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Attached is the material for completing your paperwork that will be sent to Korea in your dossier. The following page is a checklist of the materials needed in order to mail your dossier to Korea once you receive your US CIS I-600A pre-approval.

Please make sure to send a copy of your I-600A to Barker, as immigration does not provide a copy to the agency. An ideal time to work on compiling your dossier is following the Home Study completion, with the goal of having all dossier items complete and submitted to Barker by the time you receive immigration approval (approx. 2 months).

If you have any questions or concerns about this part of the process, or if you would like for Barker to review/give feedback on your "Dear Birthmother" letter and photos, please do not hesitate to contact us. After we receive your completed materials, you will receive an email confirmation when we send your Dossier to Korea.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Katie Willhauck".

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Checklist for Korea Paperwork:

Documents/Items You Provide to Barker

1. ____ Photocopy of US CIS I-600A pre-approval of adoptive couple: This will be mailed to you from CIS; fax a copy to Barker as soon as it is received. Processing time averages 8-10 weeks AFTER Barker submits your home study. (I-171H for DC and VA residents, I-797C for MD residents)
2. ____ Medical reports: Completed medical report on each applicant. Anyone over 15 years of age living in the home must submit a medical report: This form is separate from the form you needed for the home study. You may have already received it, and your doctor may have done it at the same time as the other 2 Barker medical forms.
3. ____ Children under 15 years of age living in the home: Must submit general statement on pediatrician's letterhead regarding status of child's health and indicating child's shots/immunizations are up to date.
4. ____ 10 to 12 photos and letter for Korean birthmother (guidelines attached)
5. ____ Child Request form: signed and dated (form attached – ***Please Note*** We have included a couple of copies so that you may have a “working copy” to use. Please only return one clean copy to Barker*)
6. ____ Pregnancy policy statement: signed and dated (form attached)
7. ____ Psychological Evaluation Report (one original from psychologist)

Documents Barker Already Has

8. Civil Marriage Certificate (copy)
9. Birth Certificates (couple and children, if applicable) (copies)
10. Divorce, Annulment Decree, or Death Certificate, if applicable (copy)
11. Certificate of US Citizenship or Alien Registration Card, if not born in US (copy)
12. Completed Home Study/Social Worker License
13. Home Study Update/Addendum/ Social Worker License, if necessary
14. Two reference letters (copies from homestudy)
15. Police clearances
16. Pre-Adoption Education Training Certificates (copies)