

D.R.L. §114; P.H.L. §4138-e(2)(b)

Adoption Form 27-E
(Adoption–Order on Petition for
Access to Sealed Adoption
Records)
(9/2020)

At a term of the Family Court of the
State of New York, held in and for the
County of _____,
at _____, New York,
on _____.

PRESENT: Hon. _____
Judge

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In the Matter of the Adoption of
A Child Whose First Name is

(Docket)(File) No. _____

ORDER ON PETITION
FOR ACCESS TO SEALED
ADOPTION RECORDS

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The petition for access to sealed adoption records of the above-named child having been filed
in this Court, and notice having been given to necessary parties,

NOW, and upon all the papers and proceedings herein, it is hereby [check applicable
box(es)]:

ORDERED that the Petition is GRANTED and that [specify]: _____ shall be given access
to sealed adoption records on the following grounds:

To obtain medical information [specify]: _____

Other good cause [specify]: _____

[Applicable to a petition brought by a Native-American adopted person 18 and older]: to
obtain information on tribal affiliation [specify]: _____

[Applicable to a petitions brought by an adopted person 18 and older, his or her lawful
representative or, if the adopted person is deceased, a direct-line descendant]: to obtain an original
birth certificate or, if unavailable, information, including identifying information, regarding the
adopted person and his or her birth parents [specify]: _____

OR

ORDERED that the Petition is DENIED for the following reason(s) [specify]: _____

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that [specify; delete if inapplicable]:

ENTER

 Judge of the Family Court Surrogate

Dated: , .

[Applicable to Family Court Orders]:

PURSUANT TO SECTION 1113 OF THE FAMILY COURT ACT,
AN APPEAL FROM THIS ORDER MUST BE TAKEN WITHIN 30
DAYS OF RECEIPT OF THE ORDER BY APPELLANT IN COURT,
35 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF MAILING OF THE ORDER TO
APPELLANT BY THE CLERK OF COURT, OR 30 DAYS AFTER
SERVICE BY A PARTY OR THE ATTORNEY FOR THE CHILD
UPON THE APPELLANT, WHICHEVER IS EARLIEST.

Check applicable box:

- Order mailed on [specify date(s) and to whom mailed]:_____
- Order received in court on [specify date(s) and to whom given]:_____