

Original for Court Record

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_**

In the Matter of the Petition of



**STEPPARENT ADOPTION**

*Consent to Adoption by Parent in California  
Giving Custody to Husband or Wife  
or Domestic Partner of Other Parent*

\_\_\_\_\_

*Petitioner*

I, the undersigned, being the parent of \_\_\_\_\_

*Name of Child*

do hereby give my full and free consent to the adoption of said child by

\_\_\_\_\_ ,

*Name of Petitioner (Stepparent)*

*the petitioner herein, it being fully understood by me that with the signing of this document my consent may not be withdrawn except with court approval, and that with the signing of the order of adoption by the court, I shall give up all my rights of custody, services, and earnings of said child, and that said child cannot be reclaimed by me.*

Said child was born on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_

*Date*

*City and State*

and is the child of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

*Name of Birth Parent*

*Name of Birth Parent*

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

*Signature of Parent*

Signed in the presence of

\_\_\_\_\_

*\*Title*

*\*The Clerk of the Superior Court, the Probation Officer, or, where stepparent investigations are delegated to County Welfare Departments, a County Welfare Department Staff member may witness.*

**NOTICE TO THE BIRTH PARENT WHO CONSENTS TO THE CHILD'S ADOPTION:** *If you or your child lived together at any time as parent and child, the adoption of your child by a stepparent does not affect the child's right to inherit your property or the property of blood relatives. For further information regarding this right of inheritance, you should consult an attorney at your own expense.*

*This form to be used only when parent is giving custody of the child to the husband or wife or domestic partner, as defined in Family Code Section 297, of other parent. Original for court record.*