

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
JUDICIAL BRANCH
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Court Name: _____

Case Name: In the adoption of _____

Case Number: _____
(if known)

PETITION FOR ADOPTION OF AN ADULT
(RSA 170-B)

A CERTIFIED COPY (LONG FORM) OF THE ADOPTEE'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE AND
ASSENTS MUST BE FILED WITH THIS PETITION.

1. Petitioner Name _____ Date of Birth _____
Petitioner Name _____ Date of Birth _____
Mailing Address _____
Residence _____ Telephone _____
How long has petitioner(s) been resident(s) of this city/town? _____
2. Attorney Name _____ Telephone _____
Mailing Address _____ Bar ID # _____
3. Marital status of petitioner(s): ☐ Married ☐ Civil Union ☐ Single ☐ Other _____
If married or civil union, date and place of ceremony _____
4. Petitioner(s) relationship to adoptee _____
5. Adoptee Birth Name _____ Telephone _____
Date of Birth _____ Place of Birth _____
Residence Address _____
6. Birth Mother Name _____ Telephone _____
Mailing address _____
7. Birth Father Name _____ Telephone _____
Mailing address _____

The petitioners declare that it is the desire of the petitioners to establish the relationship of parent and child with the adoptee. Therefore, the petitioners ask that this adoption be decreed and that the name of the adoptee be as follows: (Check all appropriate boxes. See Instructions for more information.)

- ☐ Change the name on the adoptee's birth certificate to _____
- ☐ The adoptee's legal name will be _____

Date

Petitioner Signature (Must be signed in presence of notarial officer.)

Date

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PETITION FOR ADOPTION

State of _____, County of _____

This instrument was acknowledged before me on _____ by _____
Date Petitioner Name

My Commission Expires _____

Affix Seal, if any

Signature of Notarial Officer / Title

ASSENTS

ADOPTEE'S ASSENT

I am the adoptee mentioned in this petition. I give my assent to the adoption and the change of my name as described in this form.

Date

Adoptee's Signature

Signed in the presence of

Presiding Judge

ASSENT OF PETITIONER'S SPOUSE WHO IS PARENT OF ADOPTEE

I am the spouse of the petitioner and parent of the adoptee, and will maintain all those parental rights along with the petitioner. I give my assent to the petitioner's adoption of the adoptee named in this petition and to the change of the adoptee's name as described in this petition.

Date

Parent Signature

ASSENT OF PETITIONER'S SPOUSE TO ADOPTION OF ADULT

I am the spouse of the petitioner, and assent to the petitioner's adoption of the adoptee named in this petition.

Date

Spouse Signature

ASSENT OF ADOPTEE'S SPOUSE

I am the spouse of the adoptee, and I assent to this adoption.

Date

Spouse Signature

DECREE

☐ Petition for adoption is granted.

☐ Petition for adoption is denied.

Date

Judge