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- Instructions:**
- 1) The sole parent, a statutory parent or a guardian of the person of a minor child who is free for adoption as provided in C.G.S. sections 45a-724 and 45a-725 may use this form to petition for approval of an adoption of the minor child.
 - 2) The petition must be filed in duplicate (unless filed electronically) in the court for the probate district in which the adoptive parent resides or the district where the statutory parent is located.
 - 3) The following documents should be filed with the petition: (a) a birth certificate (long-form), (b) Adoption Agreement, PC-681, (c) Adoption Data Sheet, PC-68o, and (d) JD-FM-164, Affidavit Concerning Children. Also file Confidential Sheet, PC-603CI, to submit confidential social security numbers.
 - 4) For more information, see C.G.S. sections 45a-724 et seq. and Rule 40 of the Probate Court Rules of Procedure.
 - 5) Type or print in ink. Use an additional sheet, or PC-18o, if more space is needed.

Probate Court Name	District Number
In the Matter of (Name and present address)	M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> Date of Birth of Minor Child Place of Birth of Minor Child
Hereinafter referred to as the minor child	

Tribe and Reservation of Minor Child, if an Indian Child as defined by 25 U.S.C. section 1903 or by Pub. Act 23-113
(Name and address)

Jurisdiction based on: Adoptive parent resides in the probate district. Statutory parent has an office in the probate district.

Petitioner (Name, address and telephone number)

Sole parent of the minor child
 Statutory Parent
 Guardian of the person of the minor child

Adoptive Parent (s) (Name, address and telephone number)

THE PETITIONER REPRESENTS THAT to the best knowledge and belief:

There is no proceeding pending or contemplated in Connecticut or any other state affecting the custody of the minor child.

There is a proceeding pending or contemplated in Connecticut or any other state affecting the custody of the minor child, but the proposed adoption will not conflict with or interfere with the other proceeding. (File JD-FM-164, Affidavit Concerning Children, and state the nature of the proceeding in detail below.)

In the Matter of

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The minor child is free for adoption pursuant to C.G.S. section 45a-725.

- The petitioner is the sole parent of the minor child and
 - has entered into an Adoption Agreement for the adoption of the minor child with the adoptive parent who is the petitioner's spouse.
 - has entered into an Adoption Agreement for the adoption of the minor child with the adoptive parent, who is a person who shares parental responsibility for the child with the parent.
- The petitioner is the statutory parent for the minor child and has entered into an Adoption Agreement for the adoption of the minor child with the adoptive parent(s).
- The petitioner is a guardian of the person of the minor and has entered into an Adoption Agreement for the adoption of the minor with the adoptive parent(s), one of whom is a blood relative descended from a common ancestor not more than three generations removed from the minor child.

The adoption of the minor child by the adoptive parent (s) is in the best interest of the minor child.

WHEREFORE, THE PETITIONER REQUESTS that:

The court approve the Adoption Agreement submitted with the petition between the petitioner and the adoptive person(s).

- Change the name of the minor child to: _____.

The representations made in this petition are made under penalty of false statement.

Signature of Petitioner

Title, if applicable

Type or Print Name

Date

Consent of Minor Child

I, the undersigned minor child, being at least 12 years of age, consent to adoption by the proposed adoptive parent (s). C.G.S. section 45a-724.

Signature of Minor Child

Duly Acknowledged Before Me

Type or Print Name

Date

Judge, Clerk, Public Notary, Comm. Sup. Ct.
