

STATE OF MAINE

PROBATE COURT

County: _____

Docket No. _____

DISTRICT COURT

LOCATION: _____

Docket No. _____

In the Matter of the Adoption Petition of:

Name of Adoptee

**CONFIDENTIAL STATEMENT TO
ACCOMPANY PETITION FOR ADOPTION**

| | Adopting Parent 1 | Adopting Parent 2 |
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| 1. Have you ever adopted another child? How many and when were they adopted? | | |
| 2. Are there other minor children in your home now? How many? Their ages? | | |
| 3. Are you legally responsible for any children not living in your home? How many? | | |
| 4. If you are responsible for any child support payments, are you current in those payments? | | |
| 5. Have you ever been a party to a protective custody proceeding, in any state, where there were allegations that you abused or neglected a child? | | |
| 6. What is your current occupation? How long have you had it? | | |
| 7. What is your current annual salary? | | |
| 8. Do you own or rent your home? How long have you lived there? | | |
| 9. If you rent, what is your monthly rent payment? | | |
| 10. If you own, what is your monthly mortgage payment? | | |
| 11. If you own your home, what is it worth, and how much, if any, is the mortgage on it? | | |

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| 12. Have you ever been convicted of a crime punishable by a term of one year or more of imprisonment? | | |
| 13. Have you ever been convicted of a crime of violence? | | |
| 14. Have you ever had a Protection from Abuse or Protection from Harassment final order against you? | | |
| 15. Are there any criminal or civil charges pending against you in any court? | | |
| 16. What is the highest grade from which you graduated in school? | | |
| 17. Are you currently involved in a bankruptcy or insolvency proceeding in which your debts to others may be affected? | | |
| 18. List all legal residences you have had during the past five years. | | |
| 19. List your current employer's name and address. | | |
| 20. List the name(s) and address(es) of your employers during the past five years. | | |

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| 21. How many times have you been married? | | |
| 22. Have you ever been divorced? If so, attach copies of all divorce decrees. | | |
| 23. If you are married, when did you marry your current spouse? | | |
| 24. If you are not married, how long have you been living with your partner? | | |
| 25. Have you ever had an application to adopt a child denied by a court or a public or private agency? | | |

Add here any explanation of any one of the foregoing answers that you wish to explain to the court and any other information that you feel may assist the court in determining whether it should grant this adoption:

Dated: _____

 Petitioner (Adopting Parent 1)

Dated: _____

 Petitioner (Adopting Parent 2)