



**JOINT PETITION FOR JUDGMENT
OF PARENTAGE
(ASSISTED REPRODUCTION)
G. L. c. 209C, § 27**

Docket No. _____

**Massachusetts Trial Court
Probate and Family Court**

_____, **Petitioner**

Division

Name

and

_____, **Co-Petitioner**

Name

INFORMATION ABOUT THE PETITIONER

1. Name of the Petitioner _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

2. The Petitioner's current address:

(Address) (Apt, Unit, No. etc.) (City/Town) (State) (Zip)
 Primary Phone #: _____ E-mail: _____

3. The Petitioner is person who gave birth person who will give birth intended parent

INFORMATION ABOUT THE CO-PETITIONER

4. Name of the Co-Petitioner _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

5. The Co-Petitioner's current address:

(Address) (Apt, Unit, No. etc.) (City/Town) (State) (Zip)
 Primary Phone #: _____ E-mail: _____

6. The Co-Petitioner is person who gave birth person who will give birth intended parent

INFORMATION ABOUT THE CHILD

7. The Child has not been born yet. The Child is expected to be born on: _____ at _____.
(Month/Year) (location)

8. The Child was born on _____ at _____. The Child's current age: _____.
(date) (location)

Name of the Child _____
First Name Middle Name Last Name

The Child's current address:

(Address) (Apt, Unit, No. etc.) (City/Town) (State) (Zip)

FACTS RELEVANT TO ADJUDICATION

9. The Petitioner and Co-Petitioner certify that there is no surrogacy agreement related to the Child.

10. The Petitioner and Co-Petitioner certify that any pregnancy or subsequent birth of the Child occurred after using assisted reproduction.

11. The Petitioner and Co-Petitioner are are not married to each other.
12. If not married to each other, the Petitioner and Co-Petitioner are are not married to someone else.
NOTE: If either petitioner is married to someone else, this joint petition **cannot be filed**.
13. The Petitioner and Co-Petitioner are are not divorced or in the process of getting divorced.

CONSENT TO ASSISTED REPRODUCTION WITH INTENT TO BE A PARENT

14. The Petitioner and Co-Petitioner (check all that apply):
- Signed a record consenting to assisted reproduction before, on or after the birth of this Child (if checked attach record);
 - Did not sign a record but prior to the conception or birth of this Child, the Petitioner and Co-Petitioner agreed that they would be parents of the Child with one of the petitioners listed giving birth;
 - Voluntarily participated in and consented to the assisted reproduction that resulted in the conception of this Child.

REQUESTS TO THE COURT

Wherefore the Petitioner and Co-Petitioner request, pursuant to G. L. c. 209C; § 27 (j), that this Court issue a judgment as follows:

15. Adjudicate that the Petitioner and Co-Petitioner listed above are the exclusive legal parents of the minor Child who is not yet born was born on _____ at _____, with full parental rights and responsibilities associated;
(Month/Year) (location)
16. Order that the Child's birth certificate reflect that the Petitioner and Co-Petitioner are the Child's legal parents and order the Department of Public Health to designate the Petitioners as the Child's legal parent(s).
17. Order the court proceedings be closed to the general public and all related pleadings be segregated (pursuant to G. L. c. 209c § 27 (k)).
18. Additional requests:

Date: _____

Date: _____

 Signature of Petitioner

 Signature of Co-Petitioner

(Print name)

(Print name)

Information on Attorney(s) for Petitioner(s), if any:

Signature of Attorney (Petitioner)

(Print name)

(Address)

(Apt, Unit, No. etc.)

(City/Town)

(State)

(Zip)

Primary Phone #: _____

B.B.O. # _____

E-mail: _____

Signature of Attorney (Co-Petitioner)

(Print name)

(Address)

(Apt, Unit, No. etc.)

(City/Town)

(State)

(Zip)

Primary Phone #: _____

B.B.O. # _____

E-mail: _____