

LAWS OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

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REGARDING

CITIZENSHIP OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

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PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA,

Whereas:

it is necessary to establish Laws on Citizenship of the Republic of Indonesia;

Considering:

- a. Articles 5 and 144 of the Constitution of the Republic of Indonesia;
- b. Article 89 of the Interim Constitution of the Republic of Indonesia

With the approval of Parliament;

DECIDED:

Decreed: LAWS ON CITIZENSHIP OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA.

Article 1

State Citizens of the Republic of Indonesia are:

- a. persons who under the laws and/or treaties and/or regulations in effect as of the proclamation of August 17, 1945 are already state citizens of the Republic of Indonesia;

- b. person who at the time of birth has a legal familial relationship with his/her father, an Indonesian state citizen, with the understanding that the Republic of Indonesian citizenship is in effect as of the beginning of such legal familial relationship, and that this legal familial relationship exists prior to the person becomes 18 years of age or prior to his/her marriage before 18 years of age.
- c. child born within 300 days after the death of the child's father, if the father at the time of death is a state citizen of the Republic of Indonesia.
- d. person who at the time of his/her birth whose mother is a state citizen of the Republic of Indonesia, when the person at that time does not have a legal familial relationship with his/her father;
- e. person who at the time of his/her birth whose mother is a state citizen of the Republic of Indonesia, if the person's father is stateless, or if the father's citizenship is unknown.
- f. person born in the territory of the Republic of Indonesia as long as both parents are unknown;
- g. a child found within the territory of the Republic of Indonesia as long as both parents are unknown;
- h. person born within the territory of the Republic of Indonesia, if both parents are stateless or as long as both parents' citizenships are unknown;
- i. person who was born within the territory of the Republic of Indonesia who at birth does not acquire the father's or mother's citizenship, and as long as he/she does not acquire the father or mother's citizenship.
- j. Person who acquires citizenship of the Republic of Indonesia in accordance with the provisions of this Act.

Article 2

- (1) A foreign child not yet 5 years of age who is adopted by a Republic of Indonesia state citizen, acquires Republic of Indonesian citizenship, when the adoption is declared lawful by the District Court of the place of residence of the person who adopts the child.
- (2) The declaration of legitimacy by the said District Court must be requested by the person who adopts the child within one year after the adoption, or within one year after this law is in effect.

Article 3