

IN THE CHANCERY COURT FOR WILSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

IN RE: NAME CHANGE OF MINOR

Docket No: \_\_\_\_\_

Minor Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Minor Child's Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

By Next Friend (Both Parents)

\_\_\_\_\_, **Father**

\_\_\_\_\_, **Mother**

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PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

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Comes now the Petitioners, on behalf of the minor child, and request that the minor child's name be changed and make oath and/or affirmation that the following facts are correct and complete:

1. I am the natural father of the child whose name is to be changed. My name is \_\_\_\_\_, and I was born on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.  
(City) (County) (State)

2. I am the natural mother of the child whose name is to be changed. My name is \_\_\_\_\_, and I was born on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.  
(City) (County) (State)

3. We were married on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(City and State)

OR

We are not married.

4. Our child's full name is \_\_\_\_\_  
(Current Legal Name)  
Our child is a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County, Tennessee, residing at:

\_\_\_\_\_  
We are citizens of \_\_\_\_\_.

5. Our child is less than 18 years of age. Our child was born on \_\_\_\_\_  
in \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ County. The name given to  
(City)  
our child at birth was \_\_\_\_\_, as reflected  
on our child's birth certificate issued by the State of \_\_\_\_\_.
6. All other names and aliases by which our child has been identified since birth are (state in  
chronological order): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. Name that our minor child wishes to change to: \_\_\_\_\_
8. Has your child ever been convicted of a felony?  Yes  No  
If the answer is yes, complete the following:  
Our child has been convicted of the felony of \_\_\_\_\_.
9. In support of this Petition, we attach copies of our child's birth certificate, our photo  
identification (such as driver's license, passport or comparable photo identification),  
social security card and our marriage license.
10. Reason for the change or correction of our child's name: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

We swear or affirm that we have read the Petition and the facts are correct and complete.

**PETITIONERS (NEXT FRIENDS):**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Father)  
Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Mother)  
Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Notary Public/Deputy Clerk & Master**

My Comm. Expires: \_\_\_\_\_