

CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF SYDNEY

REFERRAL TO CHANCERY

Arch/bishop

Vicar General

Judicial Vicar

Chancellor

GROOM		BRIDE	
Name:		Name:	
Address:		Address:	
Parish:		Parish:	
Religion (if Catholic, also Ritual Church):		Religion (if Catholic, also Ritual Church):	
Date of birth:		Date of birth:	
Proposed date of marriage:			
Proposed place of marriage:			
Celebrant:			
Referring Priest/Deacon:			

NATURE OF PROBLEM

The couple have known one another for _____ *years/months*

They gave _____ *months/weeks* notice of marriage

I have spoken with them on _____ *number of occasions*

After serious consideration I have reached the conclusion that this wedding should not take place in the Catholic Church at this time. My reasons and fears are as follows:

OTHER SOURCES OF INFORMATION

I have spoken/not spoken with the parents of both parties. Their attitude is:

(Please list any other persons who know this couple and who are prepared to be heard in this matter. Please include the names of any other priests who have any knowledge of the situation and, where appropriate, the part they have played in your decision not to agree to celebrate the wedding at this this time).