I, the undersigned ________________________________,
Ordinary of the (Arch) Diocese of ____________________________________________,
hereby certify that Rev. __________________________________ is a priest in good standing in the
(Arch) Diocese of ____________________________________________________________,
__________________________________________________________________________________,
(Address of Diocese)                                                        (City/State/Zip)
who enjoys all the faculties for the exercise of his priestly ministry. After reviewing his personal file,
checking with some who has worked with him in previous assignments, and/or from my own personal
knowledge of the subject,

I am able to certify without qualification that Rev. ________________________________ has:

1. Never been suspended or otherwise canonically disciplined; (If so please explain on the back of this
   form or in a separate letter.)
2. Never had criminal charges brought against him; (If so please explain on the back of this form or in a
   separate letter.)
3. Not manifested behavioral problems in the past that would indicate he might deal with minors
   in an inappropriate manner;
4. Never been involved in an incident which called into question his fitness or suitability to fulfill
   the responsibilities and duties of his priestly ministry due to alcohol, substance abuse,
   violations of celibacy, physical or sexual abuse, financial impropriety or other causes;
5. No other particular mental or physical attribute, condition and/or past situation, which would
   adversely affect his performance.

I am able to state without qualification that Rev. ________________________________ is of
good character and reputation and qualified to perform his priestly duties in the Diocese of Fort
Wayne-South Bend

(SEAL)

Signature  ________________________________
Title  ________________________________
Date  ________________________________

Rev. ________________________________ will be coming to the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend for:

________________________________________________________________________________________
at
________________________________________________________________________________________

(Purpose)

(Parish or Institution)

(City)                                (Dates for this Application)

Diocesan Priests - One Time or Short Term Ministry