

**STATE OF ILLINOIS  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 17<sup>TH</sup> JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
COUNTY OF WINNEBAGO**

CC-287

**IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF**

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

FILE STAMP

\_\_\_\_\_  
Minor's Current Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Parent/Guardian filing on behalf of the Minor

**NOTICE OF FILING PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE**

Notice is hereby given, that on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ .m., I will present a Petition requesting that the Court change his/her present name of \_\_\_\_\_, a minor, to the name of \_\_\_\_\_. The hearing will take place at Winnebago County Courthouse, 400 West State St. in Rockford, Illinois.

\_\_\_\_\_, a minor, by, \_\_\_\_\_  
(Minor's Name) (Signature of Parent/Guardian)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**ILLINOIS LAW REQUIRES THAT NOTICE OF THIS PETITION MUST BE GIVEN TO ANY PARENT WHOSE PARENTAL RIGHTS HAVE NOT BEEN TERMINATED OR TO ANY PERSON WHO HAS PHYSICAL CUSTODY OF THE MINOR NAMED IN THE PETITION.**

**CHOOSE ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:**

**NOTICE MAILED**

To: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Pursuant to 735 ILCS 5/1-109, I hereby swear or affirm under penalties of perjury that on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, I sent by United States Mail copies of both this Notice and the subject Petition for Name Change of a Minor, in a sealed envelope with postage fully prepaid, to the above named party at the address shown.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTICE TO BE MADE BY PUBLICATION**

(Only appropriate where parent/guardian's whereabouts are unknown, **and only with court approval.**)