

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
BOND COUNTY, ILLINOIS

In re the Matter of:

_____, a Minor

Date of birth: _____

CASE NO. _____

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION
FILL IN EACH AND EVERY PARAGRAPH.

PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE (MINOR)

_____, Petitioner, a reputable citizen of Illinois, residing at

_____ telephone: _____

on oath states:

1. Petitioner is related to the minor child as _____.

2. It is necessary to change the name of the minor child because

3. Petitioner has lived in Illinois for at least 6 consecutive months before this petition was filed. The state/country of minor's birth is: _____

4. The minor currently resides at _____

5. The person(s) having custody of the minor is/are _____
residing at _____.

6. To the best of my knowledge, (check one of the following):

No other Court cases have been filed concerning this minor.

The following Court cases are pending concerning this minor or have had

Orders entered concerning this minor: _____

7. The names and addresses of the nearest adult relatives of the minor are:

Mother: _____ who resides at _____

Father: _____ who resides at _____

Other: _____ who resides at _____

Other: _____ who resides at _____

*Other relatives including nearest adult kindred are to be named only if they have physical custody of the minor, or if the parents are deceased or their whereabouts are unknown.

8. Minor current full name is: _____

9. The name for the minor that the petitioner would like the Court to recognize is:
_____.

10. I further certify by my signature below under penalty of perjury that I know of no legal proceedings or orders concerning the possession, custody or guardianship of the minor in any Court in any State including Juvenile Court, Family Court, Probate Court or Order of Protection proceedings except as set forth hereinabove.

Further, I certify that I (have) (have not) been convicted of a felony.
(circle one)

WHEREFORE, it is requested that the relief sought herein be granted by the Court.

Date _____ /s/ _____
PETITIONER

Signature must be notarized

Signed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Name _____
Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Telephone _____
Notary Public/Deputy Clerk

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In Re the Matter of:

_____, A MINOR No. _____

PARENT’S ENTRY OF APPEARANCE AND CONSENT

I, _____, being the father/mother (circle one) of the above minor, enter my appearance in this case for the Change of Name for said minor and waive the necessity of notice on me. I approve the change of name as set forth in the Petition.

/s/ _____
Parent’s Signature

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Signature must be notarized

Signed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20_____

Notary Public/Deputy Clerk

NOTICE: THIS IS A LEGAL DOCUMENT. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE LEGAL EFFECT OF SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT, YOU SHOULD SEEK LEGAL ADVICE FROM A LAWYER. (A CONSENT IS NEEDED FOR EACH PARENT, UNLESS THAT PARENT IS FILING THE PETITION.)

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In Re the Matter of:

_____, A MINOR No. _____

MOTION FOR WAIVER OF NOTICE

I request that notice to the _____ of the Minor be
Mother/Father

Waived by the Court for good cause shown because: (Mark all that are applicable)

- Neither Petitioner nor parent knows the identity of the missing parent.
- Neither Petitioner nor parent knows any address where the missing parent can receive notice via a family member.
- Neither Petitioner nor parent knows the whereabouts of the missing parent.
- The missing parent has had no contact with the minor since _____.
- The missing parent has provided no support to the minor since _____.
- Other: _____

I certify under penalty of perjury that the information given herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and that I have a legal duty to attempt to locate the parent and provide notice if the parents whereabouts can be determined.

Date

/s/ _____
Mother or Father

ORDER

Motion is hereby GRANTED/DENIED. _____
Date Judge

STATE OF ILLINOIS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
BOND COUNTY

IN RE THE MATTER OF:)
)
_____, a minor) NO. _____
)
Date of Birth ___/___/___)

ORDER FOR CHANGE OF NAME

The Court, having considered the Petition for Change of Name filed herein by Plaintiff, heard the evidence, and being otherwise fully advised in the premises, finds that it should be granted in the best interest of the minor.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Plaintiff's name of _____, is hereby changed to: _____, by which he/she shall be hereafter known and called.

Notice Published/Waived

DATE: _____

ENTER: _____

JUDGE

LETTER TO NEWSPAPER

DATE: _____

_____ Newspaper

Dear Sir or Madam:

In Re the Matter of Petition for Name Change, Case number: _____

Enclosed you will find a Notice to File Petition For Change of Name in the above referenced case. Please run this Notice once a week for 3 weeks. After publication has been completed, please send the Certificate of Publication to me in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

I have enclosed payment for the cost of publication in my case. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

I thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

STATE OF ILLINOIS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
BOND COUNTY

IN RE THE MATTER OF:)
)
_____,)
)
a minor)
)

NO. _____

NOTICE OF FILING OF PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Notice is given you, the public, that on _____, 20____, I,
_____, have filed file a Petition For Change of Name in this Court, asking
the Court to change the present name of _____, a minor, to
the name of _____, a minor.

_____ */s/* _____
DATE Petitioner