

Cause Number: \_\_\_\_\_

(The clerk's office will fill in the cause number and court number when you file this form.)

**In the Interest of:**

(Print the full name the adult to be adopted.)

\_\_\_\_\_

**An Adult.**

In the \_\_\_\_\_  
Court Number

- District Court
- County Court at Law of:

\_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas

## Original Petition for Adoption of an Adult

My name is: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last

I am the **Petitioner**, the person asking the Court to order the adoption of the adult named below.

My driver's license was issued in (state) \_\_\_\_\_. The last three numbers of my driver's license number are: \_\_\_\_\_.

**Or**  I do not have a driver's license.

The last three numbers of my social security number are: \_\_\_\_\_.

**Or**  I do not have a social security number.

I am \_\_\_\_ years of age at the time of the filing of this *Petition*.

(Check one.)

I am not married.

**Or**  I am married. My spouse's information is below. My spouse and I bring this suit for adoption together and will be referred to in this document as "Petitioners."

My spouse's name is:

\_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last

My spouse is also the **Petitioner**, the person asking the Court to order the adoption of the adult named below.

My spouse's driver's license was issued in (state) \_\_\_\_\_. The last three numbers of my spouse's driver's license number are: \_\_\_\_\_.

**Or**  My spouse does not have a driver's license.

The last three numbers of my social security number are: \_\_\_\_\_.

**Or**  My spouse does not have a social security number.

My spouse is \_\_\_\_ years of age at the time of the filing of this *Petition*.

(Check one.)

I am not related to the adult.

I am related to the adult. I am the adult's: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Write your relationship to the adult.*

(Check one.)

My spouse is not related to the adult.

My spouse is related to the adult. My spouse is the adult's:

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Write the spouse's relationship to the adult.*

The Petitioner (or the Petitioners, who are spouses), reside at:

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Print your address here.*

## 1. Discovery Level.

The discovery level in this case, if needed, is Level 2.

## 2. Adult Adoptee.

The Petitioner(s) ask the Court to make orders about the following adult who is over the age of 18:

Adult's name

County and State where  
the adult lives now

## 3. Jurisdiction.

There are no court orders about the adult. No other Court has continuing jurisdiction over this case or the adult.

This court has authority to decide this case because the Petitioner resides (or Petitioners, if married, reside) in this county.

## 4. Consent of Adult Adoptee.

The consent of the adult to be adopted will be obtained and filed in this case.

## 5. Court-Ordered Relationships.

There are no court-ordered relationships over the Adult Adoptee subject of this suit at this time.

## 6. Personal Information of Adult Adoptee.

a. \_\_\_\_\_ is the Adult Adoptee subject of this suit.  
*Print Adult Adoptee's current legal name*

b. The name listed on Adult Adoptee's birth certificate is:

- c. Adult Adoptee's date of birth is: \_\_\_\_\_.  
Month Day Year
- d. Adult Adoptee's place of birth is: \_\_\_\_\_.  
City County State Country
- e. Adult Adoptee is: (Check one)  Male  Female
- f. Adult Adoptee's driver's license was issued in (state) \_\_\_\_\_. The last three numbers of Adult Adoptee's driver's license number are: \_\_\_\_\_.  
**Or**  Adult Adoptee does not have a driver's license.
- g. The last three numbers of Adult Adoptee's social security number are: \_\_\_\_\_.  
**Or**  Adult Adoptee does not have a social security number.

## 7. Request for Judgment.

I ask that the Court grant the adoption between the Petitioner(s) and the Adult Adoptee subject of this suit. Further, I ask the court to order the clerk to seal the file and minutes of the court, to make the orders I have asked for in this Petition, and any other orders to which I am entitled. I ask for general relief.

Respectfully,

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| <i>Petitioner's Signature</i>             | (    )<br><i>Phone number</i> |            |
| →<br><i>Petitioner's Printed Name</i>     | <i>Date</i>                   |            |
| <i>Petitioner's Mailing Address:</i>      |                               |            |
| <i>city</i>                               | <i>state</i>                  | <i>zip</i> |
| <i>Petitioner's Email Address:</i>        |                               |            |
| <i>Petitioner's Fax # (if available):</i> |                               |            |

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| <i>Petitioner's Email Address:</i>        |                               |            |
| <i>Petitioner's Fax # (if available):</i> |                               |            |

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**I understand that I must notify the Court in writing if my mailing address or email address changes during these proceedings.** If I don't, any notices about this case will be sent to me at the mailing address or email address on this form.

→ \_\_\_\_\_  
*Petitioner's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

→ \_\_\_\_\_  
*Petitioner's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*