

# Statement in support of divorce/(judicial) separation – adultery

Section 1(2)(a) Matrimonial Causes Act 1973

To be completed by the Petitioner	
Name of court	Case No.
Name of Petitioner	
Name of Respondent	
Name of Co-Respondent (if applicable)	

If completing this form by hand, please use **black ink and BLOCK CAPITAL LETTERS** and tick the boxes that apply.

## About the petition

1. Have you read the petition for ☐ divorce ☐ (judicial) separation in this case?  
☐ Yes ☐ No
2. Do you wish to alter or add to any statement in the divorce/(judicial) separation petition?  
☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, please state the alterations or additions to be made.

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3. Subject to these alterations or additions (if any) is everything stated in your divorce/(judicial) separation petition true?  
☐ Yes ☐ No

If any statement is not within your own knowledge, please indicate this and state whether it is true to the best of your information and belief.

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4. State briefly your reasons for saying that the Respondent has committed the adultery alleged.

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5. On what date did it first become known to you that the Respondent had committed the adultery alleged?

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6. Do you find it intolerable to live with the Respondent?

☐ Yes ☐ No

7. Since the date given in the answer to Question 5, have you ever lived with the Respondent in the same household (there can be more than one household at the same address)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, state the address and the period giving dates.

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## About the children of the family

8. Have you read the statement of arrangements filed in this case?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not applicable

9. Do you wish to alter anything in the statement of arrangements or add to it?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not applicable

If Yes, state the alterations or additions.

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10. Subject to these alterations and additions (if any) is everything stated in the statement of arrangements true?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not applicable

If any statement is not within your own knowledge, please indicate this and state whether it is true and correct to the best of your information and belief.

If you are attaching an acknowledgement of service, a copy of the statement of arrangements or any other document on which you must rely you must tick the relevant box(es)

☐ I identify the signature

(please insert the name of the Respondent as it has been signed on their acknowledgement of service) that appears on the document, which I have attached to this statement and marked 'A' as the signature of my ☐ husband ☐ wife, who is the Respondent in these proceedings.

☐ I identify the signature

appearing at Part 4 of the Statement of arrangements dated 

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 which I have attached to this statement and marked 'B' as the signature of the Respondent.

☐ I identify the signature

(please insert the name of the Respondent)

that appears at the foot of the document, which I have attached to this statement and marked 'C' as the signature of my ☐ husband ☐ wife, who is the Respondent in these proceedings.

I ask the court to grant a decree dissolving my ☐ marriage, or ☐ for (judicial) separation from the Respondent on the fact(s) stated in my petition

☐ and (provided you have applied for costs in your petition for divorce / (judicial) separation) to order the Respondent to pay the costs of this application.

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**Statement of Truth – the Petitioner must complete and sign this section**

I believe that the facts stated in this statement in support of the petition for divorce/(judicial) separation are true

Print full name

Signed

Dated

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**Proceedings for contempt of court may be brought against a person who makes or causes to be made, a false statement in a document verified by a statement of truth.**