



CIRCUIT COURT FOR _____, MARYLAND
City/County

Located at _____ Case No. _____
Court Address

IN THE MATTER OF:

Petitioner's current legal name

FOR CHANGE OF NAME TO:

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION (ADULT)
(Md. Rule 15-901)

NOTES:

- Your name change request must be published in a general circulation newspaper in the county in which you live. This allows persons an opportunity to object to it.
- Please contact the clerk for information on arranging publication and the Certificate of Publication (form CC-DR-075) that is filed after publication. You must pay for the publication.
- If there is an objection to your name change, you have 15 days to file a response in writing with the court. If you want a hearing, include a Request for Hearing or Proceeding (form CC-DR-059).

The above petitioner has filed a Petition for Change of Name to change their name from

_____ to _____
Petitioner's current legal name Name petitioner wants to be known as

The petitioner is seeking a name change because:

[Empty rectangular box for name change reason]

Any person may file an objection to the Petition for Change of Name on or before _____.

The objection must be supported by an affidavit (written statement confirmed by oath or affirmation) and served on the petitioner (Md. Rule 1-321). If no timely objection is filed, the court may issue a judgment or grant the name change.

A copy of this notice must be published one time in a newspaper of general circulation in the county/city at least fifteen (15) days before the deadline to file an objection.

Clerk