

Confidential information

Name of court	
Case no./Serial no.	
Date received by the court	

Notes

- This form is for use if you are a party in proceedings under the Adoption and Children Act 2002, and you want the court to keep certain details about you or the child confidential.
- Before filling in this form, please read carefully the guidance notes on completion.
- Please use black ink when filling in the form.

Part 1 Your name and the name of the child

First applicant/respondent

Title

Mr Mrs Miss

Ms Other _____

Second applicant/respondent

Title

Mr Mrs Miss

Ms Other _____

My name is

First name(s) in full

Last name

My name is

First name(s) in full

Last name

Child's name

First name(s) in full

Last name

Part 2 Information to be kept confidential

Your address and telephone number

If you want your private address and telephone number to be kept confidential, please complete the details below:

My address is (including postcode)

My telephone number is

The child's address

If you want the address of the child named in the application to be kept confidential, please complete the details below:

The child's address is

Person the child lives with

If you want the name of the person with whom the child lives to be kept confidential, please complete the details below:

Title

Mr Mrs Miss

Ms Other _____

First name(s) in full

Last name

Change of surname

If you are applying to the court for permission to change the child's surname and you want the proposed new name to be kept confidential, please complete the details below:

Notes on completing the form

Form A65 is for use if you are a party in proceedings under the Adoption and Children Act 2002 and you want the court to keep any of the following details confidential:

- your private address and telephone number;
- the address of the child;
- the name of the person with whom the child lives (Note: this does not apply to you if you are making an application and the child lives with you. In those circumstances your name will remain confidential only if you proposing to adopt the child and you are entitled to be assigned a serial number and a number has been assigned to you);
- if you are making an application under section 28(2) for permission to change the child's surname, the new surname proposed for the child.

If you are making the application to the court, do not enter the information you wish to be kept confidential on the application form. Instead, give the information on Form A65 and attach it to your application. If you are a respondent in the court proceedings, when you receive notice of the hearing you should complete the form and send it to the court, together with your acknowledgment of the notice. Information entered on Form A65 will not be revealed to any person, unless it is by order of the Court.

Part 1 (the full name(s) of the applicant(s)/respondent(s) and the name of the child) **must** be completed in all cases.