[Your Name] [Your Address] [City, State, Zip Code] [Email Address] [Phone Number] [Date] New Zealand Citizenship Office Department of Internal Affairs [Office Address] [City, Postcode] Dear Citizenship Officer, Subject: Application for New Zealand Citizenship I am writing to formally apply for New Zealand citizenship. My name is [Your Full Name], and I have been a resident of New Zealand since [Date of Arrival]. My residency status is based on [specify residency category, e.g., Skilled Migrant Visa, Family Visa, etc.], and I have gained valuable experiences and connections during my time here. In support of my application, I would like to provide the following details: 1. **Personal Background**: I was born on [Date of Birth] in [Country of Birth]. I currently live in [City, New Zealand] with my [family situation, e.g., spouse and children, or single]. 2. **Education and Work Experience**: I completed my education in [Your Educational Background] and have been employed at [Your Employer/Company] as a [Your Job Title] since [Start Date]. My qualifications and work experience have allowed me to contribute positively to New Zealand's economy. 3. **Community Engagement**: I am actively involved in the community through [mention any volunteer work, community service, or organizations you are part of]. This has helped me build strong relationships and contribute to the vibrant culture of New Zealand. 4. **Commitment to New Zealand Values**: I respect and appreciate New Zealand's values, including inclusiveness, diversity, and support for human rights. I am proud to call New Zealand my home and am dedicated to upholding these values. 5. **Supporting Documents**: I have enclosed the following documents to support my application: - Copy of my passport - Birth certificate - Evidence of residence (e.g., utility bills, tenancy agreements) - Employment references - Character references - [Any additional relevant documents] I confirm that I meet the eligibility criteria for New Zealand citizenship and am ready to take the Oath of Allegiance, pledging my commitment to uphold the rights and responsibilities that come with citizenship. Thank you for considering my application. I look forward to the opportunity to further discuss my suitability for New Zealand citizenship. Yours sincerely, [Your Signature (if sending a hard copy)]

[Your Printed Name]