

SCHEDULE 1

Regulation 11

Certificate of eligibility and approval

To the Central Authority of the State of origin

Re ...[name of applicant]

In accordance with Article 5 of the Convention, I hereby certify on behalf of the Central Authority for [England] [Wales] that ... [name of applicant] has been counselled, is eligible to adopt and has been assessed and approved as suitable to adopt a child from ... [State of origin] by ... [a local authority in England or Wales or an accredited body for the purpose of the Convention].

The attached report has been prepared in accordance with Article 15 of the Convention for presentation to the competent authority in ... [State of origin].

This certificate of eligibility and approval and the report under Article 15 of the Convention are provided on the condition that a Convention adoption or Convention adoption order will not be made until the agreement under Article 17(c) of the Convention has been made.

I confirm on behalf of the Central Authority that if, following the agreement under Article 17(c) of the Convention that—

- [(i) in the case, where the requirements specified in section 1(5A) of the British Nationality Act 1981 are met that the child ... [name] will be authorised to enter and reside permanently in the United Kingdom]

OR

- [(ii) in any other case, if entry clearance and leave to enter and remain, as may be necessary, is granted and not revoked or curtailed and a Convention adoption order or Convention adoption is made, the child ... [name] will be authorised to enter and reside permanently in the United Kingdom.]

Signed

On behalf of [the Secretary of State
Central Authority for England]
[the National Assembly for Wales
Central Authority for Wales]

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SCHEDULE 2

Regulations 22 and 33

Certificate that the Convention adoption order has been made in accordance with the Convention

1. The Central Authority as the competent authority for [England] [Wales] being the country in which the Convention adoption order was made hereby certifies, in accordance with Article 23(1) of the Convention, that the child:

- (a) name: [name on birth certificate, also known as/now known as]
sex:
date and place of birth:
habitual residence at the time of adoption:
State of origin:
- (b) was adopted on:
by order made by: court in [England] [Wales].
- (c) by the following person(s):
 - (i) — family name and first name(s):
— sex:
— date and place of birth:
— habitual residence at the time of the adoption:
.....
 - (ii) — family name and first name(s):
— sex:
— date and place of birth:
— habitual residence at the time of the adoption:
.....

2. The competent authority for [England] [Wales] in pursuance of Article 23(1) of the Convention hereby certifies that the adoption was made in accordance with the Convention and that the agreement under Article 17(c) was given by:

- (a) — Name and address of the Central Authority in the State of origin:
.....
Date of the agreement:
- (b) — Name and address of the Central Authority in the receiving State:
.....
Date of the agreement: ².....

Signed Dated

SCHEDULE 3

Regulation 34(1)

Application, with modifications, of the provisions of the 1976 Act

Column 1 Provisions of the 1976 Act	Column 2 Modifications
Section 12 (adoption orders)	As if at the beginning of subsections (5) and (7) there were inserted the words “Subject to paragraph (8),”.
	As if there were inserted at the end “(8) A Convention adoption order may not be made in relation to a person who has attained the age of 19 years. ”.
Section 16 (parental agreement)	As if for subsection (1) there were substituted “A Convention adoption order shall not be made unless an agreement under Article 17(c) of the Convention has been made in respect of the child” and subsections (2) to (5) were omitted.
Section 22 (notification to local authority of adoption application)	As if the words in subsection (1) “not placed with the applicant by an adoption agency” there were substituted “entrusted to the applicants by a competent authority in accordance with Article 17 of the Convention”.
Section 27 (restrictions on removal where adoption agreed)	As if for subsection (1) there were substituted “Where an application for a Convention adoption order is pending the parent or guardian is not entitled to remove the child from the home of the applicant except with the leave of the court.”, subsections (2) and (2A) were omitted, and in subsection (3) “ or (2)” were omitted.
Sections 30 and 31 (application of section 30 where child not placed for adoption)	As if sections 30 and 31 were omitted.

SCHEDULE 4

Regulation 35

Application, with modifications, of the provisions of the Adoption Agencies Regulations

Column 1 Provision of the Adoption Agencies Regulations	Column 2 Modifications
Regulation 7	In relation to a case where the UK is the receiving State as if regulation 7 were omitted.
Regulations 8 to 12	As if regulations 8 to 12 were omitted.
Regulation 14	As if in paragraph (2) the words—

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Column 1 Provision of the Adoption Agencies Regulations	Column 2 Modifications
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li data-bbox="801 459 1342 607">(i) “regulations 7(2)(a), 8(2)(a) or 9(3)” were substituted by the words “ regulation 7(2) (a) or under the Intercountry Adoption (Hague Convention) Regulations 2003” and;<li data-bbox="801 616 1342 678">(ii) “these regulations” were substituted by the words “those regulations ”.