

## **JAVED Legal and Immigration Services**

APPLICANT (wife) IS TO ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS

1. Was your marriage arranged?

Yes, our marriage was arranged by our families with our consent. On 9 December 2022, we all were excited about the wedding as our family bond was going to grow stronger.

1. Was your husband related to you in any way?

Yes, we knew each other since 2011 and we are related to each other as my mother in law and my mother's father, and my grandfather are cousins,

1. When did you first meet your husband?

I met my husband for the first time in 2011 when he came to Pakistan. We were kids back then and I know him since then as a family relative

1. Who introduced you?

My mother and grandmother (dad's side) and Awn's mom introduced us as a potential couple in 2021 December 19th and we decided then to get married as my family liked my husband.

1. Where did the marriage take place?

IRC – Islamic Research Center

At Zarih e Mubarak

Federal B Area, Block 6 Gulberg Town, Karachi, Karachi City, Sindh

We chose this place, as nikkah is a very solemn and religious ceremony. We wanted it at a very sacred place, so then we decided to have it on zarih e Mubarak for more blessings

1. How many people attended the marriage ceremony?

us blessings and good wishes for our future, and we were overwhelmed by their presence

1. Were there formal ceremonies i.e. wedding/reception party?

Our wedding began with a small engagement ceremony a week before the wedding where all our families gave gifts to each other following our rituals than a few days after we did dholki and mehndi and lastly was our wedding

1. Who performed the Wedding ceremony?

The wedding ceremony was performed by two Moulana, one from my side and the other from my husband's side, and their names were,

Moulana Razi Jaffer Naqvi and Moulana Zafar Abbas Naqvi

1. How long have you lived together? Dates:

2. We lived together from Oct 14th to 25th 2022, we spent a great time together as Awn departed from Pakistan on the 25th due to his internship program, and we plan on living together from onwards.

1. Do you have any relatives living in Canada?

I have no relatives living in Canada.

1. Did you have any contact before you met each other?

Yes, before we met each other we were in contact with each other on various social media apps from the day we were introduced by our families on 19 December

1. What language(s) do you use when communicating with each other?

We usually communicate in English and we use urdu too sometimes

1. Do your close relatives know about your relationship/marriage? (Six People)

(Please give their names/their relationship to you or your husband/the date when they met you or your husband.)

Syed Hassan Raza Kazmi (Mother's Elder Brother)

Syed Ali Raza (Mother's Younger Brother)

Syed Muhammad Farhan Rizvi (Father's Younger Brother)

Muhammad Zeeshan Rizvi (Father's Younger Brother)

Syeda Mumiza Rizvi (Younger sister)

Syeda Sabeen Rizvi (Younger sister)

1. when was the wedding performed?

The wedding was performed on October 14th, 2022 at IRC- Islamic research center at zarih e Mubarak in the presence of all the family members by Moulana Razi Jaffer Naqvi and Moulana Zafar Abbas Naqvi

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1. How many people attended the ceremony?

There were around 300 people at the ceremony

1. Was there a reception?

The wedding and reception ceremony was on the same day mutually decided by both families to do one big event than to have a separate wedding and a reception. This was financially suitable for both families.

1. How many guests attended?

The reception and wedding functions were joined into one big event. 300 people attended the event

1. When did it take place?

It took place on October 14th, 2022 at IRC – Islamic research center imambargah as the wedding and reception was combined as one big event

1. Did your parents attend the wedding?

Both my parents and I happily attended the wedding

1. Did your husband's parents attend the wedding? If not, Why Not?

Both my parents-in-law attended our wedding happily. And gave us gifts and blessings for our life ahead

1. What's the height and eye colour of your own and your husband and any of your children, if any?

Hiba: dark Brown eye Colour, 5'0"

Awn: Black eye colour, 5'8"

*You are to write two small paragraphs telling your post-marriage life. How is it going? Birth of Child if any; travel together; how long have you stayed together; how is your wife going along with your family etc?*

My post-marriage life is going great with my husband and my In law's, his family is very nice and everyone's loving and accepting. We live in a joint family system and he has a big family. Everyone's humble and kind and it's a blessing as there is always a sense of moral support. My husband is very caring and fun-loving himself .always there for me and very loving. We lived together for a week and a few really beautiful days but, he had to leave Pakistan because of his internship program we spent as much time as we could together. So We went to dinners and fun places to enjoy and make memories. We took pictures and ate food together making beautiful memories that I'll forever cherish

We couldn't plan for a honeymoon because of his internship and we also had very little time and e had to finish the paperwork for immigration too.

So we did our work together and enjoyed ourselves side by side, we'll plan our honeymoon together sometime in future when I'm in Canada. I love my husband very much and I can't wait to make more amazing memories with