

In the Matter of the Application of

for Leave to Change His/Her Name To

PETITION FOR INDIVIDUAL ADULT CHANGE OF NAME

1. _____ by this petition, alleges

2. My present name is: _____.

3. The name which I propose to assume in place and stead of my present name is: _____.

4. My Age, Date of Birth and Place of Birth are: Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Place of Birth: _____,

Note: If you were born in the State of New York you must attach either: a) a Birth Certificate, b) a Certified Transcript of such Birth Certificate, or c) a Certificate from the Commissioner or the local Board of Health that no such Certificate is available.

5. My present residence is: _____

6. For each of the following five statements, place your initials in the appropriate column. YES NO

a) The disclosure and publication of this name change would jeopardize my personal safety _____

b) I have been convicted of a crime _____

c) I have been adjudicated a bankrupt _____

d) There judgments or liens of record against me _____

e) There is/are an/action(s) or proceeding(s) pending to which I am a party _____

If your answer is "YES" to any of the five statements above, state the statement to which you responded yes and give particulars below in sufficient detail to readily identify the matter referred to:

(If additional space is required, attach (a) separate sheet(s) of paper with the details.)

7. For each of the following statements, place your initials in the appropriate column. YES NO

a) I have any minor children _____

b) I have (an) obligation(s) for child support _____

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If you responded yes to question 7.(b) you must respond to the following:

The child support payments are satisfied and up to date..... _____
Write the information in the column.

The amount of child support arrearage that is currently outstanding ... _____

The Court that issued the child support order is..... _____

The County Child Support Collections Unit that is involved is..... _____

Place your **initials** in the appropriate column

YES **NO**

c) I am responsible for spousal support? _____

If yes,

The spousal support payment(s) is/are satisfied and up to date _____
Write the information in the column.

The amount of spousal support arrears that is currently outstanding is _____

The Court that issued the spousal support order is _____

8. I have/have not made a previous application to change my name in this or any other Court.
 (*Strike out one*) (*If you have, give details and reason for this current application below.*)

9. The reasons for this application are as follows: _____

10. WHEREFORE, your Petitioner respectfully requests that an Order be granted permitting this change of name.

_____ Date

_____ Signature of Petitioner

VERIFICATION

State of New York, County of _____ ss.:

_____, being duly sworn, deposes and says:
s/he is the petitioner named above, that petitioner has read the petition and knows the truth of the contents thereof except for those matters alleged to be on information and belief, and as to those matters, petitioner believes them to be true.

Sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____

Signature of Notary Public

Signature of Petitioner