

**AFFIDAVIT OF COMMON-LAW MARRIAGE**

We, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, the undersigned  
(Husband's Name) (Wife's Maiden Name)  
being duly sworn, do hereby state that on \_\_\_\_\_, being freely  
(Date of Common-Law Marriage)  
able to contract, entered into the relationship of marriage under common-law in  
\_\_\_\_\_, holding ourselves out to the general public as husband and wife. (State)

We currently reside at \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ intending to be legally bound  
(Street, City, Borough/Township) (State)  
thereby in full recognition of the rights, duties, and obligations associated therewith. At that time we had the  
present intent to be married, evidenced by words in the present tense uttered with a view and purpose of  
establishing the relationship of husband and wife. As evidence that such a marriage exists, we have attached  
**three or more** of the following documents to this Affidavit:

- Joint mortgage or lease;
- Designation of spouse beneficiary in a will;
- Durable property and health care "power of attorney" agreement;
- Joint title to an automobile, joint bank or credit account; or
- Such other proof as is sufficient to establish economic interdependency.

**We also acknowledge and understand that any person who knowingly and with the intent to defraud any insurer presents or conspires with another to present any statement in the support of an insurance claim that contains false information may be guilty of a criminal offense and subject to civil penalties to 18 Pa. C.S.A. § 4117.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Husband

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Wife

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Policymaker Signature and Title

Sworn to and subscribed before this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public