

VIRGINIA

FAIRFAX CIRCUIT COURT

IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME FOR MINOR CHILD

Case No. CL- \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

FROM: \_\_\_\_\_  
(CURRENT LEGAL NAME OF CHILD)

TO: \_\_\_\_\_  
(NEW NAME REQUESTING)

AFFIDAVIT FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

Comes now \_\_\_\_\_, Petitioner herein, seeking service on \_\_\_\_\_, the natural parent by ORDER OF PUBLICATION, and who under oath deposes and states under oath that the Natural Parent in this cause,

- Is a non-resident individual, other than a non-resident individual fiduciary who has appointed a statutory agent;
- OR
- Cannot be found, and that diligence has been used without effect to ascertain the location of the party to be served;
- OR
- Cannot be served with court process, and that a return has been filed by the Sheriff which shows that the process has been in his or her hands for twenty-one (21) days and the Sheriff has been unable to make service;
- OR
- OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_

and last known mailing address of Natural Father/Mother is as follows:

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

OTHER INFORMATION:

\_\_\_\_\_

Explanation of circumstances \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Petitioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Counsel of Petitioner

TO BE COMPLETED BY A NOTARY PUBLIC

In the Commonwealth/State of: \_\_\_\_\_

In the County of: \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me by \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_  
Registration No: \_\_\_\_\_

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The reason for this cause is to obtain a name change for minor child.

An affidavit having been made and filed showing that the Natural Parent in the above-entitled cause is

Is a non-resident individual, other than a non-resident individual fiduciary who has appointed a statutory agent;

OR

Cannot be found, and that diligence has been used without effect to ascertain the location of the party to be served;

OR

Cannot be served with court process, and that a return has been filed by the Sheriff which shows that the process has been in his or her hands for twenty-one (21) days and the Sheriff has been unable to make service;

OR

OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_

and last known mailing address of Natural Father/Mother is as follows:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

TO BE COMPLETED BY CLERK'S OFFICE

Upon consideration, this Order of Publication is granted, and it is ORDERED that the above named Natural Parent shall appear here on or before \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ after proper publication of this Order, to protect his/her interest in this cause.

ENTERED: \_\_\_\_\_

TESTE: JOHN T. FREY, CLERK

BY:

\_\_\_\_\_  
DEPUTY CLERK

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Petitioner or Counsel for Petitioner

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_