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At a Term of the _____ Court of the State of New York, held in and for the County of _____ at the Courthouse thereof, located at _____, New York, on the _____ day of _____, 20____.


PRESENT: HON. _____
Justice/Judge of the _____ Court  X

In the Matter of the Application of



**JOINT ADULT
NAME CHANGE ORDER**

For Leave to Assume the Names of

INDEX NO.: _____ 



_____ X



Upon the petition of _____, verified the _____ day of _____, 20____, asking for leave to change their names from _____ to _____ and the court being satisfied that the petition is true and that there is no reasonable objection to the change of names proposed,



NOW, on motion of _____, Petitioners, it is hereby _____,



ORDERED, that the Petitioner husband _____, born on _____ in _____, whose Birth Certificate Number is _____, is hereby authorized to assume the name of _____ in place of his present name upon compliance with the provisions of this order, and it is further _____,



ORDERED, that the Petitioner wife _____, born on _____ in _____, whose Birth Certificate Number is _____, is hereby authorized to assume the name of _____ in place of her present name upon compliance with the provisions of this order, and it is further _____,



ORDERED, that this order shall be entered and the papers on which it was granted be filed, prior to the publication herein directed, in the Office of the Clerk of the County of _____, wherein Petitioners reside, and it is further _____

ORDERED, that at least once within sixty (60) days after the signing of this order, a notice in substantially the form below, shall be published in the



_____;



Notice is hereby given that an order entered by the _____¹ Court, _____² County, on _____, 20__ Index No. _____³, a copy of which may be examined at the Office of the County Clerk, located in _____⁴ County, at _____⁵, grants us the right to assume the names of _____⁶. Our present names are _____⁷. Our address is _____⁸. Petitioner Husband's place of birth is _____⁹ on _____¹⁰. Petitioner Wife's place of birth is _____¹¹ on _____¹²;

ORDERED, that within ninety (90) days of the signing of this order, an affidavit of publication as herein directed shall be filed in the Office of the Clerk of the County of _____, and it is further



ORDERED, that:

- The Office of the County Clerk serve by mail a copy of this Order upon the Division of Criminal Justice Services, Correspondence Unit, 4 Tower Place - 10th Floor, Albany, NY 12203-3764 within ten (10) days after this order is filed;
- A copy of this order be served by mail upon _____ at _____ within ten (10) days after this order is filed and that proof of service be filed within twenty (20) days thereafter; and it is further

ORDERED, that upon full compliance with the above provisions of this order, the _____, Petitioners shall be known by the names of _____, which they are hereby authorized to assume and by no other names.



DATED: _____, 20__ _____, New York



ENTERED:



Justice/Judge