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In the [] District [] Juvenile Court of Utah

_____ Judicial District _____ County

Court Address _____

In the Matter of the Adoption of

(name of person being adopted)

Father's Agreement to Adoption and Waiver of Rights

(Utah Code 81-13-212 to 214)

Case Number _____

Judge _____

Commissioner _____

Notice to Father:

Do not sign this document without reading it. Do not sign it unless everything it says is true and correct.

Sign it only in front of:

- a notary public or
- a judge of the Utah District Court or the Utah Juvenile Court or
- someone appointed by the judge. If you sign in front of a person appointed by a judge, your signature must also be witnessed by two people who are not immediate family members of the birth mother or the minor who will be adopted.

If you have any questions, talk with a lawyer.

- If you sign this paper, you will not be told about court hearings or get court papers about this adoption. You will not be able to give the court your own papers asking to

take part in this case.

- If you disagree with the adoption and want to take part in the case, file a motion to intervene with this court. You must file the motion within 30 days after you got the Notice of Petition to Adopt. (Forms and instructions are available at: utcourts.gov/adopt)



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1. I am the father of the child who is being adopted. I have the mental capacity to agree to this adoption.
2. No one is forcing me to sign this.
3. I understand that by signing this that I am giving up all of my rights and responsibilities as parent of my child. This means I may not be able to:
 - visit my child
 - provide my child with personal guidance and care
 - participate in decisions about my child's health, education, welfare and moral upbringing
 - act on my child's behalf
 - inherit from my child and the right of my child to inherit from me
 - do other things that parents are allowed to do
4. I understand that if my child is adopted, I will not have any parental rights or responsibilities for my child.
5. I understand that if my child is adopted:
 - the adopting parents will be my child's legal parents.
 - my child will be the adopting parents' child.
 - my child may take the adopting parents' last name.
6. I understand and voluntarily waive my right to be notified of hearings and served with papers in this adoption. I voluntarily waive my right to participate any further in this adoption.
7. I understand and voluntarily agree that my child be adopted.

Date

Signature ►

Printed Name of the Father

Option 1. Signature witnessed by notary public.

On this date, I certify that _____ (name)
who is known to me or who presented satisfactory identification, in the form of _____
(form of identification), has, while in my
presence and while under oath or affirmation, voluntarily signed this document and declared that it is true.

Date
Signature ► _____
Printed name (Court Clerk or Notary Public) _____
Notary Seal

Option 2. Signature witnessed by judge.

On this date, I certify that _____ (name)
who is known to me or who presented satisfactory identification, in the form of _____
(form of identification), has, while in my
presence and while under oath or affirmation, voluntarily signed this document and declared that it is true.

Date
Signature ► _____
Printed name of judge _____

Option 3. Signature witnessed by judge's appointee and two witnesses.

On this date, we certify that _____
(name) who is known to us or who presented satisfactory identification, in the form of _____
(form of identification), has, while in
our presence and while under oath or affirmation, voluntarily signed this document and declared that it is
true.

Date
Signature ► _____
Printed name of judge's appointee _____

Date
Signature ► _____
Printed name of first witness _____

Date
Signature ► _____
Printed name of second witness _____