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SECTION 1 APPLICANT IDENTIFICATION

Form with fields: SURNAME, GIVEN NAME(S), GENDER (M/F), DATE OF BIRTH (YYYY/MM/DD), PHONE NUMBER, PREVIOUS SURNAME(S), FIRST NAME OR ALIAS

SECTION 2 INFORMED CONSENT

As part of the screening and assessment process to ensure safety and well-being of children, I authorize a prior contact check to be conducted on me by a delegate of a Director under the Child, Family and Community Service Act or the Adoption Act. A prior contact check is a review of all records about me collected under the Family and Child Service Act, the Child, Family and Community Service Act and/or the Adoption Act. It includes all current and/or past (closed) assessment only files, intake files, child protection files, family service files, child in care files, resource files and adoption files that are either in hard copy and/or electronic format.

If information is found through the prior contact check and it is relevant to assessing my ability to care for a child or children, I will be contacted by a delegated worker to discuss the information.

The information will not be disclosed to any person, organization, or agency out of the Ministry of Children and Family Development or Delegated Aboriginal Agency without my knowledge and consent. The form Consent to Disclosure of Information (CF0609) should be used to obtain consent for this purpose.

SECTION 3 SIGNATURE

This consent and acknowledgement is valid for a period of one year from the date of signature.

Form with fields: SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, DATE (YYYY/MM/DD)

SECTION 4 REQUESTING OFFICE

Form with fields: NAME OF DELEGATED SOCIAL WORKER OR ADMINISTRATOR, TITLE, ORGANIZATION, PHONE NUMBER, FAX NUMBER