LETTER OF CONSENT FOR TRAVEL OF A MINOR CHILD

Because of increasing instances of child abduction in custody cases, and a growing number of children who are the victims of trafficking or pornography, an immigration officer, airline, or travel company may ask you to provide some form of letter of consent if your child is traveling internationally with only one parent or with another adult, such as a grandparent, aunt, uncle, etc. The sample letter below is a guide only. You may also wish to have the letter of consent notarized.
To Whom It May Concern:

I/We, ______________________________________________________
(Full Name(s) of Custodial and/or Non-Custodial Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s))

am/are the lawful custodial parent and/or non-custodial parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of:

Child’s full name:______________________________________________________
Date of Birth:________________________________________________________________
Place of Birth:______________________________________________________________
U.S. Passport Number:________________________________________________________
Date and Place of Issuance of U.S. Passport:_______________________________________

__________________________________________, has my/our consent to travel with:

Full name of accompanying person:_________________________________________________
U.S. or foreign passport number:___________________________________________________
Date and Place of issuance of this passport:___________________________________________

to visit_____________________________________ during the period of ________________________.
(Name of Foreign Country) (Dates of Travel: Departure and Return)

During that period, ___________________________________________ will be residing with
(Child’s Name)
_________________________________________ at the following address:
(Name of Person Who Child will be Residing With in Foreign Country)

Number/street address and apartment number:____________________________________________________
City, State/Province, Country:__________________________________________________________
Telephone and fax numbers (work, cell phone and residence)_______________________________________

Signature:__________________________ Date:__________________________
(Signature of Custodial Parent, and/or Non-Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian)
Full Name:________________________________________________

Signature:__________________________ Date:__________________________
(Signature of Custodial Parent, and/or Non-Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian)
Full Name:________________________________________________

Signed before me, _______________________________.
(Full Name of Witness)
this________________________ at _________________________________.
(Date) (Name of Location)

Signature:________________________________________________