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 COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF _____ X

In the Matter of the Application of

**JOINT ADULT
NAME CHANGE PETITION**

For Leave to Assume the Names of

INDEX NO.: _____ 

 _____ X

 TO THE COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF _____

 The petition of _____, husband and wife,
respectfully show to the court the following:

 ① We are residents of _____ County, residing at:
_____.

 ② Petitioner husband was born in _____, _____.
Petitioner wife was born in _____, _____.

 ③ Petitioner husband was born on _____ and attaches as proof of his
name and date of birth a certified copy of his birth certificate. Petitioner wife was born
on _____ and attaches as proof of her name and date of birth a
certified copy of her birth certificate.

 ④ Petitioner husband is a citizen of: *(Please check one.)*
 The United States A Foreign County: _____
Alien Registration No.: _____

Petitioner wife is a citizen of: *(Please check one.)*
 The United States A Foreign County: _____
Alien Registration No.: _____

 ⑤ Petitioner husband hereby states under penalty of perjury that: *(Please check Yes or No.)*

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|----|---|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| a. | I have been convicted of a crime. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b. | I have been adjudicated a bankrupt. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| c. | I have judgments or liens pending against me. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| d. | I am a party to any legal actions or proceedings. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| e. | There is a promissory note or other commercial
paper outstanding that was held, endorsed,
accepted or issued by me. | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |



Petitioner wife hereby states under penalty of perjury that: *(Please check Yes or No.)*

- a. I have been convicted of a crime. Yes No
- b. I have been adjudicated a bankrupt. Yes No
- c. I have judgments or liens pending against me. Yes No
- d. I am a party to any legal actions or proceedings. Yes No
- e. There is a promissory note or other commercial paper outstanding that was held, endorsed, accepted or issued by me. Yes No



6 If either of you answered "Yes" to any of the statements in question 5, set forth a complete explanation of the circumstances. Otherwise, put "NA" or "Not Applicable".



7 Petitioner husband hereby states under penalty of perjury that: *(Please check Yes or No.)*

- a. I am paying/receiving alimony. Yes No
- b. I am paying/receiving spousal support (maintenance). Yes No
- c. I am paying/receiving child support. Yes No

Petitioner wife hereby states under penalty of perjury that: *(Please check Yes or No.)*

- a. I am paying/receiving alimony. Yes No
- b. I am paying/receiving spousal support (maintenance). Yes No
- c. I am paying/receiving child support. Yes No



8 If either of you answered "Yes" to any of the statements in question 7, set forth a complete explanation of the circumstances. Otherwise, put "NA" or "Not Applicable". If you are paying alimony, spousal support (maintenance) or child support, please indicate whether or not your payments are up to date. If your payments are not up to date, please indicate the amount of arrears (back payments) due:



9 We wish to change our names for the following reasons:



10 We state under penalty of perjury that we: *(Please check Have or Have not.)*

- Have Have not previously filed an application for a change of name with any court. If you checked "Have", describe the outcome of those proceedings and attach any appropriate documents. Otherwise, put "NA" or "Not Applicable".



WHEREFORE, petitioners respectfully ask for an order permitting them to assume the names of _____.



Dated: _____, New York
_____, 20



Signature

Print name

Signature

Print name

VERIFICATION

State of New York, County of

ss.: 

 _____, being duly sworn, deposes and says: I am a Petitioner in the above-entitled action. I have read the foregoing petition and know the contents thereof. The same are true to my knowledge, except as to matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief and as to those matters I believe them to be true.

Signature

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



Notary Public

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Notary Public