

FAMILY COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF

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In the Matter of Adoption of  
A Child Whose First Name Is

Docket No.  
PETITION FOR  
REGISTRATION OF A  
FOREIGN ADOPTION ORDER  
(AND NAME CHANGE)

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The Petitioner(s) respectfully allege(s) to this Court that :

1. ( I am)(We are) the adoptive parent(s) guardian guardian ad litem  
of [child's name]: , who was born on [date of birth]:  
in [country]:

The child was adopted in [country]: on [date]:  
(I am) (We are) submitting this petition to register the attached Order of Adoption  
and [delete if inapplicable]: to change the child's name to [specify]:

2. The adoptive parent(s) and the child reside at:[specify address(es)]:<sup>1</sup>  
Child      Adoptive Parent(s)      Full Address

3. The child was granted an IR-3 immigrant visa by the United States Citizenship  
and Immigration Services on [specify date]:

4. The name by which the adoptive child is to be known is [specify]:

WHEREFORE, the Petitioner(s) request(s) an order registering the attached Order  
of Adoption, [delete if inapplicable] changing the child's name, and such other and  
further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

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<sup>1</sup> Unless the Court has ordered the address to be confidential on the ground that disclosure would pose an unreasonable health or safety risk. If so, so indicate and simply list the STATE of residence. See Family Court Act §154-b; Form 21 (available at [www.nycourts.gov](http://www.nycourts.gov)).

Dated: , .

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Adoptive Parent: typed or printed name/ signature

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Adoptive Parent: typed or printed name / signature

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Guardian Guardian ad Litem : typed or printed name / signature

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Attorney , if any: typed or printed name/ signature

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Attorney's Address and Telephone Number

VERIFICATION

STATE OF NEW YORK )

:ss.:

COUNTY OF )

being duly sworn, says that (he)(she) (they)(is)(are) the Petitioner(s) in the above-named proceeding and that the foregoing petition is true to (his)(her)(their) own knowledge, except as to matters where in stated to be alleged on information and belief and as to those matters (he)(she) (they) believe(s) it to be true.

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Adoptive Parent: typed or printed name/ signature

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Adoptive Parent: typed or printed name / signature

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Guardian Guardian ad Litem : typed or printed name / signature

Sworn to before me this  
day of , .

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Deputy)Clerk of the Court  
Notary Public