

# Permanent exemption from paying child support - victim of sex offence

## When to use this form

Use this form if:

- you are the liable parent of a child
- the child was conceived as the result of a sex offence, and
- you were the victim of the sex offence.

Please read the notes at the end before completing this form.

**1** Your IRD number (8 digit numbers start in the second box. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 )

**2** Your name  Mr  Mrs  Miss  Ms (Tick one)

First name(s)

Surname

**3** Address

Street address Suburb

Town or city Postcode

**4** Your date of birth

Day Month Year

**5** Your contact details

Day Mobile

Email

**6** Name of the child the exemption will apply to

**7** Has someone been convicted of the offence, or has the Youth Court found that someone has committed the offence?  Yes  No

If yes, please provide the offender's full name

**8** If no-one has been convicted of an offence, are you able to provide any supporting information?  Yes (please attach)  No

Refer to the notes on the back of this form.

## Declaration

The information I have given is true and correct.

Signature

/ /  
Date

## Notes to help you complete this form

We can grant you an exemption from paying child support for a child when:

- it is likely the child was born as a result of a sex offence, and
- another person has been convicted of the sex offence, or
- the Youth Court has found that someone has committed the sex offence, or
- if no one has been convicted of the offence it is likely that an offence was committed.

### What if no one has been convicted of the offence

Although a conviction is not required before an exemption can be granted, we do need to be satisfied that there was an offence.

If another person has not been convicted of the offence, please attach as much information as you can to support your application. For example, a police report or a letter from your doctor.

If you do not have any supporting documentation, or we need further information, we will contact you to discuss your exemption application.

### Next steps:

Once we have processed your exemption application, you will be advised of the outcome.

## Privacy

Meeting your child support obligations means giving us accurate information so we can assess your liabilities and entitlements under the Child Support Act 1991.

We may also exchange information about you with:

- some government agencies
- another country, if we have an information supply agreement with them
- Statistics New Zealand (for statistical purposes only).

If you ask for the personal information we hold about you, we will give it to you and correct any errors, unless we have a lawful reason not to. Call us on 0800 221 221 for more information. For full details of our privacy policy go to [ird.govt.nz/privacy](https://ird.govt.nz/privacy)