



# Roman Catholic Diocese of Victoria

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## Suitability Declaration from (Arch)Bishop or Religious Superior for Visiting Priest / Deacon

Name of Priest/Deacon

Mailing Address

Date of Ordination  Diocese of Ordination

Diocese of Incardination (if different)

Name of Religious Order

Will be in the Diocese of Victoria (dates) from  to

Location (parish/school; city)

Event and purpose of visit

### CONTACT INFORMATION OF (ARCH)BISHOP OR RELIGIOUS SUPERIOR

Name

Email  Telephone

Mailing Address

Do you grant permission for this priest/deacon to minister in the Diocese of Victoria? Yes  No

Yes|No

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1. Is he a priest/deacon in good standing?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	2. Has he completed a Criminal Record Check?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3. For priests: has he ever shown behaviour inconsistent with celibacy?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	4. Has he ever exhibited behaviour that indicates he would not deal appropriately with minors or vulnerable adults?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	5. Are you aware if he has ever had a mental, moral, emotional or physical condition (including drug/alcohol/pornography addiction) that might have a serious or adverse effect on his ministry?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	6. Are you aware of anything of a criminal nature in his past for which he could be convicted in the future?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	7. To your knowledge has he ever been suspended or otherwise canonically disciplined?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	8. Do you have any reason to suspect his ability to handle either his own or a parish's financial affairs?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	9. Are you aware of any other serious difficulties he has had regarding the exercise of ministry?

*If an explanation of any of these answers is necessary, please attach a separate page with details.*

Signature of (Arch)Bishop or Religious Superior

Date