

F.C.A. §§1027-a, 1081

Form GF-17b  
(Affirmation of Child in Support of  
Motion for an Order for Sibling  
Placement or Contact)  
(1/2024)

FAMILY COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF

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In the Matter of

Docket No.  
AFFIRMATION OF CHILD IN  
SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR  
ORDER FOR SIBLING  
PLACEMENT OR CONTACT

CIN #:  
A Child under Eighteen Years of  
Age alleged to be  Abused  Neglected by

Respondent(s)

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I, [name]: affirm the following to be true under the penalties of  
perjury:

1. I am  a child alleged to be in need of protection in the above-entitled action.  
 a sibling of the following child(ren), who is/are alleged to be in need of  
protection in the above-entitled action.

I am making this affirmation in support of the motion for an Order to place me with or provide  
me with contact with the following sibling(s):

2. a. I am living with [specify]:  
b. My sibling(s) is/are living with [specify]:

3. The agency  has provided me with contact with my sibling(s) as follows [specify]:  
 has not provided me with contact with my sibling(s).

4. [Check applicable box]:  
 It would be in my best interests to be placed with my sibling(s) because [specify]:  
 It would be in my best interests to have contact with my sibling(s) because  
[specify]:

5. a. Upon information and belief, I [check applicable box]:  am  am not a Native-American child who may be subject to the *Indian Child Welfare Act* (25 U.S.C. §§ 1901-1963).

b. Upon information and belief, my sibling(s) [check applicable box]:  is/are  is/are not Native-American child(ren) who may be subject to the *Indian Child Welfare Act* (25 U.S.C. §§ 1901-1963).

6. No previous application has been made to any court or judge for the relief herein requested (except [specify]):

WHEREFORE, I respectfully request that I be  placed with  permitted to have contact with my sibling(s) as follows [specify]:

I affirm this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, under the penalties of perjury under the laws of New York, which may include a fine or imprisonment, that the above statements are true, and I understand that this document may be filed in an action or proceeding in a court of law.

Dated \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Child-Affiant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print or Type Name

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Signature of Attorney, if any

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Attorney's Name (print or type)

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Attorney's Address and Telephone Number