STATE OF INDIANA)	IN THE	CIRCUIT COURT
COUNTY OF) SS:	CASE NO	
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IN RE CHANGE OF)	
NAME OF MINOR:)	
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Petitioner.)	

VERIFIED PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME OF MINOR

Petitioner, ______, pro se, respectfully petitions this court to change the name of the above-noted child. In support of this Petition, Petitioner states as follows:

1. Petitioner is the father/mother/guardian of the child whose name is sought to be changed.

2. The written consent of the non-petitioning parent or guardian for the name change of the minor child is filed with this Petition (not required under I.C. 31-19-9).

3. That the child's current name is: _____.

4. That the child's date of birth is: _____.

5. That the child's mailing address is: _____

And, if different, the child's residential address is:

6. That the child's Indiana driver's license number/Indiana identification card number is ______; and I will bring the child's Indiana driver's license or identification card to the Change of Name Hearing for verification.

7. The following is a list of all of the previous names of the child:

8. That the child (does) (does not) hold a valid United States passport. Proof that the child is a United States citizen is _______. I will bring this document to the Change of Name Hearing for verification. 9. That the following judgments of criminal conviction of a felony under the laws of any state or the United States have been entered against the child, or I have stated immediately below that the child does not have any felony convictions:

10. That changing the child's name is not an effort to defraud any of the child's creditors.

11. That notice of the request for name change has been published in a local publication as required by law and will be brought to the Change of Name Hearing.

12. That the child is not confined to a Department of correction facility or a sex or violent offender who is required to register under I.C. 11-8-8.

13. That pursuant to Indiana Code 34-28-2-1, I petition this court to change the child's name. Pursuant to Indiana Code 34-28-2-2 (b), the reason the change of the child's name is requested is:

14. That I request that the child's name be changed to ______.

15. The non-petitioning parent or guardian of the Minor child has been served with a copy of this Petition as required by the Indiana Trial rules.

16. I request this Court to set a hearing to consider the Petition for Change of Name of Minor Child.

WHEREFORE, I respectfully request that this Court grant this Petition for Name Change of a Minor, and for all other just and proper relief. I affirm under the penalties of perjury that the foregoing representations are true.

Signature (Parent) (Guardian)

(Parent) (Guardian) Printed Name

Mailing Address

Town, State and Zip Code

Telephone Number, with Area Code