

**STATE OF MAINE**

PROBATE COURT

County: \_\_\_\_\_

Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_

DISTRICT COURT

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_

**In the Matter of the Adoption Petition of:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Name of Adoptee*

**NOTICE OF COMPLETION**

18-C M.R.S. § 9-308(4)

THIS NOTICE IS DIRECTED TO: \_\_\_\_\_

Name

\_\_\_\_\_

Address

PLEASE NOTE: Upon completion of an adoption proceeding, biological parents who consented to an adoption or who executed a surrender and release must be notified of the completion by regular mail at their last known addresses. Notice under this subsection is not required to a biological parent who is also a petitioner. When the biological parents' rights have been terminated pursuant to Title 22, section 4055, the notice must be given to the Maine Department of Health and Human Services, and the Department shall notify the biological parents of the completion by regular mail at their last known addresses. Actual receipt of the notice is not a precondition of completion and does not affect the rights or responsibilities of adoptees or adoptive parents.

You are hereby NOTIFIED that a Petition for Adoption regarding the above-named adoptee was granted by this Court on \_\_\_\_\_, and you are entitled to notice of completion. Please keep this Court informed of any change of your name or address.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Register, Probate Court  
Clerk, Maine District Court