

FORM M1  
Originating Summons



\*In the High Court of Justice in Northern Ireland  
Family Division

\*In the County Court for the Division of

*\*Delete if inapplicable*

In the Matter of a Proposed Petition by \_\_\_\_\_ for the  
annulment of \* his (or her) \* [Marriage] [Civil Partnership] with

LET \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ in the County  
of \_\_\_\_\_ attend the Judge in Chambers at \_\_\_\_\_ on the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock in the \_\_\_\_\_ noon  
on the hearing of an application of \_\_\_\_\_ for an  
order that the said \_\_\_\_\_ may be at liberty to file a petition  
for the annulment of \* his (or her) \* [marriage] [civil partnership] with the  
said \_\_\_\_\_ \* [solemnized] [formed] on the \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_ 19/20\_\_\_\_, notwithstanding that 3 years have passed  
since the date of the said \* [marriage] [civil partnership].

A copy of the affidavit to be used in support of the application is delivered  
herewith.

If you wish to be heard on the application, you must attend at the time and  
place above mentioned and if you do not attend, such order will be made and  
proceedings taken as the Judge may think just and expedient.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_.

THIS SUMMONS was taken out by  
solicitor for the above-named.

**Note:**

1. You must complete the accompanying acknowledgement of service and send it so as to reach the court within fourteen days after you receive this summons.

2. In default of your giving notice of intention to defend the court will proceed to hear and determine the application and make such order thereon as it may think fit, notwithstanding your absence.

3. If you intend to instruct a solicitor to act for you, you should at once give him all the documents served on you, so that he may take the necessary steps on your behalf.