DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
FOR WHATCOM COUNTY, Bellingham, Washington

In re the Matter of:	)	
	)	**Cause Number** _____
	)	
	)	**Petition for Change of Name**
Petitioner.	)	

1. I am applying for a court order which will change:

   ❑ My name from (Current Full Name)_____
   First Middle Last

   to (New Name Desired) _____
   First Middle Last

   ❑ The name of my child or ward from _____
   (Current Full Name) First Middle Last

   to (New Name Desired) _____
   First Middle Last

2. I reside in this judicial district.
3. This application is made for the following reasons:

4. This application is not made for any illegal or fraudulent purpose.
5. I am not a convicted felon under supervision of the Department of Corrections, nor am I a registered sex offender. (Any such persons must follow different statutory procedures to get a change of name.)
6. The change of name will not be detrimental to the interests of any other person(s).

   If the name change is for a child under age 18:
   - ❑ Both parents agree to the name change.
   - ❑ The non-petitioning parent disagrees.
   - ❑ The non-petitioning parent has had no contact with the child for approximately _____ years.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing statements in this petition are true and correct.

Signed at_____, on _____.
(City and State) (Date)

_____
Signature

_____
Address

_____
City, State, Zip

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Phone Number