**SELF-REPRESENTED LITIGANT**

**PETITION TO CHANGE NAME**

This form is intended for individuals seeking to legally change their first and/or last name who:

* + are younger than 18

**Instructions:**

1. Be sure you have the correct petition.

2. Fill in the blanks with 100% accurate information. *Any false statement made under oath contained in the foregoing petition may constitute perjury.*

3.If you have trouble reading, writing, or understanding what is in this motion, seek help at your parish’s judicial district court.

**What you will Need:**

1. Your social security number
2. The necessary court costs by cash or check.

**{{ judicial\_district }} JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT**

**{{ filing\_parish }} PARISH**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA**

**Case No. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ DIVISION \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**{{ parents[0].name.full() }}**

**vs.**

**{{ district\_attorney }}, DISTRICT ATTORNEY**

**FILED: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ DEPUTY CLERK: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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#### SELF-REPRESENTED LITIGANT

#### PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE

**I. PETITIONER**

Petitioner seeks name change on behalf of their minor child: {{ children[0].name.full() }} (child’s name), born on {{ child\_birthdate }}, with social security number {{ social\_security\_number }}, and domiciled in {{ child\_domicile }} Parish, Louisiana, wants to change his/her name to **{{ new\_name[0].name.full() }}** for the following reason(s):

**II. REASON[S] FOR NAME CHANGE**

{{ name\_change\_reason }}

**III. LAW GOVERNING NAME CHANGE**

This proceeding is brought under LSA—R.S. 13:14751-13:4755, and it is thus mandatory that the district attorney of this parish be served with a copy of this petition and be cited to answer it.

**IV. PRAYER**

WHEREFORE, petitioner prays for judgment changing their minor child’s name from **{{ children[0].name.full() }}** to **{{ new\_name[0].name.full() }}.**

**RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,**

{{ children[0].name.full() }}

{{ parents[0].address.block() }}

{{ parents[0].phone\_number }}

{{parents[0].signature}}

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# JUDGMENT

The Court, having considered the Petition for Name Change, together with the answer filed by the District Attorney for the District Court in and for the Parish of {{ filing\_parish }}, State of Louisiana, and for the reasons assigned this date:

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, that there is judgment herein, granting the Petition for Name change, and changing the legal name of : **{{ children[0].name.full() }}** to **{{ new\_name[0].name.full() }}** pursuant to the provisions of Louisiana Revised Statute 13:4751, et seq.

JUDGMENT READ, RENDERED, AND SIGNED AT {{ filing\_parish }} PARISH, LOUISIANA, this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of the month of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 20 .

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**JUDGE, {{ judicial\_district }} JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT**