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- 1** This order was made:

a. On the court's own motion

b. At the request of

(name): _____

(relationship to the child): _____

c. The request was made:

(1) Orally at the hearing held on (date): _____

(2) In writing by filing Form JV-321, *Request for Prospective Adoptive Parent Designation*, on (date): _____

Fill in court name and street address:

Superior Court of California, County of**The court finds and orders:**

- 2** The child's current caregiver or caregivers

(name): _____

(name): _____

is are designated as the child's prospective adoptive parent or parents because:

- a. The child has lived with the caregiver or caregivers for at least six months
- b. The child's permanent plan is tribal customary adoption, and the tribe has identified the caregiver or caregivers as the child's prospective adoptive parent or parents
- c. The caregiver or caregivers currently express a commitment to adopting the child *and*
- d. The caregiver or caregivers have taken at least one step to facilitate the adoption.

Fill in child's name and date of birth:

Child's Name:**Date of Birth:**

- 3** The child's current caregiver or caregivers

(name): _____

(name): _____

does do not qualify as the prospective adoptive parent or parents of the child, and the request for designation as the prospective adoptive parent or parents is denied, because:

- a. The child has not lived with the caregiver or caregivers for at least six months.
- b. The caregiver or caregivers do not currently express a commitment to adopting the child.
- c. The caregiver or caregivers have not taken any steps to facilitate the adoption.
- d. Other (*explain*): _____

Fill in case number:

Case Number:

- 4** The court thinks that the request for designation as a prospective adoptive parent will be contested or wants more evidence on the request, and orders a hearing on the request.

The hearing will be on (date): _____ at (time): _____ a.m. p.m.

in Department _____ of the superior court located at: _____

Date: _____



Judge (or Judicial Officer)