Applicant’s Legal Name

Address

City, State Zip

Phone Number

Applicant, Self-Represented

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA**

**IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF PIMA**

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| In the matter of:  Applicant’s Legal Name | Case No.  **APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF NAME AND ORDER AMENDING BIRTH CERTIFICATE**  Hon. |

Applicant, Applicant’s Legal Name, born XX/XX/XXXX in XXXX, Arizona, a resident of XXXX County, Arizona, in support of his/her/their Application for Change of Name and Order Amending Birth Certificate, pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 12-601(A) and (C) and 36-337(A)(3)(a) and (4), allege(s) as follows:

1. Applicant is known as Applicant’s Requested Name and he/she/they wish(es) to have his/her/their legal name align with the name he/she/they currently use(s), specifically, Applicant’s Requested Name.
2. Applicant identifies as Applicant’s Requested Gender Marker and he/she/they wish(es) to have his/her/their legal gender marker align with his/her/their accurate gender marker, specifically, Applicant’s Requested Gender Marker.
3. Applicant wishes these changes and the order to avoid confusion; to update Applicant’s medical, financial, education, vital, and other records; and to permit Applicant to more easily conduct his/her/their daily affairs.
4. Applicant has not been convicted of a felony.
5. No felony charges are pending in any jurisdiction against Applicant for any offense under title 13, chapter 18, 20, 21, 22, 23 or 27 or any other offense involving false statements or misrepresentations about Applicant’s identity.
6. Applicant is not changing his/her/their name to that of another individual for the purpose of committing or furthering the commission of any offense under title 13, chapter 18, 20, 21, 22, 23 or 27 or any other offense involving false statements.
7. Applicant is making the application solely for the best interests of Applicant.
8. Applicant acknowledges that the change of name will not release Applicant from any obligations incurred or harm any rights of property or actions in Applicant’s original name.
9. Applicant further requests that Applicant’s birth certificate be amended to reflect Applicant’s name: Applicant’s Requested Name, and his/her/their gender marker: Applicant’s Requested Gender Marker.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that the Court:

1. Make a finding that the Court has considered the criteria prescribed in A.R.S. § 12-601(C);
2. Grant the Application for Change of Name and Order Amending Birth Certificate;
3. Enter an Order that Applicant’s present name of Applicant’s Legal Name is changed to Applicant’s Requested Name;
4. Enter an Order that the Arizona Department of Health Services Bureau of Vital Records shall amend Applicant’s birth certificate to reflect Applicant’s name: Applicant’s Requested Name;
5. Enter an Order that the Arizona Department of Health Services Bureau of Vital Records shall amend Applicant’s birth certificate to reflect Applicant’s gender marker: Applicant’s Requested Gender Marker; and
6. For such other and further relief as the Court deems just and appropriate under the circumstances.

**The undersigned swears or affirms that the statements set forth above are true and correct, subject to penalties of making a false affidavit or declaration, also known as perjury.**

DATED this day of , 202 .

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