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SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA IN MARICOPA COUNTY

In the Matter of the Adoption of _____

Case Number PB: _____

(Name of Adoptee)

DECREE OF ADOPTION

An Adult

The Court has read the sworn "**Petition for Approval of Adoption Agreement for an Adult and for Decree of Adoption**" and held a hearing to determine whether the Court should enter the Order requested in the Petition.

THE COURT FINDS:

1. Petitioner is entitled to file the Petition under Arizona law, A.R.S. §14-8101(A);
2. Petitioner has given "**Notice of Hearing**" as required by law or "**Notice of Hearing**" was waived by all interested parties;
3. Venue in this county is proper;
4. Any reports by a court investigator have been considered by the Court;
5. Pursuant to A.R.S. §14-8101(E), the Petition is in the best interest of the Adoptor, Adoptee, and the public.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. **ADOPTION FOR AN ADULT:** The Court issues this Decree approving the adoption for

_____, hereby decreed as the parent of
(Name of Adoptor)

_____, an adult.
(Name of Adoptee)

2. NO NAME CHANGE

The legal name of the Adoptee will remain unchanged.

3. NAME CHANGE

The current legal name of the Adoptee:

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First

Middle

Last

Date of Birth: _____
Month / Day / Year

Place of Birth: _____
City State Nation

IS CHANGED TO:

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First

Middle

Last

4. For a person born in the State of Arizona, the Office of Vital Records is ordered to amend the birth record to reflect the adoption and new name as above ordered.

For a person born in any other state, to the extent that the agency that maintains birth records in that state is authorized to honor an order of this Court, that agency is requested or ordered to amend its birth records to reflect the adoption and new name as above ordered.

5. This Order does not release the Adoptee from any obligations incurred or harm any rights of property action in any original name.

6. Other orders: _____

DONE IN OPEN COURT: _____
Date

Judicial Officer