



# ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE

## (Minor Name Change)

IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, CIRCUIT COURT

COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
*County Where You Are Filing the Case*

REQUEST OF \_\_\_\_\_  
*Parent or Guardian First, Middle, and Last Name*  
TO CHANGE NAMES OF MINOR CHILDREN

Case Number \_\_\_\_\_  
(Clerk fills in)



**STOP. DO NOT check any boxes or fill in any more blanks on this form.** The judge will complete the rest of the form. If changing the name of more than 1 minor, an *Order* must be filled out for each child.

### The Court reviewed your *Request for Name Change* and finds:

☐ The Court has jurisdiction.

Notice requirement:

☐ Notice through this newspaper publication: \_\_\_\_\_

On these dates: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Notice requirement was waived.

☐ Correct notice was provided.

The name change:

☐ is ☐ is not in the best interest of the child.

### IT IS ORDERED:

☐ The Request for Name Change is **GRANTED**.

*Enter the complete current name matching exactly as it appears on the birth certificate to avoid any delays or issues.*

First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Last \_\_\_\_\_

is changed to:

*Enter the new full name wanted.*

First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_ Last \_\_\_\_\_

☐ The Request for Name Change is **DENIED**.

The Request is denied for the following reasons: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

☐ Additional Orders: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

### ENTERED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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