

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF TENNESSEE FOR THE
THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT MEMPHIS**

IN THE MATTER OF:

PETITIONER,

NO: _____

PETITION FOR ADULT CHANGE OF NAME

**TO THE HONORABLE JUDGES OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SHELBY
COUNTY, TENNESSEE:**

Comes now your Petitioner _____, in
the above captioned cause and files this petition requesting change of name and
for cause of action would show unto the Court the following facts:

1. Petitioner is an adult resident, citizen of Shelby County, Tennessee.
2. Petitioner would further show unto the Court that he/she was born in
_____ County of the state of _____ on
_____ and whose name appears as

on his/her birth certificate.

3. Petitioner respectfully requests of this Honorable Court that he/she
be able to change their name to:

4. Petitioner desires to change his/her name for the following reasons:

5. Petitioner further states that he/she _____ is _____ is not a felon or criminal and that the reasons for the name change are personal and that he/she does not seek to change their name to avoid or evade any debts or obligations and that they do not request this change of name for any illegal purpose.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, YOUR PETITIONER PRAYS:

1. That upon the hearing of this cause, the court order the legal change of the name of the petitioner to:

2. For all other relief, both general and special, to which they may be entitled in the premises.

PETITIONER

STATE OF TENNESSEE

COUNTY OF SHELBY

I, _____, being first duly sworn according to law, state that the contents herein are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

PETITIONER

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, 20 ____.

Deputy Clerk

My Commission Expires:

**STATE OF TENNESSEE
COUNTY OF SHELBY**

AFFIDAVIT FOR NAME CHANGE

The undersigned, having petitioned to change his/her name, hereby makes oath, as required by T.C.A. § 29-8-101 (b) that:

1. I have never been convicted of First or Second Degree Murder.
2. I have never been convicted of any offense which requires a sexual offender to register pursuant to the "Sexual Offender Registration and Monitoring Act" found in Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40, Chapter 39.

PETITIONER (Signature)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Notary/Deputy Clerk

My Commission Expires:

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF TENNESSEE
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IN THE MATTER OF:

_____ No: _____
PETITIONER,

ORDER ALLOWING NAME CHANGE

This cause came to be heard on this date upon the sworn petition of
_____ upon
their respective testimony in open court, and upon the entire record in this cause.

It appearing to the Court from all of the above that _____
_____ was born in _____
on _____ is presently a resident of Shelby County, Tennessee
and that petitioner for good and sufficient cause desires to change his/her name
to _____, and that the change
should be officially noted on the petitioner's birth certificate and old information
blocked and deleted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the
name of _____ be and hereby changed to
_____ and that such
name be officially shown and designated hereafter for all legal purposes as such

and that a copy of this Order be furnished to appropriate State and County agencies to effectuate the purpose of this order for name change.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the appropriate State and County agencies officially note on the Petitioner's birth certificate the ordered changes and the old information be blocked and deleted.

PETITIONER

ADDRESS

CITY, STATE & ZIP CODE

PHONE NUMBER

JUDGE

DATE