

STATE OF MAINE

PROBATE COURT

COUNTY OF Cumberland Portland

Location of Court

DOCKET NO. _____

In the Matter of the Adoption Petition of:

ORDER OF NOTICE ON PUTATIVE FATHER

(Name of Adoptee)

Upon the Affidavit of _____ ,
the birth mother of _____ (name of child) and
upon _____
a review of the birth record of said child, with this Court, I FIND that:

1. The putative father's name is: unknown
2. The mother was not married at the time this child was conceived or born.
3. The putative father is is not named in the birth record.
4. The putative father does does not know that he is the father of this child.

I FIND that the putative father's whereabouts are known. WHEREFORE I ORDER, pursuant to 19
MRSA § 1111 (2) that notice be given to the putative father whose name is _____
by _____ (method of service).

I FIND that the putative father's whereabouts are unknown. WHEREFORE I ORDER, pursuant to 19
MRSA § 1111(2) that notice be given by publication in _____
Guam (place of publication)

I FIND that the putative father's whereabouts are unknown and that the birth mother of the child does
not know or refuses to tell the Court who the birth father is. WHEREFORE I ORDER, pursuant to 19
MRSA § 1111 (2) that notice be given by publication in _____
(place of publication).

I FIND that the putative father's whereabouts are unknown and that the birth mother of the child does
not know or refuses to tell the Court who the birth father is. WHEREFORE I ORDER, pursuant to 19
MRSA § 1111(2) that notice by publication be given in _____

a newspaper of general circulation where the petition is filed mother became pregnant
 putative father is most likely to be located. I FURTHER ORDER that the names of the birth mother and
child be specified in the notice.

Other findings: _____

Dated: _____

Judge of Probate

NOTE: All references to 19 MRSA § 9-201 (b) effective October 1, 1997.