**\_${current\_legal\_name}\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**(Name)**

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| \_\_\_${district}\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT COURT, \_\_${county}\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, UTAH  COURT’S ADDRESS: \_${location}\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |
| IN THE MATTER OF THE  NAME CHANGE OF:  \_${current\_legal\_name}\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,  ***(petitioner’s name)*** | **DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS**  **CERTIFICATION REGARDING**  **SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY** |
| Petitioner. | Case No. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Judge \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

Notice to petitioner: This form must be completed and attached to the Petition for Name Change before it is filed with the court. To obtain the necessary certification, fill in the required identification information in the chart below, and then mail the form and a self-addressed, stamped envelope to the following address*: S.O.R.P.* / *14717 Minuteman Drive* / *Draper, UT 84020.*

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| ***Petitioner’s name*** | ***Date of birth*** | ***Driver license number*** |
| ${current\_legal\_name} | ${date\_of\_birth} | ${drivers\_license.number} ${drivers\_license.state} |

*(This section to be completed by S.O.R.P. personnel)*

I certify that I searched Utah’s Sex Offender Registry for the individual identified above:

The results of this search were: ڤ positive

ڤ negative

ڤ other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Sex Offender Registration Program Personnel

UTAH DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION

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| \_\_${district}\_\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT COURT, \_\_\_${county}\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, UTAH  COURT’S ADDRESS: \_\_\_${location}\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |
| IN THE MATTER OF THE  NAME AND GENDER CHANGE OF:  \_${current\_legal\_name}\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, | **REQUEST FOR HEARING** |
| ***(petitioner’s name)***  Petitioner. | Case No. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Judge \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

I request a hearing on my name and gender change petition.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Petition

**${current\_legal\_name}\_\_\_**

**(Name)**

**${current\_address.address1} \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**(Address)**

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\_${district}\_ DISTRICT COURT, \_\_${county} \_\_\_ COUNTY, UTAH

COURT’S ADDRESS: \_${location}\_\_\_\_\_\_

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME AND MOTION TO SEAL CASE

GENDER CHANGE OF:

Name: ${current\_legal\_name} Case No.: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Judge:

Petitioner \_\_${current\_legal\_name} hereby requests that this case be sealed immediately upon filing of the same.

As grounds for this request, Petitioner states that the matter involved herein is very sensitive and sensational, and if made public, would most likely draw the attention of the media. Petitioner could be harmed by such public exposure, and values privacy greatly.

Therefore, Petitioner requests that the Court enter an Order immediately sealing this case.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Petitioner

**${current\_legal\_name}\_\_\_**

**(Name)**

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**(Address)**

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| \_${district}\_ DISTRICT COURT, \_\_${county} \_\_\_ COUNTY, UTAH  COURT’S ADDRESS: \_${location}\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |
| IN THE MATTER OF THE  NAME AND GENDER CHANGE OF:  ${current\_legal\_name}\_\_, | **PETITION FOR NAME AND GENDER CHANGE** |
| ***(petitioner’s name)***  Petitioner. | Case No. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Judge \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

Petitioner states as follows:

1. I live in \_\_${county}\_\_\_\_ County, as shown above, and have done so   
    ***(name of county)*** for more than one year.
2. My full and correct name is \_${current\_legal\_name}\_\_ and.

***(your current legal name)***

1. I ask the Court to change my name to \_${requested\_legal\_name}\_\_.

***(your proposed new name)***

1. My current assigned Gender is \_\_\_\_${current\_gender} \_\_\_\_\_.
2. I ask the Court to change my gender to \_\_\_${requested\_gender} \_\_\_\_\_.
3. I want to change my name and gender because: ${gender\_change\_reason}

***(reasons for changing your name)***

1. I do not know any reason why I should not be allowed to change my name or gender.
2. Except for this petition, I am not presently involved in any court actions or proceedings.
3. I am not presently on probation or parole.

10. I am not barred as a sex offender from obtaining a name change, under the provisions of Section 77-27-21.5(17). I have attached a Certification Regarding Sex Offender Registry completed by Utah’s Department of Corrections, showing that there were no search results for my name.

11. I am not changing my name or gender to avoid creditors or anyone else with a claim against me.

12. My name or gender change will not affect any right, title or interest of anyone else, and I do not know anyone else who should be notified of this petition.

DATED: \_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Petitioner

NOTARY CLAUSE

\_\_${current\_legal\_name}\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, Petitioner, is personally known to me or presented

satisfactory proof of identity to me. After being sworn and while under oath, Petitioner stated that he or she was acting voluntarily, had read and understood the preceding document, and that the contents were true. Petitioner then signed the document in my presence.

Signed on \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_. **X\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Notary Public/Court Clerk

**(Notary Seal)**

**${current\_legal\_name}\_\_\_**

**(Name)**

**${current\_address.address1} \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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\_${district}\_ DISTRICT COURT, \_\_${county}\_\_\_ COUNTY, UTAH

COURT’S ADDRESS: \_${location}\_\_\_\_\_\_

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME AND ORDER CHANGING NAME

GENDER CHANGE OF: AND GENDER

${current\_legal\_name}, Case No.: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Petitioner

Judge:

This petition for name change was heard on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_, before the Honorable \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, District Court Judge. Petitioner was present, appearing pro se. Based upon the testimony and evidence submitted at the hearing, and the documents on file, the Court makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law.

**THE COURT FINDS:**

1. That the Petitioner was born on ${date\_of\_birth} and has been a legal resident of ${county} since ${in\_county\_since}. All notices required by law have been given.
2. ( ) No objections to the proposed name change were made.
3. ( ) Objections to the proposed name change were made by:

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

***(name of person making objections)***

1. That Petitioner’s full and correct legal name is ${current\_legal\_name}.
2. That Petitioner respectfully requests the Court grant a change of name and gender to \_${requested\_legal\_name}, ${requested\_gender} \_.

That Petitioner desires this change of name and gender for the following reason(s):

* 1. The change of name and gender requested herein will promote Petitioner’s peace of mind, is in keeping with Petitioner’s personal taste, and changes the legal name and gender to the name and gender commonly used by Petitioner.

1. That Petitioner is over 21 years of age and knows of no one to whom notice of this petition should be given.
2. That Petitioner knows no reason why she should not be allowed to change their name.
3. Except for this petition, Petitioner is not presently involved in any court actions or proceedings.
4. That Petitioner is not presently on probation or parole.
5. That Petitioner is not barred as a sex offender from obtaining a name change, under the provisions of Section 77-27-21.5(17). Attached is a Certification Regarding Sex Offender Registry completed by Utah’s Department of Corrections, showing that there were no search results for my name.
6. That the change of name and gender is proper and is not being done for any illegal, fraudulent, obscene, or otherwise offensive purpose, and does not interfere with the rights of others. No creditor and no other person will be damaged by the change of name and gender.
7. That Petitioner, upon receipt of the Order of Name Change and Gender, will notify any and all concerned creditors, banks, government agencies, and all interested persons of said Order.
8. That Petitioner’s name and gender change will not affect any right, title or interest of anyone else.
9. ( ) Other findings *(if any):* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**THE COURT CONCLUDES:**

1. This Court has jurisdiction over Petitioner and Petitioner’s name change action.
2. The requirements of Section 42-1-1 through 42-1-3, Utah Code, have been met, and Section 77-27-21.5(17), Utah Code, does not prohibit this order.
3. It appears to the satisfaction of the court that the allegations in the petition are true and sufficient, and that the petition should be granted.
4. The Court concludes that there is proper cause for changing Petitioner’s name and gender.
5. The Court concludes an Order changing petitioner’s name and gender is authorized as contemplated by Utah Code 26-2-11.

**THE COURT ORDERS:**

Based upon the testimony and evidence submitted at the hearing, and the documents on file, and the Court’s Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the Court Orders that the name of Petitioner be changed to \_\_${requested\_legal\_name}\_\_ and gender changed to \_\_${requested\_gender} \_\_\_.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Petitioner shall be known as \_\_${requested\_legal\_name}\_\_ and that Petitioner’s gender be changed to \_\_${requested\_gender}\_\_, being authorized hereafter to use this name and gender as the Petitioner’s legal name and gender for all purposes.

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

District Court Judge

**${current\_legal\_name}\_\_\_**

**(Name)**

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\_${district}\_ DISTRICT COURT, \_\_${county} \_\_\_ COUNTY, UTAH

COURT’S ADDRESS: \_${location}\_\_\_\_\_\_

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME AND ORDER SEALING CASE

GENDER CHANGE OF:

${current\_legal\_name}, Case No.: \_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Petitioner

Judge:

The Court, having received Petitioner’s request that this case be sealed, and good cause appearing therefore,

HEREBY ORDERS that this case be sealed immediately and that it only be accessed by Court order.

DATED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_.

BY THE COURT

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

District Court Judge