



## APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF AN ADULT UNDER THE *INDIAN ACT*

### GUIDELINES FOR COMPLETION OF APPLICATION

The information you provide in this document is collected under the authority of the *Indian Act* for the purpose of registration under that *Act* and will be stored in personal information bank number INAP-PU-110. Personal information that you provide is protected under the provisions of the *Privacy Act*.

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Adults wishing to register under the *Indian Act* should complete the following form to the extent possible using these guidelines.

If you fall into one of the following categories, you are entitled to be registered under the *Act*.

1. Persons entitled to be registered prior to April 17, 1985.
2. Women who lost status through marriage to a man who was not a status Indian (s.12(1)(b)).
3. Children of women referred to in 1 who were enfranchised upon their mother's marriage (s.109(2)).
4. Children whose mother and whose father's mother did not have status under the *Act* before their marriage, who lost status at age 21 (s.12(1)(a)(iv) - referred to commonly as the double-mother rule).
5. Illegitimate children of women with status under the *Act* whose registration was successfully protested on the ground that their father was a man who did not have status under the *Act*.
6. Persons enfranchised upon application by the head of the household (s.109(1) or its predecessor section).
7. Children of persons listed in 1 to 6 above.
8. Illegitimate daughters of status Indian men and women without status, born before April 17, 1985.

#### **PART A**

Applications are to be completed by persons 18 or over. Parents or guardians applying on behalf of minor child or mentally incompetent persons are to use the form APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF A CHILD UNDER THE *INDIAN ACT* 83-044AE.

#### **PART B**

If you are from categories 2 to 6, you should include the former band number if known and the name of the former band.

If you were never registered, your LONG FORM BIRTH REGISTRATION on which your parents's names are indicated is required.

#### **PART C**

If you do not know your band number or the numbers of your parents, leave it blank. It is important however to name the band with which each person is affiliated.

#### **PART D**

You should refer to the categories listed above for the wording. Details such as dates of marriage, enfranchisement order or protest should be included, if known. Indicate Family Name by which you are to be registered.