MARRIAGE

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MARRIAGE LICENCE RULES

(SECTION 51)

[Commencement 16th January, 1965]

Short title.

Period of residence.

Proof of residence.

1. These Rules may be cited as the Marriage Licence Rules.

2. No marriage licence shall be granted under section 19 of the Marriage Act unless one of the parties to the intended marriage shall have resided continuously in The Bahamas for a period of at least fifteen days immediately prior to the date of the application:

Provided nevertheless that the Registrar General shall have a discretion to exempt any applicant from the requirement of this rule.

3. The Registrar General shall be entitled to insist upon such proof of residence as he deems necessary.