Establishing Freedom to Marry for Kenmare Parish

Every wedding booking in the parish is only provisional until this form is completed and returned to Kenmare Parish Office -Separate forms to be filled out for the Bride and the Groom

Name of the Person getting married: ______

Address: ______

Parish: _____

New regulations from the Irish Episcopal Conference introduced on Nov 28th 2016 state that freedom to marry has to be established in the new Pre-Nuptial Enquiry Forms before the wedding booking can be confirmed.

This is to be filled out by the Priest of the Parish where you are living:

- I have met with the above named person
- I have established that the person is 18 yrs or older
- I have established that this person is free to marry in the Catholic Church (and if they had been married by Church or State in the past I have approached my Bishop/Diocesan Office to establish their freedom to marry)
- I have filled out Section A of the Pre-Nuptial Enquiry Form on 'Establishing the Freedom to Marry', having gathered the necessary documentation, and am satisfied that this person is free to marry.
- I hope to meet this person again approximately 2/3 months before the wedding to complete the remainder of the Pre-Nuptial Enquiry Form and will then post it onto Kenmare Parish.

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