

IN DISTRICT COURT, \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION FOR A NAME CHANGE OF

\_\_\_\_\_, A MINOR CHILD

AFFIDAVIT OF PETITIONER

I, \_\_\_\_\_, the undersigned, being first sworn, on my oath state that the following is true to the best of my knowledge:

1. My full name is \_\_\_\_\_, and I am the Petitioner.

2. My relationship to the minor child is \_\_\_\_\_.

3. The full name of the other parent is \_\_\_\_\_ and their last reasonably ascertained post office address is: \_\_\_\_\_.

4. The other parent  is **(OR)**  is not (*choose one*) a non-custodial parent.

5. The minor child is a  citizen **(OR)**  permanent resident alien (*choose one*) of the United States.

6. The minor child, \_\_\_\_\_ (*child's current full legal name*), was born in the year \_\_\_\_\_ (*birth year*) in \_\_\_\_\_ (*city*), \_\_\_\_\_ (*state*).

7. The minor child currently resides with me at my home at \_\_\_\_\_ (*address*) \_\_\_\_\_ (*city*) \_\_\_\_\_ County, North Dakota, \_\_\_\_\_ (*zip code*).

8. The minor child has been a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County, North Dakota, for more than six months immediately preceding the date of the Petition for Name Change.



10. Notice: (*choose one*)

The Notice of Petition for Name Change was published on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ (*newspaper*), the official newspaper in \_\_\_\_\_ County, North Dakota, where the minor child resides. The affidavit of publication is filed with the court.

**AND** (*choose one*)

The minor child **does not have** a non-custodial parent.

The minor child **has** a non-custodial parent. A Notice of Petition for Name Change was published on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ (*newspaper*), the official newspaper in \_\_\_\_\_ County, \_\_\_\_\_ (*state*), where the minor child's non-custodial parent resides. The affidavit of publication is filed with the court.

A copy of the Notice of Petition for Name Change was mailed to the non-custodial parent's last reasonably ascertained post-office address on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_. The notice was deposited in the post office in \_\_\_\_\_ (*city*), North Dakota. The affidavit of service by mail is filed with the court.

**(OR)**

I am requesting the court waive publication of the Notice of Petition for Name Change because: (*choose any that apply*)

I am only requesting a change of a first or middle name.

I am a victim of domestic violence as defined in N.D.C.C. § 14-07.1-01.

(*Explain*)

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Additional sheets attached.

I understand that if the court does not waive publication of the Notice of Petition for Name Change, I must provide notice and proof of notice to the court as required by N.D.C.C. Ch. 32-28.

11. Objections to Petition for Name Change: (*choose one*)

No written objections to the Petition for Name Change were given to me within thirty (30) days of publication of the Notice of Petition for Name Change.

**(OR)**

Written objections to the Petition for Name Change were given to me by the following people: (*list objector's name and relationship to minor child*)

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**(OR)**

I am requesting that the court waive publication of the Notice of Petition for Name Change. Notice of the petition has not been published.

12. I am petitioning for the name change of my minor child in good faith. I am not requesting a name change for any fraudulent, illegal, or immoral purpose. The requested name change of my minor child will not cause injury to any individual or compromise public safety.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Signature of Petitioner)

\_\_\_\_\_ (type or print name of Petitioner),

mother **(OR)** father of \_\_\_\_\_  
(child's current full legal name), a minor child.

State of: \_\_\_\_\_

County of: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed and sworn to before me on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ by

\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public/Clerk of Court

If Notary, my commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_