F,C.A. §115(d); S.S.L. §39
25 U.S.C. §§1901-1963

General Form 31
(Affidavit relating to *Indian Child Welfare Act*)
10/2012

FAMILY COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF
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Docket No.
In the Matter of a Proceeding

Docket No.
AFFIDAVIT RELATING TO
Indian Child Welfare Act

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STATE OF NEW YORK)
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COUNTY OF)

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

1. I am the [check applicable box]: ❒ father ❒ mother ❒ Indian custodian of the child
❒ Chief of the [specify tribe or nation]:
❒ Other representative of the tribe or nation [specify title and tribe or nation]:
❒ Commissioner of Social Services of the County of [specify]:
❒ Commissioner of the New York City Administration for Children's Services
❒ Other [specify relation to child and/or title or position and agency]:

2. (Upon information and belief) the child involved in the above-named proceeding is [check all applicable box(es)]::
❒ a member ❒ eligible to be a member ❒ a child of a member[1]
❒ a Native-American child who is a ward of the tribal or nation court
❒ a Native-American child who is domiciled or residing on the tribal reservation or tribal lands of the following tribe or nation [specify]: , a tribe or nation recognized by the
❒ Bureau of Indian Affairs, US Dept of the Interior ❒ State of New York ❒ Other state [specify]:

3.This statement is based upon the following facts and information:

_____
My Name (Signature of Affirmant or Affiant)

Sworn to before me this
day of ,

_____
(Deputy) Clerk of the Court

[1] The parent member includes: birth mother, father married to birth mother at time of the birth or father who signed an acknowledgment of paternity or obtained an order of filiation and Native-American adoptive parent of a Native-American child. *See* 25 U.S.C. §1903(9).

Notary Public