

**PETITION FOR
NAME CHANGE**

DOCKET NUMBER

**Trial Court of Massachusetts
Juvenile Court Department**

DIVISION

1. Name of Petitioner: _____

2. The child's current legal name (if different from petitioner) is:

3. Child's date of birth: _____ Child's SSN: _____

Child's place of birth: _____

Child's Address: _____

4. What is your relationship to the child? _____

5. Child's Parents: Mother Father

Name: _____ _____

Address: _____ _____

Telephone: _____ _____

6. Reason for name change: _____

7. Has the child ever changed his/her name prior to this petition? Yes No If yes, please explain:

(Attach a copy of the Name Change Judgment or Decree)

8. A copy of the child's birth certificate is attached.

WHEREFORE, the Petitioner requests that the child's name be changed as follows:

Name at present: _____

To be changed to: _____

Petitioner requests the Court to waive public notice of this petition. As reasons the petitioner states:

Mother assents to the petition to change the child's name. (See page 2)

Father assents to the petition to change the child's name. (See page 2)

Date: _____

(Signature of Petitioner)

(Address)

Telephone No. _____

PARENTAL ASSENT

I, _____, mother of the minor child hereby assent to the granting of the petition to change the child's name to _____.

Date: _____

Signature

Then personally appeared before me the above named _____ and affirmed under penalties of perjury that the foregoing is her free act and deed this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Notary Public: _____

My Commission Expires: _____

I, _____, father of the minor child hereby assent to the granting of the petition to change the child's name to _____.

Date: _____

Signature

Then personally appeared before me the above named _____ and affirmed under penalties of perjury that the foregoing is his free act and deed this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Notary Public: _____

My Commission Expires: _____