítő Iroda (*Hungarian National Office for Translations and Attestations Company*);
 - evaluation by the Magyar Tudományos Akadémia Nyelvtudományi Intézet (*Research Institute for Linguistics of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences*);
 - other expert assessment:
 - applicant
 - spouse
- death certificate of my deceased mother and an official document showing her family name at

birth in Hungarian

applicant

spouse

ENCLOSURES

(Please underline, highlight or mark the ones attached.)

- 2 facial photographs of the applicant(s),
- birth certificate(s);
- marriage certificate(s), divorce certificate, death certificate of spouse;
- proof of subsistence:
- proof of residence (place or abode, address):
.....
- certificate(s) of examination in basic constitutional studies;
- proof of exemption from examination:
- declaration of consent of the other parent for the child's (children's) naturalization (and change of name)
- other documents:

If born or married abroad, the relevant foreign certificate shall be enclosed together with appropriate authentication, and foreign documents shall be enclosed with the official Hungarian translation attached.

Data from Hungarian registers are verified ex officio.

STATEMENTS

1. I/we hereby declare that the above information is true and correct.
2. I do hereby declare that I have no prior criminal record and that I have not been sentenced by the court of law for the willful commission of a crime during the past five years.
 applicant yes no
 spouse yes no
3. Under penalty of perjury I solemnly declare that my attempts to obtain the other parent's (name) consent for the naturalization of my minor child have failed due to the following reasons (explain in detail):
.....
.....
4. I do hereby declare that for the purposes of immigration proceedings I have enclosed
document, which I ask to have obtained ex officio.
 applicant yes no
 spouse yes no
- 5.⁸⁸

⁸⁸ Repealed by Paragraph c) of Section 3 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.), effective as of 4 April 2017.

date:

.....
signature of applicant

.....
signature of spouse

.....
signature of applicant of limited capacity

.....
signature of applicant of limited capacity

I have interviewed the applicant(s) of limited capacity.

Signature(s) of applicant(s) are duly verified.

The applicant(s) produced the following personal identification document:

(type) (No.) valid through

(type) (No.) valid through

(type) (No.) valid through

(type) (No.) valid through

and official address card

.....
.....
.....

for the purpose of identification.

stamp

.....
signature of officer receiving the application

Applicant(s) were informed:

of the lack of the legal requirements indicated below:

.....
of the following discrepancies:
.....

.....
signature of officer receiving the application

Notification acknowledged.

Remarks:

.....
.....

signature of applicant

President of the Republic
Budapest

DECLARATION
for the reinstatement of Hungarian citizenship

I, the undersigned, do hereby declare that I wish to have my Hungarian citizenship reinstated pursuant to Paragraph *a*) of Subsection (1) of Section 5/A of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship.

I lost my Hungarian citizenship in (year) because I was deprived - expatriated - compelled to resettle in Germany.

(Please underline as appropriate.)

Particulars of the applicant:

1. Married name:
Surname by birth (maiden name):
Forename(s) by birth:
Surname and forename at the time of leaving the country:
.....
Indicate any change of name while abroad:
If yes, when: Authorized by:
Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
..... (if Budapest, please indicate the district as well)
Date of birth: day month year

2. Foreign citizenship(s):
Date when acquired:
On what grounds:
.....

3. Father's name:
.....
Father's place of birth: date:
Father's citizenship:
Mother's name:
.....
Mother's place of birth: date:
Mother's citizenship:

⁸⁹ Established: by paragraph (2) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

Place of marriage of parents: date:

4. Marital status: single (never married)
married widowed divorced

Place of marriage: (country) (city/town)
date:

If divorced, name of divorce court:
Number of divorce certificate:

Effective date of certificate:

If widowed, place and date of death of spouse:

Spouse's surname and forename by birth:

married surname and forename:

place of birth: date:

citizenship:

If present marriage is not the first:

Place of previous marriage: (country) (city/town)

date:

Surname and forename of previous spouse by birth:

.....

place of birth: date:

citizenship:

Place and date and the mode of dissolution of previous marriage:

.....

5. Permanent address: (country) (city, town)

street address: (street, number etc.)

Please send certificate to the following address:

.....

Phone number:,.....

E-mail address:

6. If forced to resettle in Germany, address(es) in Hungary

after 1941:

.....

I do hereby declare that the above information is true and correct.

Enclosures:

(Please underline, highlight or mark the ones attached.)

- birth certificate;
- proof of marital status: marriage certificate, death certificate of deceased spouse, divorce

certificate;
- other document:

If born or married abroad, the relevant foreign certificate shall be enclosed together with appropriate authentication, and foreign documents shall be enclosed with the official Hungarian translation attached.

Data from Hungarian registers are verified ex officio.

Date:

.....
signature of applicant
(legal representative)

.....
signature of applicant of limited capacity

Signature verification:

Applicant's signature is verified as authentic.

The applicant produced the following picture identification document:
..... (No.) valid through for the purpose of
identification.

stamp

.....
signature of officer receiving the declaration

*Annex 3 of Government Decree 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm.*⁹⁰

President of the Republic
Budapest

PETITION
for Hungarian Citizenship by stateless persons

I, the undersigned .. (in my capacity as the legal representative of
.....), do hereby declare my intention to apply for Hungarian citizenship

⁹⁰ Established: by paragraph (3) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

pursuant to Paragraph *b*) of Subsection (1) of Section 5/A of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship.

I was born on Hungarian soil and I have been stateless ever since.

Particulars of the applicant:

1. Surname by birth:
Forename(s) by birth:
Previous surname and forename(s):
Place of birth: (city/town) district
Date of birth: day month year
2. Marital status of applicant: single (never married)
married widowed divorced

(Married name, if applicable:
Place of marriage: date:
Mode of dissolution of marriage: date:)

Particulars of applicant's parents:

3. Father's surname and forename:
.....
Father's place of birth: date: day month year
Father's citizenship at the time of applicant's birth:
Father's present citizenship:
Father's address at the time of applicant's birth:
.....
Mother's surname and forename by birth:
.....
Mother's present surname and forename:
.....
Mother's place of birth: date: day month year
Mother's citizenship at the time of applicant's birth:
.....
Mother's present citizenship:
Mother's address at the time of applicant's birth:
.....
Parents' place of marriage: date:

Applicant's Hungarian residence:

4. Applicant's address: (city/town)
..... (street) (no.) (floor) (apt.)
Habitual residence: (city/town)
..... (street) (no.) (floor) (apt.)
Phone number:
E-mail address:

5. Information concerning the applicant's certificate of residence in Hungary:

- type:
- number:
- date of issue:
.....
- validity period:
Name of issuing authority:
Date of registration of address following authorization:
.....

6. Indicate if any family member (parent, sibling, etc.) has been granted Hungarian citizenship:

yes no

Family member's name:
Place of birth: date:
Number of citizenship certificate:

Family member's name:
Place of birth: date:
Number of citizenship certificate:

I do hereby declare that the above information is true and correct.

Enclosures:

(Please underline, highlight or mark the ones attached.)

- birth certificate;
- proof of marital status: marriage certificate, death certificate of deceased spouse, divorce certificate;
- evidence or explanation of statelessness:
- other document:

If born or married abroad, the relevant foreign certificate shall be enclosed together with appropriate authentication, and foreign documents shall be enclosed with the official Hungarian translation attached.

Data from Hungarian registers are verified ex officio.

Date:

.....
signature of applicant
(also if of limited capacity)

.....
Signature of legal representative

I have interviewed the applicant of limited capacity.

Applicant's and/or legal representative's signature(s) is/are verified as authentic.
The applicant and/or his/her legal representative produced the following personal identification document: (No.) valid through and official address card No. for the purpose of identification.

stamp

.....
signature of officer receiving the declaration

Annex 4 to Government Decree 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm.⁹¹

President of the Republic
Budapest

***DECLARATION
to renounce Hungarian Citizenship***

I, the undersigned, and my spouse, do hereby renounce my/our Hungarian citizenship on the basis of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship.

Please accept my/our renouncement and issue a certificate thereof.

This renouncement shall also include my/our minor child (children) of the name(s)

I. THE APPLICANT

1. Particulars of the applicant:

Married name:
Surname by birth:
Forename(s) by birth:
Previous surname and forename(s):
Surname and forename at the time of leaving the country:
Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
(Indicate district of Budapest, if applicable:.....)
Date of birth: day month year
Sex: female male
Foreign citizenship:
date when acquired:

⁹¹ Established: by paragraph (4) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

on what grounds:
.....

If you have no foreign citizenship, indicate the citizenship that is promised by official document:

Home address: (country) (city, town)

Street address: (street, number etc.)

Phone number:

E-mail address:

2. Particulars of parents:

Father's surname and forename:
.....

Father's place of birth: date:

Father's citizenship:

Mother's surname and forename by birth:
.....

Mother's place of birth: date:

Mother's citizenship:

Place of marriage of parents: date:

3. Applicant's marital status:

Marital status: single (never married)

married widowed divorced

Place of marriage: (country) (city/town)

(Indicate district of Budapest, if applicable:.....)

Date:

(Answer the questions below if the spouse intends to keep his/her Hungarian citizenship. Spouse is to answer the questions under Part II if he/she also joins the renouncement.)

Spouse's surname and forename by birth:

Spouse's married name:

Spouse's place of birth: date:

citizenship:
.....

Place of previous marriage: (country) (city/town)

date:

Surname and forename of previous spouse:
.....

place of birth: date:

citizenship:

4. Information on applicant leaving Hungary:

Date of departure:

Last address in Hungary:

If applicant never lived in Hungary, date of parents' (grandparents') departure:

Parents' (grandparents') last address in Hungary:

II. PARTICULARS OF SPOUSE IF ALSO APPLYING FOR RENOUNCEMENT

1. Particulars of applicant's spouse:

Married name:
Surname by birth:
Forename(s) by birth:
Previous surname and forename(s):
Surname and forename at the time of leaving the country:
.....
Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
(Indicate district of Budapest, if applicable:.....)
Date of birth: day month year
Foreign citizenship:
date when acquired:
on what grounds:
.....
If you have no foreign citizenship, indicate the citizenship that is promised by official document:
Home address: (country) (city, town)
Street address: (street, number etc.)
Phone number:
E-mail address:

2. Particulars of spouse's parents:

Father's surname and forename:
.....
Father's place of birth: date:
Father's citizenship:
Mother's surname and forename by birth:
.....
Mother's place of birth: date:
Mother's citizenship:
Place of marriage of parents: date:

3. Particulars regarding spouse's previous marriage, if applicable:

Place of previous marriage: date:
Surname and forename of previous spouse:
.....
Place of birth: date:
citizenship:

4. Information on applicant's spouse leaving Hungary:

Date of departure:
Last address in Hungary:
If spouse never lived in Hungary, date of parents' (grandparents') departure:
Parents' (grandparents') last address in Hungary:

III. MINOR CHILD (CHILDREN) OF APPLICANT IN HIS/HER CUSTODY

1. Surname and forename of minor child:
Place of birth: date:
Citizenship:
2. Surname and forename of minor child:
Place of birth: date:
Citizenship:
3. Surname and forename of minor child:
Place of birth: date:
Citizenship:
4. Surname and forename of minor child:
Place of birth: date:
Citizenship:

Enclosures:

(Please underline, highlight or mark the ones attached.)

- birth certificate(s);
- proof of marital status and for use of name: marriage certificate(s), divorce certificate, death certificate of spouse;
- document proving foreign citizenship;
- document on promise of foreign citizenship;
- parent's declaration of consent for minor child's renouncement of Hungarian citizenship.

If born or married abroad, the relevant foreign certificate shall be enclosed together with appropriate authentication, and foreign documents shall be enclosed with the official Hungarian translation attached.

Data from Hungarian registers are verified ex officio.

I/we do hereby declare that I/we hold the following documents as proof of Hungarian citizenship:
personal identification document No., valid through
....., passport No., valid through,
official address and personal identification number card,

other:

I hereby agree to deliver the above documents to the consul before receiving the certificate of renouncement.

I do hereby declare that the above information is true and correct.

Date:

.....
signature of applicant

.....
signature of spouse

.....
signature of applicant of limited capacity

.....
signature of applicant of limited capacity

Signature verification:

I have interviewed the applicant of limited capacity.

Signature(s) of applicant(s) are duly verified.

The applicant(s) produced the following picture identification document:
..... (No.) valid through for the purpose of
identification.

Applicant(s) were informed of the following discrepancies:

.....
signature of officer receiving the application

stamp

Notification acknowledged.

Remarks:

.....
signature of applicant

*Annex 4/A to Government Decree 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm.*⁹²

*Annex 5 to Government Decree 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm.*⁹³

Government Agency of the City of Budapest
Budapest

⁹² Repealed: by subparagraph c) paragraph (2) Section 10 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. No longer in force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

⁹³ Established by Section 1 of Government Decree 220/2013 (VI. 24.) Korm. Amended by Subsection (2) of Section 10 of Government Decree 379/2016 (XII. 2.).

Application for verification of citizenship status

Please certify my Hungarian citizenship status.

I do / do not request an official certificate.

(Underline as appropriate.)

I. Particulars of the applicant:

1. Married surname: forename(s):
Surname by birth: forename(s):
Previous surname and forename(s) (by marriage, or before change of name):
Surname and forename(s) used when leaving the country:
Sex: male <input type="checkbox"/> female <input type="checkbox"/>
Place of birth: (country) (city/town), (Indicate district of Budapest, if applicable:.....)
Date of birth: day month year.

II. Particulars of the applicant's ascendants:

2. Father's name:
Father's place of birth: date:
Father's citizenship(s):
Surname and forename of father's father:
place of birth: date:
Surname and forename of father's mother by birth:
place of birth: date:
Place and date of marriage of father's parents:

3. Mother's surname and forename by birth:
Mother's place of birth: date:
Mother's citizenship(s):
Surname and forename of mother's father:
place of birth: date:
Surname and forename of mother's mother by birth:
place of birth: date:

Place and date of marriage of mother's parents:
.....

4. Place and date of marriage of parents:
.....
(Indicate district of Budapest, if applicable:.....)

III. Applicant's marital status:

5. Marital status: single (never married)
married widowed divorced
Place of marriage: (country) (city/town)
(Indicate district of Budapest, if applicable:.....)
date: day month year
Spouse's (former spouse's) surname and forename by birth:
.....
married name:
.....
place and date of birth:
.....
citizenship at the time of marriage:
.....
current citizenship:
.....

IV. Applicant's home address and other contacts:

6. Home address: (country)
..... (city/town)
Street address: (street,
number etc.)
Phone number:
.....
E-mail address:
Please send certificate to the following address:
.....
If the applicant is residing abroad and wishes to have the certificate sent to a Hungarian address (power of attorney
for the agent for service of process is required)
the agent's name:
.....
the agent's address:
.....

**V. Information on the applicant and his/her relatives in the ascending line leaving the country,
and on their foreign citizenship:**

7. Duration of living in Hungary's present territory:
.....
Addresses in Hungary:
.....
Last address in Hungary:
.....
Country of emigration, country (countries) of residence:
Duration of parents (grandparents) living in Hungary's present territory:
.....
Parents' (grandparents') last address in Hungary:
.....

.....
Parents' (grandparents') country of emigration, country (countries) of residence:
.....
Have you ever had a Hungarian passport? yes no
(private passport, tourist passport, consular passport, passport issued to those residing abroad, other:
.....)

8. Foreign citizenship(s):
.....
date when acquired:
.....
on what grounds:
.....

Indicate any certificate (citizenship, naturalization, repatriation, expatriation or other) you or your family member received from the Hungarian authorities: yes no
If yes, name of the relevant person:
Number of certificate:, date:

Other data and information necessary to certify citizenship:
.....
.....
.....

I do hereby declare that the above information is true and correct.

If born or married abroad, the relevant foreign certificate shall be enclosed together with appropriate authentication, and foreign documents shall be enclosed with the official Hungarian translation attached.

Data from Hungarian registers are verified ex officio.

Date:

.....
signature of applicant
(also if of limited capacity)

.....
signature of legal representative

Signature verification:
Signature of applicant and/or legal representative is verified as authentic.
The applicant and/or legal representative produced the following picture identification document: (No.) valid through for the purpose of identification.

.....
signature of officer receiving the application

Stamp

.....
name of office

Annex 6 to Government Decree 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm.⁹⁴

President of the Republic
Budapest

PETITION
for Hungarian Citizenship
(for persons born before 1 October 1957)

I, the undersigned, do hereby declare my intention to apply for Hungarian citizenship pursuant to Paragraph *c*) of Subsection (1) of Section 5/A of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship.

I was born before 1 October 1957 and my mother was a Hungarian citizen at the time I was born.

Particulars of the applicant:

1. Married name:
Surname by birth:
Forename(s) by birth:
Previous surname (by birth):
Previous forename(s):
.....
Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
(district)
Date of birth: day month year
Citizenship(s):
Date and title of acquiring current citizenship:

Particulars of the applicant's ascendants:

2. Father's name:
.....
Father's place of birth: date:
Father's citizenship at the time of applicant's birth:
Was father ever a Hungarian citizen:
.....
If yes, from when to when:
Name of father's father:

⁹⁴ Established: by paragraph (6) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

.....
place of birth: date:
Birth name of father's mother:
place of birth: date:
Place and date of marriage of father's parents:

3. Mother's surname and forename by birth:

.....
Mother's place of birth: date:
Mother's citizenship at the time of applicant's birth:
Any foreign citizenship of mother, if yes, indicate the date when and the title under which it was obtained:
.....
Name of mother's father:
.....
place of birth: date:
Birth name of mother's mother:
place of birth: date:
Place and date of marriage of mother's parents:

4. Place and date of marriage of parents: (country) (city/town) (district)
date:

Miscellaneous information:

5. Applicant's address: (country)
□□□□ (city/town)
..... (street) (no.) (floor) (apt.)
(If residing in Hungary, phone number:)
(If residing abroad, indicate mailing address for certificate:)
.....)
Phone number:
E-mail address:

6. Marital status: single (never married)
married widowed divorced

(Please answer the following questions if your marriage has been dissolved.)

Place of marriage: date:
Spouse's birth name:
married name:
.....
place of birth: date:
.....
citizenship:
.....

If divorced, name of divorce court:
Number of divorce certificate:

Effective date of certificate:

If widowed, place and date of death of spouse:

If present marriage is not the first:

Place and date of previous marriage:

Your married name after the previous marriage:

Surname and forename after dissolution of this marriage:

.....

Previous spouse's birth name:

place of birth: date:

.....

citizenship:

.....

Place and date and the mode of dissolution of previous marriage:

.....

7. If residing in Hungary:

Information concerning the applicant's certificate or document of residence in Hungary:

- type:

- number:

- date of issue:

.....

- validity period:

Name of issuing authority:

8. If residing abroad:

Date of departure from Hungary:

Last address in Hungary:

If you have never lived in Hungary, indicate the date of your mother's (parents', grandparents') departure from Hungary:

.....

Mother's (parents', grandparents') last address in Hungary:

.....

9. Indicate if any family member (parent, grandparent, sibling etc.) has been granted Hungarian citizenship:

yes no

Family member's name:

Place of birth: date:

Number of citizenship certificate:

Family member's name:

Place of birth: date:

Number of citizenship certificate:

I do hereby declare that the above information is true and correct.

Enclosures:

(Please underline, highlight or mark the ones attached.)

- birth certificate;
- proof of marital status: marriage certificate, death certificate of deceased spouse, divorce certificate;
- parents' marriage certificate;
- mother's birth certificate;
- other document:

If born or married abroad, the relevant foreign certificate shall be enclosed together with appropriate authentication, and foreign documents shall be enclosed with the official Hungarian translation attached.

Data from Hungarian registers are verified ex officio.

Date:

.....
signature of applicant

Applicant's signature is verified as authentic.

The applicant produced the following personal identification document:
..... (No.) valid through for the purpose of
identification.

stamp

.....
signature of officer receiving the declaration

*Annex 7 to Government Decree 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm.*⁹⁵

⁹⁵ Established: by subparagraph c) paragraph (3) Section 9 of Government Decree 224/2010 (VIII. 4.) Korm. In force: as of 20. 08. 2010. Shall apply to proceedings opened after 1 January 2011.

Basic constitutional studies examination regulations and requirements

Pursuant to Paragraph *e*) of Subsection (1) of Section 4 of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship (hereinafter referred to as “Citizenship Act”), persons of full age and capacity applying for naturalization - with the exceptions set out in Subsection (2) of Section 4/A of the same Act - are required to pass an examination of basic constitutional studies in the Hungarian language.

1.⁹⁶ According to Subsection (1) of Section 4/A of the Citizenship Act, the examination shall be taken before the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters (hereinafter referred to as “office”) before an examination committee appointed by the head of the office.

2. The examination covers the following subjects:

2.1 Hungary’s role in the Carpathian Basin, Europe and international organizations (UN, Council of Europe, NATO, European Union)

2.2 Hungary’s national symbols and holidays (coat of arms, flag, crown, national anthem, Szózat, national holidays)

2.3 Turning points in Hungarian history (conquest of Magyars, state foundation; extinction of the Árpád Dynasty, Turkish rule, Habsburg empire, revolution and freedom fight of 1848-49, Austro-Hungarian compromise, World War I and II, 1956 revolution, 1990 downfall of communism)

2.4 Hungarian dignitaries in arts, music and sciences

2.5 Best known personalities in Hungarian literature

2.6⁹⁷ Basic Branches of the Fundamental Law (Parliament, President of the Republic, the Government, the Constitutional Court and the judicial system)

2.7 Administrative system (central, regional, local bodies, system of self-governance)

2.8 Fundamental rights and obligations of citizens (freedoms, economic, social and cultural rights, protection of civil rights and obligations)

2.9 Hungarian citizenship (how to acquire it by birthright or otherwise, how it is terminated and means to verify it)

3. The Application for Examination (Annex 1) must be filled out and submitted before taking the examination. Upon receipt of the application, the applicant shall be informed of the examination requirements and the fee payable.

4.⁹⁸

5.⁹⁹ The examination fee specified in Subsection (6) of Section 13 of Government Decree 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm. on the Implementation of the Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship (hereinafter referred to as “ImpD”) shall be payable to the account of the office. The deposit slip or receipt in proof of payment of the examination fee shall also be attached to the Application for Examination.

6. The date of the examination shall be scheduled as best suitable for the office and the

⁹⁶ Established by paragraph (7) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. Amended by Paragraph *g*) of Section 2 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.).

⁹⁷ Amended: by paragraph (3) Section 1 of Government Decree 276/2011 (XII. 20.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 01. 2012.

⁹⁸ Repealed by Subsection (3) of Section 10 of Government Decree 379/2016 (XII. 2.), effective as of 1 January 2017.

⁹⁹ Amended: by paragraph (7) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

applicant. The applicant shall be informed in writing regarding the date and place of the examination at the time he submits the Application for Examination or at least fifteen days before the scheduled date of the examination.

7. The examination shall be carried out upon receipt of payment of the prescribed fee.

8. The examination committee shall consist of three members - who have the qualifications defined in Subsection (3) of Section 13 of the ImpD - appointed by the head of the office. The chairman of the committee shall be responsible for the supervision of the examination procedure to ensure that it is conducted in due compliance with legal requirements. The chairman of the committee shall exclude any applicant who causes any disturbance or who violates the rules of the examination. Exclusion from the examination shall be properly documented.

9. Apart from the examination committee, a recorder shall also participate in the procedure, whose job is to draft the examination report and perform other administrative duties.

10.¹⁰⁰ The applicant, members of the examination committee and the recorder are equally entitled to file an objection stating conflict of interest or bias. The head of the office shall investigate such objection and may as a consequence replace the committee.

11.¹⁰¹

12. The examination consists of a written and an oral exam. The chairman of the examination committee may forgo either the written or the oral exam in consideration of any handicap of the applicant if substantiated by a medical diagnosis. This medical diagnosis shall be attached as an integral part of the examination report.

13. The written and oral exams shall be completed on the same day. The applicant shall be allowed a 30-minute break before taking the oral examination.

14. The examination procedure shall be recorded in a report (Annex 2), which shall indicate if the applicant passed and received a certificate. The particulars of each examination procedure shall be entered in the examination ledger (Annex 3) and signed by the chairman of the examination committee.

15. The performance of the applicant shall be rated “passed” or “failed”. If the exam is passed, a certificate shall be issued to the applicant.

16. The “Certificate of Basic Constitutional Studies” is a confidential document. The head of the office shall be responsible for the enforcement of the regulations concerning the administrative protection of such confidential documents.

17. The examination ledger and the “Certificate of Basic Constitutional Studies” are authentic instruments. The examination ledger shall be archived by the competent archive pursuant to Subsection (1) of Section 12 of Act LXVI of 1995 on Public Documents, Public Archives and the Protection of Private Archive Materials. Other documents of the examination procedure (Application for Examination, other petitions, notification, written test and the examination report) shall be retained for fifteen years.

18. Any applicant who fails shall be readmitted to take the examination once again. The fee for the second round of examination is specified in Subsection (6) of Section 13 of the ImpD. If the applicant failed either the written or the oral exam only, fifty per cent of the examination fee shall be paid.

¹⁰⁰ Amended: by Section 3 of Government Decree 26/2011 (III. 10.) Korm. In force: as of 11. 03. 2011. Amended: by paragraph (7) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

¹⁰¹ Repealed: by paragraph (7) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. No longer in force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

19. In the case specified under Subsection (7) of Section 13 of the ImpD, the examination fee shall be refunded.

20. If a certificate of examination is lost or destroyed the applicant may request a replacement from the office to be issued on the basis of the examination ledger.

Annex 1¹⁰²

APPLICATION FOR EXAMINATION in basic constitutional studies

Pursuant to Paragraph *e*) of Subsection (1) of Section 4 of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship, I would like to enroll for the examination in basic constitutional studies.

Personal data:

Married name:
Surname by birth: Forename:
Place of birth: (city/town) (country, province, federal state)
Date of birth: day month year
Citizenship(s):
Home address: (city, town) (street) (no.) (floor)
..... (apt.)
Number of personal identification document/EEA residence permit:
Surname: Forename:
Father's place of birth: date:
Father's citizenship:
Was father ever a Hungarian citizen: From when to when:
.....
Mother's surname by birth: Forename:
Mother's place of birth: date:
Mother's citizenship:
Was mother ever a Hungarian citizen: From when to when:

I hereby acknowledge that I am required to pay 50 per cent of the prevailing minimum wage for the examination to the account of the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters.

Done at

.....
applicant

The examination is scheduled for day month year.

¹⁰² Established by Section 1, Annex 1 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.), effective as of 4 April 2017.

Head of the body in charge of naturalization and nationality
matters

Notification acknowledged.

.....
applicant

Annex 2¹⁰³

Case No.:

Basic constitutional studies
EXAMINATION REPORT

Made in (description of the competent body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters) on ... day month ... year on the examination of basic constitutional studies pursuant to Paragraph *e*) of Subsection (1) of Section 4 of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship.¹⁰⁴

Examinee

Married name:

Surname and forename by birth:

Place of birth: Date:

Mother's surname and forename by birth:

Home address:

Result of written test:

Result of oral test:

Combined result:

Examinee has been properly identified.

Number of personal identification document/EEA residence permit:

The examinee was issued a certificate of basic constitutional studies (No.).

Date: ...

.....
Member of examination committee

.....
Member of examination committee

.....
Chairman of examination committee

.....
Recorder

I have received a certificate of basic constitutional studies No.

¹⁰³ Amended by paragraph (6) Section 23 of Government Decree 234/2010 (VIII. 31.) Korm., Paragraph h) of Section 2 of Government Decree 60/2017 (III. 20.).

¹⁰⁴ Amended: by subparagraph g) Section 4 of Government Decree 174/2012 (VII. 26.) Korm. In force: as of 27. 07. 2012. Amended on the base: of paragraph (8) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

Date: ...

....
Examinee

Annex 3

Basic constitutional studies EXAMINATION LEDGER

Serial number	Case No.	Date	Examinee			Result	Comments
			Name	Place and date of birth, mother's name	Home address		

Annex 8 to Government Decree 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm.¹⁰⁵

Annex 9 to Government Decree 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm.¹⁰⁶

Mayor's Office ofConsulate

No.:

Ref. No: 106-...-....

REPORT *of citizenship oath or pledge of allegiance*

Made on this day of day month year in two counterparts in the Mayor's Office ofConsulate

¹⁰⁵ Repealed: by subparagraph d) paragraph (2) Section 10 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. No longer in force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

¹⁰⁶ Established: by paragraph (1) Section 11 of Government Decree 116/2007 (V. 24.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 07. 2007. Amended: by Section 3 of Government Decree 26/2011 (III. 10.) Korm. In force: as of 11. 03. 2011. Amended: by paragraphs (4) and (5) Section 1 and subparagraph b) Section 22 of Government Decree 276/2011 (XII. 20.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 01. 2012.

Present:

.... Mayor of .../head of consulate

.... Recorder

....

....

.... Naturalized, repatriated

(legal representative)

By order of the President of the Republic was naturalized/repatriated on day month year. Number of certificate: The Mayor of .../head of consulate's Office has notified the person(s) - legal representative - concerned on to take the citizenship oath/pledge of allegiance.

The Mayor of .../head of consulate has informed the naturalized/repatriated person(s) regarding the option to take the citizenship oath or pledge of allegiance. The oath and the pledge of allegiance are equivalent.

The naturalized/repatriated person(s) took the oath/pledge of allegiance in accordance with Section 7 of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship.

Witnessed by:

....
Mayor of .../head of consulate

....
Recorder

Person taking the oath/pledge:

....
....
Signature of naturalized/repatriated person
(legal representative)

....
....
Applicant of limited capacity

STAMP

..... (No.) valid through of personal identification document of the naturalized/repatriated person(s):¹⁰⁷

In accordance with Subsection (1) of Section 19 of Act LV of 1993, I have notified the following authorities regarding the acquisition of Hungarian citizenship:

....

....

Of the persons listed on the naturalization/repatriation document, .. did not take the citizenship oath/pledge of allegiance on account of .., as is duly recorded in the document (see attachment).

....

¹⁰⁷ Amended: by paragraph (7) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

Registrar

I hereby confirm receipt of the naturalization/repatriation document with the following appendices.

....
....

....
Signature
of naturalized/repatriated person

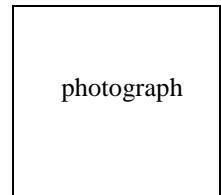
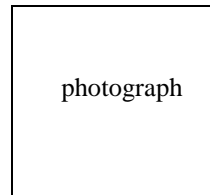
Date:

STAMP

The original of this Record shall be sent to the Office of Immigration and Nationality within 5 days, and its duplicate copy shall be filed and archived by the mayor's office/consulate. The Record may not be discarded!

Annex 10 to Government Decree 125/1993 (IX. 22.) Korm.¹⁰⁸

President of the Republic
Budapest



***APPLICATION FOR NATURALIZATION / REPATRIATION
pursuant to Subsections (3) and (3a) of Section 4, or Section 5 of Act LV of 1993
on Hungarian Citizenship***

I, the undersigned, and my spouse do hereby request my/our naturalization - repatriation together with my/our minor child (children) or child (children) of legal age having no legal competency of the name(s) in accordance with Subsections (3) and (3a) of Section 4, or Section 5 of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship, and request the issue of a certificate thereof.

THE APPLICANT

¹⁰⁸ Established: by paragraph (8) Section 8 of Government Decree 417/2012 (XII. 29.) Korm. In force: as of 1. 03. 2013.

I. Particulars of the applicant:

1. Married name:
Surname by birth:
Forename(s) by birth:
Previous surname (by birth):
Previous forename(s):
.....
Sex: male female

2. Place of birth: (country, province, federal state)
..... (city, town)

In the naturalization proceeding I would like to have my place of birth indicated by its official foreign place-name in addition to the official Hungarian name. (*Underline where appropriate.*)

Date of birth: day month year

3. Citizenship(s):
Date and title of acquiring current citizenship:

4. Previous citizenship:
Date and title of receipt of previous citizenship and the reason under which terminated:

5. Home address:
In Hungary: (city/town)
..... (street) (no.) (floor) (apt.)
Habitual residence: (city/town)
..... (street) (no.) (floor) (apt.)
Abroad: (country), (city/town)
Street address:
Phone number:
E-mail address:
Other contact information:

II. Applicant's marital status:

1. Marital status: single (never married)
married widowed divorced
Place of marriage: date:

2. If divorced, name of divorce court:
Number of divorce certificate:
.....
Effective date of certificate:

3. If widowed, place and date of death of spouse:

4. Indicate the particulars for other previous marriages apart from the current marriage: (place and date of marriage, spouse's name, place and date of birth, citizenship):
.....

III. Particulars of applicant's parents

1. Father's name:
.....
Father's place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:
Father's citizenship:
Was father ever a Hungarian citizen:
.....
If yes, from when to when:
.....

2. Mother's name:
.....
Mother's place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:
Mother's citizenship:
Was mother ever a Hungarian citizen:
.....
If yes, from when to when:
.....

3. Place of marriage of parents: (country) (city/town)
date:

IV. My application is based on the following:

- A) I was a Hungarian citizen between and
Means of acquiring former Hungarian citizenship:
Means of losing former Hungarian citizenship:
- B) My ascendant was a Hungarian citizen.
Ascendant's name:, place of birth:,
date of birth:, relationship:
Please explain the line of descent:
.....
- C) I have been living in lawful marriage for at least ten years with a person holding a Hungarian citizenship at the time the application for citizenship is submitted.
- D) I have been living in lawful marriage for at least five years with a person holding a Hungarian citizenship at the time the application for citizenship is submitted, and we have a child together.

(Underline and complete as appropriate.)

V. Particulars of the applicant's family members:

Indicate if any family member (parent, grandparent, child, grandchild, sibling, child of sibling, grandchild of sibling) has been granted Hungarian citizenship:

yes no or

Indicate if any family member (parent, grandparent, child, grandchild, sibling, child of sibling, grandchild of sibling) applied for Hungarian citizenship:

yes no

If yes, indicate the date and place when and where the application was submitted
.....,

1. Family member's name:

Place of birth: date:

Number of citizenship certificate:

2. Family member's name:

Place of birth: date:

Number of citizenship certificate:

If yes, I request the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters to obtain the documents that my family member has previously supplied for his/her application for naturalization or repatriation, and which may be used for my naturalization. yes no

AUTOBIOGRAPHY

(please give an account of your life up to one page, showing specifically your studies, employment history, place and date of military service, and the names of relatives in Hungary, including their home address)

applicant

SPOUSE'S PARTICULARS

Please complete all fields if your spouse is also an applicant.

If you spouse is not applying, Points 1, 2 and 3 of Part VI shall be filled out if your spouse is a Hungarian citizen or if your marriage has been dissolved (death of spouse, divorce).

VI. Particulars of applicant's spouse:

1. Married name:

Surname by birth:

Forename(s) by birth:

 Previous surname (by birth):
 Previous forename(s):

 Previous surname (by birth):
 Previous forename(s):

 Sex: male female

2. Place of birth: (country, province, federal state) (city/town)

In the naturalization proceeding I would like to have my place of birth indicated by its official foreign place-name in addition to the official Hungarian name. (*Underline where appropriate.*)

Date of birth: day month year

3. Citizenship(s):
 Date and title of acquiring current citizenship:

4. Previous citizenship:
 Date and title of receipt of previous citizenship and the reason under which terminated:

5. Home address:
 In Hungary: (city/town)
 (street) (no.) (floor) (apt.)
 Habitual residence: (city/town)
 (street) (no.) (floor) (apt.)
 Abroad: (country), (city/town)
 Street address:
 Phone number:

 E-mail address:
 Other contact information:

6. Particulars regarding previous marriage, if applicable
 Indicate the particulars for other previous marriages apart from the current marriage: (place and date of marriage, spouse's name, place and date of birth, citizenship):

VII. Particulars of spouse's parents:

1. Father's name:

 Father's place of birth: (country) (city/town)

date:
Father's citizenship:
Was father ever a Hungarian citizen:
.....
If yes, from when to when:
.....

2. Mother's name:
.....
Mother's place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:
Mother's citizenship:
Was mother ever a Hungarian citizen:
.....
If yes, from when to when:
.....

3. Place of marriage of parents: (country) (city/town)
date:

VIII. My application is based on the following:

- A) I was a Hungarian citizen between and
Means of acquiring former Hungarian citizenship:
Means of losing former Hungarian citizenship:
- B) My ascendant was a Hungarian citizen.
Ascendant's name:, place of birth:,
date of birth:, relationship:
Please explain the line of descent:
.....

(Underline and complete as appropriate.)

IX. Particulars of the family members of the applicant's spouse:

Indicate if any family member (parent, grandparent, child, grandchild, sibling, child of sibling, grandchild of sibling) has been granted Hungarian citizenship:

yes no or

Indicate if any family member (parent, grandparent, child, grandchild, sibling, child of sibling, grandchild of sibling) applied for Hungarian citizenship:

yes no

If yes, indicate the date and place when and where the application was submitted
.....,

1. Family member's name:
Place of birth: date:
Number of citizenship certificate:

2. Family member's name:
Place of birth: date:
Number of citizenship certificate:

If yes, I request the body in charge of naturalization and nationality matters to obtain the documents that my family member has previously supplied for his/her application for naturalization or repatriation, and which may be used for my naturalization. yes no

AUTOBIOGRAPHY

(please give an account of your life up to one page, showing specifically your studies, employment history, place and date of military service, and the names of relatives in Hungary, including their home address)

spouse

CHILD (CHILDREN) OF MINOR AGE OF APPLICANT(S):

In the naturalization proceeding I would like to have my place of birth indicated by its official foreign place-name in addition to the official Hungarian name. (*Underline where appropriate.*)

1. Surname by birth: Forename:
Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:
Mother's name:
.....
Father's name:
.....
Citizenship:

2. Surname by birth: Forename:
Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:
Mother's name:

.....
Father's name:

.....
Citizenship:

3. Surname by birth: Forename:
Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:
Mother's name:

.....
Father's name:

.....
Citizenship:

4. Surname by birth: Forename:
Place of birth: (country) (city/town)
date:
Mother's name:

.....
Father's name:

.....
Citizenship:

CHANGE OF NAME

I was duly informed of the possibility of name change.

I/we request a name change (*the following application is to be completed*)

I/we do not request a name change (*the following application is not required*)

Application for change of name

pursuant to Section 20/A of Act LV of 1993 on Hungarian Citizenship

Name change variations:

- 1. bearing the former family name at birth, or the family name of ancestors*
- 2. waiving one or more components of the family birth name, or any designation of gender from the birth name or married name*
- 3. bearing the Hungarian equivalent of forename*
- 4. bearing the former family name of spouse or former spouse at birth or the former family name at birth of spouse's or former spouse's ancestors*
- 5. having the name of deceased mother shown in Hungarian.*

Based on the above, please indicate the number of your choice and complete the name field accordingly.

Applicant

My married name:
My birth name: (surname and forename,
father's name)
Name requested:
 Birth name:
 Married name:

Pursuant to the documents enclosed, please indicate the name of my deceased mother in
Hungarian, as per the following:

Surname by birth:
 forename:

Applicant's spouse

My married name:
My birth name: (surname and forename,
father's name)
Name requested:
 Birth name:
 Married name:

Pursuant to the documents enclosed, please indicate the name of my deceased mother in
Hungarian, as per the following:

Surname by birth:
 forename:

Applicant's children

My birth name: (surname and forename,
father's name)
Name requested:

Applicant's children

My birth name: (surname and forename,
father's name)
Name requested:

Applicant's children

My birth name: (surname and forename,
father's name)
Name requested:

Applicant's children

My birth name: (surname and forename,
father's name)

Name requested:

Applicant's children

My birth name: (surname and forename, father's name)

Name requested:

Enclosed please find the following to substantiate my application for change of name:
(Please indicate the ones attached.)

- my own contemporary birth certificate or that of my father, mother, grandfather (other ascendant)
 - applicant
 - spouse

- the following document issued by a contemporary Hungarian authority regarding my or my ascendant's surname: personal identification document, passport, address registration form, military card, certificate of registration, contemporary school degree, other:
.....
 - applicant
 - spouse

- regarding the linguistic features of the component or designation that I wish to omit
 - translation or certificate by the Országos Fordító és Fordításhitelesítő Iroda (*Hungarian National Office for Translations and Attestations Company*);
 - evaluation by the Magyar Tudományos Akadémia Nyelvtudományi Intézet (*Research Institute for Linguistics of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences*);
 - other expert assessment:
 - applicant
 - spouse

- death certificate of my deceased mother and an official document showing her family name at birth in Hungarian
 - applicant
 - spouse

ENCLOSURES

(Please indicate the ones attached.)

- 2 facial photographs of applicant(s) residing in Hungary,
- 1 facial photograph of the applicant(s) over fourteen years residing abroad,
- birth certificate(s);
- marriage certificate(s), divorce certificate, death certificate of spouse;
- declaration of consent of the other parent for the child's (children's) naturalization, repatriation, change of name;
- proof of former Hungarian citizenship of the applicant or of his/her ancestors;

Other documents:

If born or married abroad, the relevant foreign certificate shall be enclosed together with appropriate authentication, and foreign documents shall be enclosed with the official Hungarian translation attached.

Data from Hungarian registers are verified ex officio.

STATEMENTS

1. I do hereby declare that I have no prior criminal record and that I have not been sentenced by the court of law for the willful commission of a crime during the past five years.

applicant yes no

spouse yes no

2. I do hereby declare that I understand and speak the Hungarian language.

applicant yes no

spouse yes no

3. In connection with the application submitted pursuant to Subsection (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, in the case provided for in Subparagraph *aa*) of Paragraph *a*) of Subsection (3) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, we do hereby declare that we have been married for not less than ten years.

4. In connection with the application submitted pursuant to Subsection (3a) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, in the case provided for in Subparagraph *ab*) of Paragraph *a*) of Subsection (3) of Section 4 of the Citizenship Act, we do hereby declare that we have been married for not less than five years.

5. I/we wish to take the citizenship oath or pledge of allegiance in (country), in (community/Hungarian consulate).

6. Under penalty of perjury I solemnly declare that my attempts to obtain the other parent's (name) consent for the naturalization of my minor child have failed due to the following reasons (explain in detail):

.....
.....

7. I do hereby declare that for the purposes of immigration proceedings I have enclosed

.....
document, which I ask to have obtained ex officio.

applicant yes no

spouse yes no

Date:

.....
signature of applicant

.....
signature of spouse

.....
signature of applicant of limited capacity

.....
signature of applicant of limited capacity

I have interviewed the applicant(s) of limited capacity.

The petition was signed before me.

The applicant(s) produced the following personal identification document:

(type) (No.) valid through

(type) (No.) valid through

(type) (No.) valid through

(type) (No.) valid through

for the purpose of identification.

I do hereby certify that the applicant of legal age with legal capacity

can understand and speak the Hungarian language

cannot understand and speak the Hungarian language

I do hereby certify that the spouse of the applicant of legal age with legal capacity

can understand and speak the Hungarian language

cannot understand and speak the Hungarian language

stamp

.....
signature of officer receiving the application

Applicant(s) were informed of the lack of the legal requirements indicated below and of the following discrepancies:

.....
signature of officer receiving the application

Notification acknowledged.

Remarks:
.....

.....
signature of applicant