

**IN THE TRIAL COURT OF THE
SAC & FOX TRIBE OF THE MISSISSIPPI IN IOWA COURT
MESKWAKI SETTLEMENT**

In the Matter of the Petition of _____ and _____ To adopt _____ Date of Birth: _____.	PETITION FOR ADOPTION Court Case No. _____
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→ IMPORTANT: Attach Certified Copy of the Child’s Birth Certificate to this Petition

Petitioner(s), upon his/her oath or affirmation, represent to the Court that:

1. PETITIONER(S)

	Petitioner “A”	Petitioner “B”
Full Name(s)	_____	_____
Date of Birth	_____	_____
Place of Birth	_____	_____
Address	_____	_____
City, State, Zip	_____	_____
Telephone	_____	_____
Tribal Enrollment	_____	_____
Occupation	_____	_____
Marital Status*	_____	_____

****If married, attach Certified Copy of Marriage License or other form of recognition of a solemnized marriage***

2. CHILD: Petitioner(s) desires to adopt:

Full Name	_____
Residence	_____
Date of Birth	_____
Place of Birth	_____
Sex	_____
Natural Mother	_____
Natural Father	_____
Enrollment Status	_____

Said above child owns no real estate, savings or bank accounts, bonds, securities or personal property other than clothing and personal effects of inconsequential market value. YES NO

3. CUSTODY

Petitioner(s), either jointly or individually, had physical custody of the child during the following periods of time: _____.

4. ADOPTION

Petitioner(s) desires that the relationship of parent and child be established between Petitioner(s) and said Child. This is in the best interests of the Child and will be the best means to secure the child’s sense of belonging to family, clan and Tribe. The Petitioner(s) freely undertakes the obligation fully to support and care for said Child until the Child’s maturity.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner(s) requests a decree of adoption of the Child by Petitioner(s) and for a change of the Child's name to _____.

Signature of Petitioner(s) or Representative

Mailing Address for all information regarding this Petition

Contact #

STOP! ** WAIT TO SIGN UNTIL BEFORE A NOTARY ******

SAC & FOX TRIBE OF THE MISSISSIPPI IN IOWA)) ss.
STATE OF IOWA)

I, _____ have read the Petition for Adoption and swear or affirm that the information stated therein is true and correct.

Petitioner “A”

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
___ day, of _____, 20__.

Signature of Notary Public or Other Official

SAC & FOX TRIBE OF THE MISSISSIPPI IN IOWA)) ss.
STATE OF IOWA)

I, _____ have read the Petition for Adoption and swear or affirm that the information stated therein is true and correct.

Petitioner “B”

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
___ day, of _____, 20__.

Signature of Notary Public or Other Official