

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

_____ COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA

JUVENILE COURT DIVISION

(FAMILY COURT DIVISION in Philadelphia County)

In the Interest _____ : Docket No.: CP-____ DP-____ -20__
of _____, a Minor :
[Initials of Minor] :
Date of Birth _____ :

TO CLERK OF _____ :
[Title of Clerk Maintaining Dependency Docket]¹

Please kindly record the following in the CPCMS – Dependency Module:

I hereby notify you that the following has been filed on __[DATE OF FILING]__ with the Orphans’ Court in __ [NAME]__ County concerning the above-child:

A petition to relinquish parental rights of __[INITIALS OF PARENT(S) NAMED IN THE PETITION]__.

A petition to terminate parental rights of _____[INITIALS OF PARENT(S) NAMED IN THE PETITION]_____.

A petition to confirm consent of _____[INITIALS OF PARENT(S) NAMED IN THE PETITION]_____.

A petition for adoption.

Date: _____

On behalf of: [County Agency]

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Please kindly record the following in the CPCMS – Dependency Module:

I hereby notify you that the following has been entered on __[DATE OF FILING]_____
by the Orphans’ Court in __[NAME]_____ County concerning the above-child:

- An order granting denying (circle one) the petition to relinquish parental rights of __[INITIALS OF PARENT(S) NAMED IN THE PETITION]_____.
- An order granting denying (circle one) the petition to terminate parental rights of __[INITIALS OF PARENT(S) NAMED IN THE PETITION]_____.
- An order granting denying (circle one) the petition to confirm consent of _____[INITIALS OF PARENT(S) NAMED IN THE PETITION]_____.
- With the above-order relinquishing or terminating parental rights or confirming the consent of the parent(s), the child is available for adoption.
Do not check if at least one parent still has parental rights.
- An order granting denying (circle one) the petition for adoption .

Date: _____

On behalf of: [County Agency]

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Please kindly record the following in the CPCMS – Dependency Module:

I hereby notify you that an appeal has been filed on ____ [DATE] ____ concerning the above-child from the following Orphans’ Court order:

- An order granting denying (circle one) the petition to relinquish parental rights of ____ [INITIALS OF PARENT(S) NAMED IN THE ORDER] ____.
- An order granting denying (circle one) the petition to terminate parental rights of ____ [INITIALS OF PARENT(S) NAMED IN THE ORDER] ____.
- An order granting denying (circle one) the petition to confirm consent of ____ [INITIALS OF PARENT(S) NAMED IN THE ORDER] ____.
- An order granting denying (circle one) the petition for adoption.

Date: _____

On behalf of: [County Agency]

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[Initials of Minor] :
Date of Birth _____ :

TO CLERK OF _____ :
[Title of Clerk Maintaining Dependency Docket]¹

Please kindly record the following in the CPCMS – Dependency Module:

I hereby notify you that the appeal from the Orphans’ Court order concerning the above-child has been disposed on _____[DATE]_____ in the following manner:

Quashed Affirmed Reversed Vacated & Remanded

Other: _____

Date: _____

On behalf of: [County Agency]

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COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF _____ COUNTY

ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION

IMPORTANT NOTICE

NOTICE OF PARENTAL RIGHTS TO PROVIDE MEDICAL INFORMATION AND
DETERMINE ACCESS TO IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

To _____:

Your parental rights to _____ have been terminated. Nevertheless, you have the ability (i) to make medical and personal information about you known to the adopting parents and/or your child; and (ii) to control if and how your identifying information is disclosed to the adopting parents and/or your child.

Forms to provide medical, personal, or social history information, update such information, authorize or restrict the release of identifying information, or withdraw authorization to release identifying information can be found online at www.adoptpakids.org/Forms.aspx or by calling 800-227-0225. These forms are provided free by PAIR (Pennsylvania Adoption Information Registry, Department of Human Services); they should be completed and returned to PAIR.

You may also file this information with the court using the same forms provided by PAIR or providing a written statement in your own words signed by you. Please make sure to include the case caption and docket number on your form or statement and send the documents to:

You may update this information as necessary to reflect a change in address or any other information pertaining to either biological parent.

Your consent to release identifying information may be withdrawn at any time by filing a withdrawal of consent form with PAIR and the court; likewise, you can change a prior refusal to provide identifying information by sending and filing an authorization to release.

Finally, for information about having your name redacted from your child's birth certificate, please visit <https://www.health.pa.gov/topics/certificates/Pages/Adoptions.aspx> . For assistance, call **724-656-3100** or toll-free **1-844-228-3516**.

For any additional questions, you can contact PAIR, your Children & Youth Social Service Agency, any private licensed adoption agency, or the Orphans' Court Division of your county's Common Pleas Court.

By: _____
Clerk, Orphans' Court

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING
PETITION TO REGISTER FOREIGN ADOPTION DECREE
PURSUANT TO 23 Pa.C.S. § 2908**

When a child is adopted in conformity with the laws of a foreign country, the adopting parent(s) may register the Foreign Adoption Decree so that the Decree is considered full and final, enforceable as if entered pursuant to the Pennsylvania Adoption Act, and a Pennsylvania birth certificate can be obtained.

Adopting parent(s) seeking to register the Foreign Adoption Decree must:

1. Complete, sign, and date the Petition to Register Foreign Adoption Decree and Verification. If a Foreign Adoption Decree shows that there are two adopting parents, both parent(s) *must* execute the Petition to Register Foreign Adoption Decree.

2. Attach the following documents to the Petition:
 - A copy of the Foreign Adoption Decree;
 - A copy of the child's birth certificate. If no birth certificate was issued, a copy of any other birth identification issued by the country of birth should be attached. If no birth certificate or birth identification can be obtained, an Affidavit stating the reason should be submitted;
 - A copy of the child's United States Visa;
 - An English translation of all documents not in English, certified by a translator to be true and correct;
 - Pennsylvania Department of Health, Division of Vital Records Form No. HD01273F, Certificate of Adoption of a Foreign-Born Child with Parts 1 and 2 (and Part 3, if applicable) completed;
 - Pennsylvania Department of Health, Division of Vital Records Form No. HD01275F, Statement of Citizenship and Residency;
 - If available, a copy of U. S. Government Form N-560 and/or a copy of the child's U.S. Passport.

3. The Petition to Register with the attachments should be filed with the Clerk of the Orphans' Court Division of the Court of Common Pleas in the county in which the adopting parent(s) reside(s), except for Philadelphia County resident(s), who must file with the Family Court Division. A filing fee will be charged in accordance with the fee schedule of the county court.

After the Petition to Register is filed, it will be submitted to the court for review. If the Petition to Register and accompanying documents establish that the foreign adoption of the child is full and final, the court will enter a Decree directing the registration of the Foreign Adoption Decree. The Clerk of the appropriate court will then issue a certificate of adoption and transmit to the Department of Health, Division of Vital Records Forms HD01273F and HD01275F, and if provided by the adopting parent(s), a copy of U.S. Government Form N-560 and/or a copy of the child's United States passport.

If the court cannot determine that the foreign adoption is full and final, it will enter a Decree denying the petition. In that case, it will be necessary to proceed under Pa. O.C. Rule 15.15.

Some of the following are reasons why a foreign adoption may not be a full and final adoption eligible for registration:

- both adopting parents were not present for the adoption hearing in the foreign country and the foreign country is not a Hague Convention country; or
- the sole adopting parent was not present at the adoption hearing in the foreign country and the foreign country is not a Hague Convention country; or
- the foreign court did not enter a final adoption Decree or Order or its equivalent; or
- the child's United States Visa is not the type that affords the child full United States citizenship.

If the child has an IH-4 or IR-4 United States Visa, it will be necessary to proceed under Pa. O.C. Rule 15.15.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

_____ COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

ORPHANS' COURT (FAMILY COURT DIVISION IN PHILADELPHIA)

IN RE: FOREIGN ADOPTION OF _____

FILE NO. _____

PETITION TO REGISTER FOREIGN ADOPTION DECREE
PURSUANT TO 23 Pa.C.S. § 2908

1. Petitioner(s), the Adopting Parent(s) of the above-named adopted child, is/are _____
2. Petitioner(s) reside(s) in _____ County, Pennsylvania, at

(Street Address)

(City, State, Zip)

3. Has any other court in this Commonwealth or in any other state reviewed, registered, finalized or otherwise assumed jurisdiction over the foreign adoption decree being registered here:

(check one) Yes No

If yes, please provide the name of the court, the state, and county, what was previously presented to the court and the resulting decision from the court (attach all court decrees):

4. The full name of the adopted child at birth as listed on the foreign birth certificate, if available, was _____.
5. The full name of the adopted child as written on the foreign adoption decree is _____.
6. The full name of the adopted child as he or she is to be known from this time forward is _____.
7. The date of birth of the adopted child is _____.
8. The date of the foreign adoption decree is _____.
9. The type of United States Visa issued to the adopted child is:
(check one) IR-2 IR-3 IH-3 IR-4 IH-4
10. The following documents are attached to this Petition:
 - a. Copy of child's birth certificate or other birth identification issued by country of birth; if none, an affidavit of adopting parent(s) stating why none is available.
 - b. Copy of Decree of Adoption issued by foreign government; if Decree is not in English, an English translation certified by the translator to be true and correct.
 - c. Copy of adopted child's United States Visa.
 - d. Pennsylvania Department of Health, Division of Vital Records Form No. HD01273F, Certificate of Adoption of a Foreign-Born Child with Parts 1 and 2 (and Part 3, if applicable) completed.

- e. Pennsylvania Department of Health, Division of Vital Records Form No. HD01275F, Statement of Citizenship and Residency.
- f. Copy of U.S. Government Form N-560, Certificate of Citizenship, and/or a copy of the child's United States passport, if either or both documents are available.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner(s) request(s) that this Court enter a Decree authorizing the registration and docketing of the attached Foreign Adoption Decree with the Clerk of the appropriate Court and decreeing that

_____ shall henceforth be known as
(Name of child as written on Foreign Adoption Decree)

_____ and shall have all the
(Child's name from this time forward)
rights of a child and heir of the Petitioner(s).

Signature of Adopting Parent¹

Signature of Adopting Parent

Daytime telephone no. for Adopting Parent(s)

¹When there are two adopting parents, both must sign.

**VERIFICATION TO PETITION TO REGISTER FOREIGN ADOPTION DECREE
PURSUANT TO 23 Pa.C.S. § 2908**

I/We, _____, verify that I/we am/are the
Petitioner(s) named in the foregoing Petition, that I/we have read and understand
the information set forth in the Instructions to the Petition to Register Foreign
Adoption Decree, and that the facts set forth in the foregoing Petition are true and
correct to the best of my/our knowledge, information and belief. I/We further
verify that all documents attached to this Petition are true and correct copies of
the originals. I/We understand that false statements made herein are subject to
the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. § 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

Date: _____

Signature of Adopting Parent

Signature of Adopting Parent

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
_____ COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION
(FAMILY COURT DIVISION in Philadelphia County)

IN RE: FOREIGN ADOPTION OF _____
ADOPTION NO. _____

FINAL DECREE

AND NOW, this _____ day of _____, 20___, it
is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that the Petition of _____
_____ (Adopting Parent(s))
_____ to Register

Foreign Adoption Decree is GRANTED and that this Court authorizes the
registration and docketing of the Foreign Adoption Decree entered on

_____ by _____
(Date of Foreign Adoption Decree) (Name of Foreign Court)
in _____
(Foreign Country)

It is FURTHER ORDERED and DECREED that the above Foreign Adoption
Decree shall be enforceable as if this Court had entered the Decree and that

henceforth this child _____
(Name of child as written on Foreign Adoption Decree)

shall be known as _____ and shall
(Child's name from this time forward)

have all the rights of a child and heir of _____
(Adopting Parent(s))

BY THE COURT:

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
_____ COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION
(FAMILY COURT DIVISION in Philadelphia County)

IN RE: FOREIGN ADOPTION OF _____
ADOPTION NO. _____

FINAL DECREE

AND NOW, this _____ day of _____, 20__, it
is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that the Petition of _____
_____ (Adopting Parent(s))
_____ to Register

Foreign Adoption Decree is DENIED.

BY THE COURT:

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF
_____ COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION

(FAMILY COURT DIVISION in Philadelphia County)

IN RE: ADOPTION OF _____
(initials only)

ADOPTION NO. _____

PETITION FOR ADOPTION OF A FOREIGN BORN CHILD

To the Honorable, the Judge of said Court:

The Petition of _____ under
(Name(s) of Adopting Parent(s))

23 Pa.C.S. §§ 2701 and 2908 respectfully states that:

1. At least one of the Petitioners filing this Petition is a resident of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and has resided in this Commonwealth since

(Provide at least month and year)

2. No other court in this Commonwealth or in any other state has reviewed, registered, finalized or otherwise assumed jurisdiction over the adoption of this child, except as follows:

(Provide name of court, county and state)

Explain the proceeding previously initiated and the resulting decision from the court (attach all court decrees):

3. Petitioner(s) desire(s) to adopt this child known as

(Name of child as written on Foreign Decree)

and intend(s) that such child shall be treated as one of (his/her/their) heirs and hereby declare(s) that (he/she/they) will perform all the duties of parent(s) to him/her.

4. The child has entered the United States pursuant to a United States Visa. A true and correct copy of the United States Visa is attached as an exhibit to this Petition. The United States Visa was issued as an:

(Please check one) IR-2 IR-3 IH-3 IR-4 IH-4

5. a) The child's full name as shown on the United States Visa is

_____.

b) The full birth name of the child as listed on the foreign birth certificate (if available) is

_____.

c) The full name of the child as it appears on the foreign decree is

_____.

d) The full name of the child as he/she is to be known from this time forward is

_____.

6. The child has resided with Petitioner(s) for the following length of time _____

_____.

7. Information concerning the Petitioner(s), the adopting parent(s), is as follows:

a) Adopting Parent #1:

1) Full name _____

2) Residence _____

3) Marital status _____

4) Age _____

5) Occupation _____

6) Religious affiliation _____

7) Racial background _____

8) Relationship to adoptee by blood or marriage, if any _____

9) Daytime telephone no. _____

b) Adopting Parent #2:

1) Full name _____

2) Residence _____

_____.

- 3) Marital status _____
- 4) Age _____
- 5) Occupation _____
- 6) Religious affiliation _____
- 7) Racial background _____
- 8) Relationship to adoptee by blood or marriage, if any _____
- 9) Daytime telephone no. _____

8. The following reports, as applicable, have been completed as of the dates set forth below. A true and correct copy of each of these reports is attached as an exhibit to this Petition.

- a) Report of Intermediary described in 23 Pa.C.S. § 2533
Completion Date: _____
- b) Home Study and/or Preplacement Reports described in 23 Pa.C.S. § 2530
Completion Date: _____
- c) Investigation Reports described in 23 Pa.C.S. § 2535
Completion Date: _____
- d) Postplacement Reports, if any
Completion Date (if applicable): _____

9. Information concerning the intermediary agency, if any, is as follows:

Name of agency _____
 Address _____

 Telephone no. _____
 County where office is located _____

10. If there is no Report of an Intermediary, the following information is being provided by the Petitioner(s) as to the adoptee or adopted child:

- a) Sex _____
- b) Racial background _____
- c) Age _____
- d) Birth date _____
- e) Birthplace _____
- f) Places of residence since birth

- g) Religious affiliation _____
- h) A full statement of the value of all property owned or possessed by the child, if any _____

i) State whether medical history information was obtained, and if not, explain why not _____

11. If there is no Report of an Intermediary, and the adoptee or adopted child is under 18 years of age, provide the following information as to the birth mother, if known:

- a) Name _____
- b) Residence or last known address _____
- c) Racial background _____
- d) Age _____
- e) Marital status as of the time of the birth of child _____
- f) Marital status during one year prior to birth of child _____
- g) Religious affiliation _____
- h) Birth mother's parental rights were terminated by decree of _____

dated _____

12. If there is no Report of an Intermediary, and the adoptee or adopted child is under 18 years of age, provide the following information as to the birth father, if known:

- a) Name _____
- b) Residence or last known address _____
- c) Racial background _____
- d) Age _____
- e) Marital status as of the time of the birth of child _____
- f) Marital status during one year prior to birth of child _____
- g) Religious affiliation _____
- h) Birth father's parental rights were terminated by decree of _____

dated _____

13. If there is no Report of an Intermediary, attach a copy of the birth certificate, with an English translation for those birth certificates not in English, certified by a translator to be true and correct. If no birth certificate or other birth identification issued by the

country of birth can be obtained, a statement of the reason and a detailed explanation of the efforts made to obtain the certificate are required and attached as an exhibit to this Petition.

14. If there is no Report of an Intermediary, attach copies of any foreign decrees and/or documents concerning this adoption, including any decree terminating the parental rights of birth mother and/or birth father, if needed, with an English translation for those decrees and/or documents not in English, certified by a translator to be true and correct translations of the foreign decrees and/or documents.

15. If there is no Report of an Intermediary, attach all consents required by Section 2711 of the Adoption Code, 23 Pa.C.S. § 2711. If consents are not required, explain:

16. Attach Pennsylvania Department of Health, Division of Vital Records Form No. HD01273F, Certificate of Adoption of a Foreign-Born Child with Parts 1 and 2 (and Part 3, if applicable) completed.

17. Attach Pennsylvania Department of Health, Division of Vital Records Form No. HD01275F, Statement of Citizenship and Residency.

18. Attach U.S. Government Form N-560, Certificate of Citizenship, and/or a copy of the child's United States passport, if either or both documents are available.

19. It is the desire of the Petitioner(s) to have a parent-child relationship established between the Petitioner(s) and the adoptee or adopted child.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner(s) pray your Honorable Court to enter a Final Decree that the child proposed to be adopted shall have all the rights of a child and heir of Petitioner(s) and Petitioner(s) shall be subject to the duties as parents of such child, and that the child's name shall henceforth be

DATE: _____

Signature of Adopting Parent¹

Signature of Adopting Parent

(If represented, counsel's name, address, and telephone number)

¹ When there are two adopting parents, both must sign.

VERIFICATION TO PETITION FOR ADOPTION OF A FOREIGN BORN CHILD

I/We, _____, verify that I/we are the Petitioner(s) named in the foregoing Petition and that the facts set forth therein are true and correct to the best of my/our knowledge, information and belief. I/We further verify that all documents attached to this Petition are true and correct copies of the originals. I/We understand that false statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. § 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

DATE: _____

Signature of Adopting Parent

Signature of Adopting Parent

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF

_____, PENNSYLVANIA

ORPHANS' COURT

(FAMILY COURT DIVISION in Philadelphia County)

IN RE: ADOPTION OF _____
(initials only)

ADOPTION NO. _____

REPORT OF THE INTERMEDIARY IN THE ADOPTION OF A FOREIGN BORN CHILD

The report of the agency, _____, as
intermediary, under 23 Pa.C.S. § 2533, states as follows:

1. Intermediary's address: _____

Intermediary's telephone no: _____
County where office is located: _____
2. The facts as to the adoptee or adopted child are:
 - a) Name _____
 - b) Sex _____
 - c) Racial Background _____
 - d) Age _____
 - e) Birth Date _____
 - f) Birthplace _____
 - g) Religious affiliation _____
3. Date of the placement of the child with the Petitioner(s), adopting parent(s),

4. If known, the facts as to the birth mother are:
 - a) Name _____
 - b) Residence or last known address

 - c) Racial background _____
 - d) Age _____
 - e) Marital status as of the time of the birth of the child _____

VERIFICATION TO REPORT OF INTERMEDIARY

I, _____, verify that I am

(Title)

(Name of Agency)

and I am authorized to take this verification on its behalf, and that the facts set forth in the foregoing Report are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I further verify that all documents attached to this Report are true and correct copies of the originals. I understand that false statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. § 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

DATE: _____

Signature

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF
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(FAMILY COURT DIVISION in Philadelphia County)

IN RE: ADOPTION OF _____
(initials only)

ADOPTION NO. _____

PRELIMINARY DECREE

AND NOW, this _____ day of _____, 20____,
upon consideration of the within Petition and on the motion of _____,
Esquire, attorney for Petitioner(s) or _____, *Pro Se*, a hearing
thereon is fixed for _____ in
_____ before the Honorable _____ at
_____ am/pm.

Notice shall be given to the following persons and or entities having any legal
and/or physical rights to the child:

1. NAME _____
ADDRESS _____
RELATIONSHIP _____
2. NAME _____
ADDRESS _____
RELATIONSHIP _____
3. NAME _____
ADDRESS _____
RELATIONSHIP _____

J.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF
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ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION

(FAMILY COURT DIVISION in Philadelphia County)

IN RE: ADOPTION OF _____
(initials only)

ADOPTION NO. _____

FINAL DECREE

AND NOW, this _____ day of _____, 20__, upon consideration of the within Petition and after the hearing thereon, the Court having made an investigation to verify the statements of the Petition and other facts to give the Court full knowledge as to the desirability of the proposed adoption; and the Court, being satisfied, finds that the statements made in the Petition are true, that the needs and welfare of the child proposed to be adopted will be promoted by this adoption, and that all requirements of the Adoption Act have been met, it is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that this child,

_____ is hereby adopted,
(Name of child as written on Foreign Decree)

shall be known as _____ and shall
(Child's name from this time forward)

have all the rights of a child and heir of _____.
(Adopting Parent(s))

_____, and shall be subject to the duties of a child to said adopting parent(s).

J.