

1                                    **IN THE PYRAMID LAKE TRIBAL COURT**  
2                                    **IN AND FOR THE PYRAMID LAKE INDIAN RESERVATION**  
3                                    **WASHOE COUNTY, NEVADA**  
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5 **IN THE APPLICATION OF:**                                    )  
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9 **PETITIONER.**                                    )  
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11 **FOR CHANGE OF NAME**                                    )  
12 **BY:**                                    )  
13 \_\_\_\_\_ )

Case No. PL.CV.NC.\_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_-

**PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

11 The Petition of \_\_\_\_\_, respectfully shows:

12 1. The change of name is for:

13 ( ) a. An Adult

14 ( ) b. A minor, whose natural or adopted parents are:

15 Mother: \_\_\_\_\_

16 Father: \_\_\_\_\_

17 2. That the Petitioner, \_\_\_\_\_, is an enrolled member of the  
18 \_\_\_\_\_ Tribe, is a resident of the Pyramid Lake Indian  
19 Reservation, County of Washoe, State of Nevada and is over the age of eighteen years,  
20 petitions this Court to change her/his name from \_\_\_\_\_  
21 to \_\_\_\_\_.

22 3. That the Petitioner was born on \_\_\_\_\_.

23 4. That jurisdiction is secured under 25 U.S.C., which provides jurisdiction over civil  
24 matters.

25 5. That the Petitioner's name is \_\_\_\_\_; that she/he  
26 desires to take another name from that which she/he now has, that the new name which  
27 she/he proposes to take and assume is \_\_\_\_\_; that the  
28 following reasons are:

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a. That she/he needs the change for legal documents, verification needed for medical records, school, etc.

b. For other personal reasons, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_  
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WHEREFORE, the Petitioner prays that the above-entitled Court enter its Order changing her/his name set forth in the foregoing Petition and that she/he have such other and further relief as the Court shall deem just and proper.

DONE AND DATED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
PETITIONER

**VERIFICATION**

STATE OF NEVADA )  
                                  ) ss  
COUNTY OF WASHOE )

I, \_\_\_\_\_, under penalty of perjury, make the following assertions: That I am the Petitioner or Parent/Guardian in the above-entitled action; that I have read the foregoing Petition for Change of Name and know the contents thereof; that the same is true of my own knowledge, except for those matters therein contained stated upon information and belief, and as to those matters, I believe them to be true.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Petitioner

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this \_\_\_\_\_, day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

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**AFFIDAVIT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, being first duly sworn on oath, affirm that I am the affiant in this cause that the statements made herein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, recollection and belief, as follows:

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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ AFFIANT: \_\_\_\_\_

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**\$30.00 FILING FEE FOR NAME CHANGE PETITION**

THE PERSON SIGNING THE NAME CHANGE PETITION MUST BE OVER 18, OR THE LEGAL GUARDIAN OR PARENT OF THE MINOR CHILD.

THE PETITION WILL BE POSTED FOR 20 DAYS AT THE NIXON & WADSWORTH POST OFFICES, TRIBAL BUILDING, THE COURT BUILDING AND P.L. FISHERIES; AFTER POSTING FOR 20 DAYS THE COURT WILL HOLD THE PETITION FOR 10 MORE DAYS FOR ANY PUBLIC COMMENT; ONCE THE 30 DAYS HAS PASSED THE COURT WILL SCHEDULE THIS MATTER FOR HEARING. ALL PARTIES WILL BE SWORN FOR TESTIMONY.

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