

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF _____ COUNTY, ARKANSAS
_____ DIVISION**

IN RE: Application of _____ Docket No. _____
to change the name of her/his minor child

PETITION FOR MINOR NAME CHANGE

The Petitioner, _____, hereby states:

1. Petitioner is over the age of twenty-one (21) years and is a resident of _____
County, Arkansas.
2. The minor's present name is _____.
3. The name which I propose that the Minor will assume in place and stead of the
Minor's present name is _____.
4. The minor's Date of Birth and Place of birth are: _____.
5. The minor's present residence is _____.
6. The grounds of this application are as follows: _____.
7. Petitioner states and affirms that this request for name change is not for the
purpose of fraud, of violating any law, and is not and will not be detrimental to the
interest of others.
8. The petitioner, by his/her own affidavit, submits to the court that upon first
being duly sworn under oath before a Notary Public, all relevant facts as to why he/she
desires a name change have been revealed herein.

WHEREFORE, petitioner requests that this court allow the minor's name to be
legally changed from _____ to _____, and for this Court to order such a change in
accordance with the laws of Arkansas.