

# - Authorization for Minor to Travel -

For a minor under the age of 21 to travel out of the United States without both parents or legal guardians, a notarized affidavit must be obtained and presented to immigration officials upon departure and return to the United States. The same is true for immigration in the Dominican Republic. Failure to present this affidavit may result in officials refusing to allow the minor to enter the country.

Please complete and sign the appropriate portion A or B in front of a Notary Public, and carry this Notarized affidavit with you. It is recommended that you also carry divorce, custody, death certificates or any other supporting documents.

## Affidavit - Authorization for Minor to Travel

Complete either **A** or **B** - whichever is applicable

**A.** I, (First, Middle, Last Name) \_\_\_\_\_ hereby accept the conditions for my minor child (First, Middle, Last Name) \_\_\_\_\_ to travel out of the United States from (date) \_\_\_\_\_ to (date) \_\_\_\_\_ traveling to the country of \_\_\_\_\_, on the cruise ship or tour package \_\_\_\_\_, under the custody of (First, Middle, Last Name) \_\_\_\_\_ who will be responsible for my child during the trip. Furthermore, should my child require routine or emergency medical treatment during the trip, I specifically authorize the above named person to make all necessary parental decisions concerning any and all medical treatment that my child may require.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

**B.** I, (First, Middle, Last Name) \_\_\_\_\_ hereby swear that I have sole custody of a minor child (First, Middle, Last Name) \_\_\_\_\_ and am authorized to take this minor child out of the United States from (date) \_\_\_\_\_ to (date) \_\_\_\_\_ traveling to the country of \_\_\_\_\_, and to make all decisions regarding medical treatment..

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

County of: \_\_\_\_\_ State of: \_\_\_\_\_

on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, year \_\_\_\_\_.

Print name of above signatory: \_\_\_\_\_ appeared before me and, having duly sworn by me, stated that the contents of the foregoing application are true and complete, and signed the application in my presence.

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

**NOTARY SEAL**

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_