

**IN THE JUVENILE COURT OF IOWA IN AND FOR _____ COUNTY
(JUVENILE DIVISION)**

IN THE INTEREST OF

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**JUVENILE NO. _____
PETITION FOR WAIVER OF
PARENTAL NOTIFICATION OF
PREGNANT MINOR'S ABORTION**

COMES NOW the undersigned pursuant to Iowa Code Section 135L.4 and for Petition for Waiver of Parental Notification of Pregnant Minor's Abortion states and says:

1. That the Petitioner's name and address is: _____

_____.

2. That the Petitioner's Social Security Number is _____.

3. That the Petitioner is a minor and whose date of birth is _____.

4. That the Petitioner is currently pregnant, having conceived on or about _____, 200__.

5. That the Petitioner seeks to have an abortion performed upon herself by a licensed physician, but she objects to the notification of her parent or parents concerning the performance of the abortion.

6. The Petitioner **either** is ____ **or** is not ____ [*check one*] accompanied by a responsible adult whose name is _____, whose address is _____.

_____ ,
whose social security number is _____ and whose date of birth is _____.

7. The Petitioner **either** has ____ **or** has not ____ [*check one*] viewed the video prepared pursuant to Iowa Code Section 135L.2 and created to provide information regarding the various options available to a pregnant minor with regard to the pregnancy, including a decision to continue the pregnancy to term and retain parental rights following the child's birth, a decision to continue the pregnancy to term and place the child for adoption following the child's birth, and a decision to terminate the pregnancy.

8. That the Petitioner understands that pursuant to Iowa Code Section 135L.4(3)(b) that she has the right to court-appointed legal counsel at no cost to her to assist her in pursuing this petition for waiver of notice and **either** seeks ____ **or** does not seek ____ [*check one*] the appointment of legal counsel.

9. That the Petitioner understands that proceedings concerning this petition are confidential and that the only persons who may attend any hearing on the petition are the minor, the minor's guardian ad litem, the minor's attorney, and any person whose presence is specifically requested by the pregnant minor. The Petitioner specifically requests that the following person(s) be notified of and admitted to all hearings on the petition:

Name: _____

Address: _____.

10. That the Petitioner states **either** [a] that the minor is mature and capable of providing informed consent for the performance of an abortion ____; **or** [b] that the minor is not mature, or does not claim to be mature, but that notification is not in the best interest of the pregnant minor ____ [*check one*]. [*If the latter is checked*] - The Petitioner states that notification of the minor's parent of the abortion is not in the minor's best interest because [*state reasons*]: _____

_____.

11. That the Petitioner states on oath that a petition for waiver of notification to her parent(s) of an abortion upon the Petitioner concerning the current pregnancy has not previously been presented to and refused by any court or justice.

12. That the Petitioner states that the name and address of her parent, guardian and custodian is as follows: _____.

13. That the name, business address, and business telephone number of the physician who will perform the abortion is _____
_____.

14. That the anticipated date of the abortion procedure is _____, 200__.

15. That the abortion is anticipated to take place at [*designate location - clinic or hospital & city*]: _____
_____.

The Petitioner **specifically designates** the above named physician as a person who shall receive a copy of the order concerning the grant or denial of this petition.

WHEREFORE, the Petitioner prays that, upon proper notice and opportunity for expedited hearing, the court waive the requirement that the Petitioner's parent or parents be notified of the performance of an abortion upon the Petitioner.

_____, Petitioner

TELEPHONE (____) ____ - _____

STATE OF IOWA)
) SS:
 _____ COUNTY)

I, _____, do on oath state that I have read the foregoing Petition and know the contents thereof, the statements are based upon my information and belief and are true and correct as I verily believe.

_____, Petitioner

Sworn to and subscribed to before me by _____ on this ____ day of _____, 200__.

Form 1, Chapter 135L

Notary Public in and for the State of Iowa OR
Clerk of District Court or Clerk's Designee

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