



Republic of the Philippines  
Supreme Court  
Office of the Court Administrator  
Manila

OCA CIRCULAR NO. 105-2019

TO : ALL DESIGNATED AND STATUTORY FAMILY COURT JUDGES (ACTING PRESIDING/ASSISTING) OF THE REGIONAL TRIAL COURTS

SUBJECT : EN BANC RESOLUTION DATED 02 OCTOBER 2018 IN A.M. NO. 02-6-02-SC (RE: RULE ON ADOPTION) RELATIVE TO THE AMENDMENT OF SECTION 11 (E) OF THE RULE ON ADOPTION BY REMOVING THE CONJUNCTION "OR"

For your **information and guidance**, quoted below is the Resolution dated 02 October 2018 of the Honorable Court En Banc in A.M. No. 02-6-02-SC (*Re: Rule on Adoption*):

A.M. No. 02-6-02-SC (Re: Rule on Adoption).- Acting on Resolution No. 06-2018 of the Committee on Family Courts and Juvenile Concerns, the Court Resolved to **APPROVE** the proposed amendment of Section 11 (E) of the Rule on Adoption by removing the conjunction 'or', to read as follows:

Section 11. *Annexes to the Petition* - The following documents shall be attached to the petition:

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E. Home study report on the adopters. If the adopter is an alien residing abroad but qualified to adopt, the home study report by a foreign adoption agency duly accredited by the Inter-Country Adoption Board; and

X X X

05 July 2019

  
JOSE MIDAS P. MARQUEZ  
Court Administrator