

Name and/or Gender Change (Minor)

Step 1	<p>Complete the following forms in blue or black ink:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CM-010 Civil Case Cover Sheet <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NC-500 Petition for Recognition of Minor’s Change of Gender and Sex Identifier and for Issuance of New Birth Certificate (and Change of Name) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NC-110 Name and Information About the Person Whose Name is to be Changed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NC-520 Order to Show Cause – Recognition of Minor’s Change of Gender and Issuance of New Birth Certificate (and Change of Name) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NC-530 Order Recognizing Minor’s Change of Gender and Sex Identifier and for Issuance of New Birth Certificate and Decree Changing Name <input type="checkbox"/> MC-030 Declaration re: Unable to Serve Other Parent (unneeded if parents are filing together)
Step 2	<p>Copies: Make 2 copies of all of the forms, in addition to the original.</p>
<p>Step 3</p> <p>There is a filing fee, unless the fee is waived.</p>	<p>File in the Probate Clerk’s Office (room 107) at the courthouse located at:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">191 North First Street, San Jose, CA 95113</p> <p>The Clerk’s Office opens at 8:30am Monday-Friday, closing times are subject to change, visit www.scscourt.org or call 408-882-2100 for current office hours.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Bring your forms (originals and all copies), (2) a self-addressed stamped envelope, and (3) a check for the filing fee or, if you cannot afford the fees, an application for fee waiver to the Clerk’s Office. (4) You will be given a court date about 8 weeks out. <i>Note: There is a fee for each certified copy requested.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> If you <u>are not</u> asking for a fee waiver, you will pay the filing fee and get copies back with a file-stamp. <input type="checkbox"/> If you <u>are</u> asking for a fee waiver, there is a 24 to 48 hour hold on the papers. During that time, the Judge will determine if the filing fee will be waived. The clerk will tell you when to come back to pick up your forms.
Step 4	<p>Service on the Other Parent:</p> <p>If both parents sign the Petition, skip to Step 5. If the other parent(s) did not sign the Petition and you completed form NC-520, then you must serve the other parent(s) as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> If the Parent lives in California, you must a copy of have the file-stamped Petition (NC-500) and the Order to Show Cause (NC-520) PERSONALLY served to the other parent(s) at least 30 days before your hearing date or 30 days from the date the court issued NC-520, use whichever date occurred earlier. <i>“Personal service”</i> means someone, not you, who is an adult, must hand deliver a copy of the forms to the other parent. <input type="checkbox"/> If the Parent lives outside of California, you must a copy of have the file-stamped Petition (NC-500) and the Order to Show Cause (NC-520) served by MAIL to the other parent(s) at least 35 days before your hearing date or 35 days from the date the court

	<p>issued NC-520, use whichever date occurred earlier. “<i>Mail service</i>” means someone, not you, who is an adult, must mail a copy of the forms to the other parent.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> If you do not know where the other parent(s) lives or how to find them, then you need to fill out and file a Request to Dispense with Notice of the other parent(s). Whoever delivers (“serves”) the forms must complete & sign the Proof of Service form (NC-121). This must be filed with the Clerk’s at least 5 days before the scheduled court date.</p>
Step 5	<p>What happens next:</p> <p>No objection is filed: Generally, you will not need to attend your hearing date if an objection is not filed. A staff member the Clerk’s Office will contact you regarding what is expected from you. Make sure the court record is updated with your current phone number.</p> <p>Objection is filed: If an objection is filed, you should attend your Court hearing. At the hearing, the Judge may sign the <i>Order Recognizing Minor’s Change of Gender and Sex Identifier and for Issuance of New Birth Certificate and Decree Changing Name (form NC-530)</i>. After the hearing, take your signed Order to the Probate Clerk’s Office (room 107) for filing. You may purchase certified copies of your signed decree for additional cost.</p>

WHAT DO I DO AFTER I GET THE MINOR’S NAME AND GENDER CHANGE DECREE?

You may want to amend their birth record with their new name and gender. To do this, contact the Office of Vital Records if they were born in California. You can get more information at <http://www.cdph.ca.gov>.

If they weren’t born in California, check with the Office of Vital Records in the State where they were born.

HOW CAN I GET HELP?

Here are some ways to get help:

- Go to <http://www.calbar.ca.gov/Public>, then click on “Lawyer Referral services” to hire or consult with a private attorney.
- For free legal advice and information, see our “Do-It-Yourself Resources” flyer. Go to www.scscourt.org, click on “Self-Help” then “Self-Help Flyers”.
- The Self Help Center/Family Law Facilitator – See our information flyer:
 - **Contact us:** Go to www.scscourt.org then click “**Contact the Self Help Center**”. Walk-in assistance is limited to emergencies so contact us remotely first.
 - **Obtain Forms:** Go to www.scscourt.org then click “**Complete Forms at Home**”
 - **Form Review:** Email your forms as a PDF file to SHCDocReview@scscourt.org.
 - Note: We **cannot** help people who have attorneys.

Superior Court, County of Santa Clara
Self Help Center/Family Law Facilitator’s Office
 201 N. First Street, San Jose, CA 95113
 408-882-2926

BLANKS

Minor Name and Gender Change

Please complete the following forms in blue or blank ink.

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY (Name, State Bar number, and address):

Your Name: _____
 Your Street Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

TELEPHONE NO.: _____ FAX NO. (Optional): _____
 E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

ATTORNEY FOR (Name): **Self-Represented**

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF
 STREET ADDRESS: 191 North First Street
 MAILING ADDRESS: 191 North First Street
 CITY AND ZIP CODE: San Jose, CA 95113
 BRANCH NAME: Civil Division

CASE NAME: **Name/Gender Change Petition of:**

CIVIL CASE COVER SHEET <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unlimited (Amount demanded exceeds \$25,000) <input type="checkbox"/> Limited (Amount demanded is \$25,000 or less)	Complex Case Designation <input type="checkbox"/> Counter <input type="checkbox"/> Joinder Filed with first appearance by defendant (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 3.402)	CASE NUMBER:
		JUDGE: DEPT.:

Items 1–6 below must be completed (see instructions on page 2).

1. Check **one** box below for the case type that best describes this case:

Auto Tort <input type="checkbox"/> Auto (22) <input type="checkbox"/> Uninsured motorist (46) Other PI/PD/WD (Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death) Tort <input type="checkbox"/> Asbestos (04) <input type="checkbox"/> Product liability (24) <input type="checkbox"/> Medical malpractice (45) <input type="checkbox"/> Other PI/PD/WD (23) Non-PI/PD/WD (Other) Tort <input type="checkbox"/> Business tort/unfair business practice (07) <input type="checkbox"/> Civil rights (08) <input type="checkbox"/> Defamation (13) <input type="checkbox"/> Fraud (16) <input type="checkbox"/> Intellectual property (19) <input type="checkbox"/> Professional negligence (25) <input type="checkbox"/> Other non-PI/PD/WD tort (35) Employment <input type="checkbox"/> Wrongful termination (36) <input type="checkbox"/> Other employment (15)	Contract <input type="checkbox"/> Breach of contract/warranty (06) <input type="checkbox"/> Rule 3.740 collections (09) <input type="checkbox"/> Other collections (09) <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance coverage (18) <input type="checkbox"/> Other contract (37) Real Property <input type="checkbox"/> Eminent domain/Inverse condemnation (14) <input type="checkbox"/> Wrongful eviction (33) <input type="checkbox"/> Other real property (26) Unlawful Detainer <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial (31) <input type="checkbox"/> Residential (32) <input type="checkbox"/> Drugs (38) Judicial Review <input type="checkbox"/> Asset forfeiture (05) <input type="checkbox"/> Petition re: arbitration award (11) <input type="checkbox"/> Writ of mandate (02) <input type="checkbox"/> Other judicial review (39)	Provisionally Complex Civil Litigation (Cal. Rules of Court, rules 3.400–3.403) <input type="checkbox"/> Antitrust/Trade regulation (03) <input type="checkbox"/> Construction defect (10) <input type="checkbox"/> Mass tort (40) <input type="checkbox"/> Securities litigation (28) <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental/Toxic tort (30) <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance coverage claims arising from the above listed provisionally complex case types (41) Enforcement of Judgment <input type="checkbox"/> Enforcement of judgment (20) Miscellaneous Civil Complaint <input type="checkbox"/> RICO (27) <input type="checkbox"/> Other complaint (not specified above) (42) Miscellaneous Civil Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership and corporate governance (21) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other petition (not specified above) (43)
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2. This case is is not complex under rule 3.400 of the California Rules of Court. If the case is complex, mark the factors requiring exceptional judicial management:

a. Large number of separately represented parties d. Large number of witnesses
 b. Extensive motion practice raising difficult or novel issues that will be time-consuming to resolve e. Coordination with related actions pending in one or more courts in other counties, states, or countries, or in a federal court
 c. Substantial amount of documentary evidence f. Substantial postjudgment judicial supervision

3. Remedies sought (check all that apply): a. monetary b. nonmonetary; declaratory or injunctive relief c. punitive

4. Number of causes of action (specify): _____

5. This case is is not a class action suit.

6. If there are any known related cases, file and serve a notice of related case. (You may use form CM-015.)

Date: _____

 (TYPE OR PRINT NAME) _____
 (SIGNATURE OF PARTY OR ATTORNEY FOR PARTY)

NOTICE

- Plaintiff must file this cover sheet with the first paper filed in the action or proceeding (except small claims cases or cases filed under the Probate Code, Family Code, or Welfare and Institutions Code). (Cal. Rules of Court, rule 3.220.) Failure to file may result in sanctions.
- File this cover sheet in addition to any cover sheet required by local court rule.
- If this case is complex under rule 3.400 et seq. of the California Rules of Court, you must serve a copy of this cover sheet on all other parties to the action or proceeding.
- Unless this is a collections case under rule 3.740 or a complex case, this cover sheet will be used for statistical purposes only.

INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO COMPLETE THE COVER SHEET

CM-010

To Plaintiffs and Others Filing First Papers. If you are filing a first paper (for example, a complaint) in a civil case, you **must** complete and file, along with your first paper, the Civil Case Cover Sheet contained on page 1. This information will be used to compile statistics about the types and numbers of cases filed. You must complete items 1 through 6 on the sheet. In item 1, you must check **one** box for the case type that best describes the case. If the case fits both a general and a more specific type of case listed in item 1, check the more specific one. If the case has multiple causes of action, check the box that best indicates the **primary** cause of action. To assist you in completing the sheet, examples of the cases that belong under each case type in item 1 are provided below. A cover sheet must be filed only with your initial paper. Failure to file a cover sheet with the first paper filed in a civil case may subject a party, its counsel, or both to sanctions under rules 2.30 and 3.220 of the California Rules of Court.

To Parties in Rule 3.740 Collections Cases. A "collections case" under rule 3.740 is defined as an action for recovery of money owed in a sum stated to be certain that is not more than \$25,000, exclusive of interest and attorney's fees, arising from a transaction in which property, services, or money was acquired on credit. A collections case does not include an action seeking the following: (1) tort damages, (2) punitive damages, (3) recovery of real property, (4) recovery of personal property, or (5) a prejudgment writ of attachment. The identification of a case as a rule 3.740 collections case on this form means that it will be exempt from the general time-for-service requirements and case management rules, unless a defendant files a responsive pleading. A rule 3.740 collections case will be subject to the requirements for service and obtaining a judgment in rule 3.740.

To Parties in Complex Cases. In complex cases only, parties must also use the Civil Case Cover Sheet to designate whether the case is complex. If a plaintiff believes the case is complex under rule 3.400 of the California Rules of Court, this must be indicated by completing the appropriate boxes in items 1 and 2. If a plaintiff designates a case as complex, the cover sheet must be served with the complaint on all parties to the action. A defendant may file and serve no later than the time of its first appearance a joinder in the plaintiff's designation, a counter-designation that the case is not complex, or, if the plaintiff has made no designation, a designation that the case is complex.

CASE TYPES AND EXAMPLES

Auto Tort

- Auto (22)—Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death
- Uninsured Motorist (46) *(if the case involves an uninsured motorist claim subject to arbitration, check this item instead of Auto)*

Other PI/PD/WD (Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death) Tort

- Asbestos (04)
- Asbestos Property Damage
- Asbestos Personal Injury/Wrongful Death
- Product Liability *(not asbestos or toxic/environmental)* (24)
- Medical Malpractice (45)
- Medical Malpractice—Physicians & Surgeons
- Other Professional Health Care Malpractice
- Other PI/PD/WD (23)
- Premises Liability (e.g., slip and fall)
- Intentional Bodily Injury/PD/WD (e.g., assault, vandalism)
- Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress
- Negligent Infliction of Emotional Distress
- Other PI/PD/WD

Non-PI/PD/WD (Other) Tort

- Business Tort/Unfair Business Practice (07)
- Civil Rights (e.g., discrimination, false arrest) *(not civil harassment)* (08)
- Defamation (e.g., slander, libel) (13)
- Fraud (16)
- Intellectual Property (19)
- Professional Negligence (25)
- Legal Malpractice
- Other Professional Malpractice *(not medical or legal)*
- Other Non-PI/PD/WD Tort (35)

Employment

- Wrongful Termination (36)
- Other Employment (15)

Contract

- Breach of Contract/Warranty (06)
- Breach of Rental/Lease
- Contract *(not unlawful detainer or wrongful eviction)*
- Contract/Warranty Breach—Seller Plaintiff *(not fraud or negligence)*
- Negligent Breach of Contract/Warranty
- Other Breach of Contract/Warranty
- Collections (e.g., money owed, open book accounts) (09)
- Collection Case—Seller Plaintiff
- Other Promissory Note/Collections Case
- Insurance Coverage *(not provisionally complex)* (18)
- Auto Subrogation
- Other Coverage
- Other Contract (37)
- Contractual Fraud
- Other Contract Dispute

Real Property

- Eminent Domain/Inverse Condemnation (14)
- Wrongful Eviction (33)
- Other Real Property (e.g., quiet title) (26)
- Writ of Possession of Real Property
- Mortgage Foreclosure
- Quiet Title
- Other Real Property *(not eminent domain, landlord/tenant, or foreclosure)*

Unlawful Detainer

- Commercial (31)
- Residential (32)
- Drugs (38) *(if the case involves illegal drugs, check this item; otherwise, report as Commercial or Residential)*

Judicial Review

- Asset Forfeiture (05)
- Petition Re: Arbitration Award (11)
- Writ of Mandate (02)
- Writ—Administrative Mandamus
- Writ—Mandamus on Limited Court Case Matter
- Writ—Other Limited Court Case Review
- Other Judicial Review (39)
- Review of Health Officer Order
- Notice of Appeal—Labor Commissioner Appeals

Provisionally Complex Civil Litigation (Cal. Rules of Court Rules 3.400–3.403)

- Antitrust/Trade Regulation (03)
- Construction Defect (10)
- Claims Involving Mass Tort (40)
- Securities Litigation (28)
- Environmental/Toxic Tort (30)
- Insurance Coverage Claims *(arising from provisionally complex case type listed above)* (41)

Enforcement of Judgment

- Enforcement of Judgment (20)
- Abstract of Judgment (Out of County)
- Confession of Judgment *(non-domestic relations)*
- Sister State Judgment
- Administrative Agency Award *(not unpaid taxes)*
- Petition/Certification of Entry of Judgment on Unpaid Taxes
- Other Enforcement of Judgment Case

Miscellaneous Civil Complaint

- RICO (27)
- Other Complaint *(not specified above)* (42)
- Declaratory Relief Only
- Injunctive Relief Only *(non-harassment)*
- Mechanics Lien
- Other Commercial Complaint Case *(non-tort/non-complex)*
- Other Civil Complaint *(non-tort/non-complex)*

Miscellaneous Civil Petition

- Partnership and Corporate Governance (21)
- Other Petition *(not specified above)* (43)
- Civil Harassment
- Workplace Violence
- Elder/Dependent Adult Abuse
- Election Contest
- Petition for Name Change
- Petition for Relief From Late Claim
- Other Civil Petition

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY STATE BAR NUMBER: _____ NAME: _____ FIRM NAME: _____ STREET ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ STATE: CA ZIP CODE: _____ TELEPHONE NO.: _____ FAX NO.: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____ ATTORNEY FOR (name): Self-Represented	FOR COURT USE ONLY
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Santa Clara STREET ADDRESS: 191 North First Street MAILING ADDRESS: 191 North First Street CITY AND ZIP CODE: San Jose, CA 95113 BRANCH NAME: Civil Division	
PETITION OF (name of each petitioner): _____	

PETITION FOR RECOGNITION OF MINOR'S CHANGE OF GENDER AND SEX IDENTIFIER AND FOR ISSUANCE OF NEW BIRTH CERTIFICATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AND CHANGE OF NAME	CASE NUMBER: _____
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Use this form only for a petition relating to a minor. (Petitioners 18 years or older must use form NC-300.) Before completing this petition, read the *Instructions for Filing Petition for Recognition of Minor's Change of Gender and Sex Identifier* (form NC-500-INFO).

- If you are seeking a name change in addition to recognition of gender change, complete items 8 or 9. If you are only seeking recognition of gender change, skip these items.
- If the petition is being brought by a guardian, an attorney appointed as guardian ad litem for a dependent minor (Welf. & Inst. Code, § 326.5), or an attorney for a minor under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court (Welf. & Inst. Code, § 601 or 602), you must also complete *Declaration of Guardian or Juvenile Attorney* (form NC-510G).

INFORMATION ABOUT PETITIONER

1. This request is being made by (minor's present name): _____ and (check one of the following)
 - a. parent or parents (names): _____
 - b. guardian (name): _____
 - c. attorney for minor under jurisdiction of juvenile court (name): _____
 - d. near relative or friend (check only if all parents of minor are deceased and no guardian has been appointed)
 Name and relationship to minor: _____
2. Petitioning minor either is a California resident or seeks a change to a California birth certificate.
3. Parents of minor (check one item below)
 - a. The minor has no living parent.
 - b. The minor has no living parent other than the parent or parents who have signed this petition.
 - c. Neither the minor nor the adult petitioner has any information about whether any non-signing parent is living.
 - d. The minor has one or more living parents who have not signed the petition (specify names and addresses):
 Parent's Name: _____ Address: _____
 Parent's Name: _____ Address: _____
- Continued (Check this box if you need additional space. Attach a sheet of paper and write "Attachment 3d" for a title.)
4. (Check if petition is filed by a guardian or attorney appointed for minor under jurisdiction of juvenile court.)
 This petition is supported by the information contained in attached *Declaration of Guardian or Juvenile Attorney* (form NC-510G).

REQUEST FOR RECOGNITION OF CHANGE OF GENDER AND SEX IDENTIFIER

5. Petitioners request a decree recognizing that minor's gender and sex identifier is changed to:
 - a. female.
 - b. male.
 - c. nonbinary.

PETITION OF <i>(name of each petitioner)</i> :	CASE NUMBER:
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- 6. *(Check if petition does not include the signature of all living parents.)* Petitioners request that the court issue an order on form NC-520 directing any living parent who did not sign this petition to file written objections to show cause why this petition for recognition of minor's change of gender and sex identifier should not be granted. (Form NC-520 is filed along with this document.)
- 7. *(Check if petition is filed by a guardian or guardian ad litem for minor, and all parents are deceased or cannot be located.)* Petitioners request that the court issue an order on form NC-520 directing that any living grandparent file written objections to show cause why this petition for recognition of minor's change of gender and sex identifier should not be granted. (Form NC-520 is filed along with this document.)

REQUEST FOR CHANGE OF NAME

- 8. A decree of change of name for the minor has already been obtained, and a certified copy of the decree is attached.
- 9. Petitioners request that the court decree that, to conform to minor's gender identity, the minor's name is changed to *(proposed name)*:
 - a. Petitioners provide the additional required information in support of this request for name change on the attached *Name and Information About the Person Whose Name Is to Be Changed* (form NC-110).
 - b. This is the right court for the petition to change name because minor *(check (1) or (2))*
 - (1) is a resident of this county.
 - (2) does not reside in California and wants to change their birth certificate that was issued in this county.
 - c. Petitioners request that the court issue an order on form NC-520 directing all interested persons to file written objections to show cause why the petition for change of name should not be granted. (Form NC-520 is filed along with this document.)
- 10. Petitioners request the court to order that a new birth certificate be issued reflecting the recognition of gender change and any name change sought by this petition.
- 11. Number of pages attached *(specify number)*: -1-

DECLARATION

I *(minor's present name)*: _____ declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of California that the request for a change in gender to *(check one)* female male nonbinary is to conform my legal gender to my gender identity and is not for any fraudulent purpose.

Date: _____ <small>(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF MINOR)</small>	▶	_____ <small>(SIGNATURE OF MINOR)</small>
Date: _____ <small>(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF PETITIONING ADULT and RELATIONSHIP TO MINOR)</small>	▶	_____ <small>(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONING ADULT)</small>
Date: _____ <small>(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF PETITIONING ADULT and RELATIONSHIP TO MINOR)</small>	▶	_____ <small>(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONING ADULT)</small>
Date: _____ <small>(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF PETITIONING ADULT and RELATIONSHIP TO MINOR)</small>	▶	_____ <small>(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONING ADULT)</small>
Date: _____ <small>(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY)</small>	▶	_____ <small>(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONER'S ATTORNEY)</small>

PETITION OF <i>(name of petitioner or petitioners):</i>	CASE NUMBER:
FOR CHANGE OF NAME	

**NAME AND INFORMATION ABOUT THE PERSON
WHOSE NAME IS TO BE CHANGED**

Attachment of

Attachment to Petition (form NC-100, form NC-300, or form NC-500)

(You must use a separate attachment for each person whose name is to be changed. If petitioner is a guardian of a minor, a declaration of guardian (form NC-110G) must also be completed and attached for each minor whose name is to be changed.)

7. (Continued) Petitioner applies for a decree to change the name of the following person:

- b. Self Other
- (1) Present name *(specify):*
 - (2) Proposed name *(specify):*
 - (3) Born on *(date of birth):*
and presently under 18 years of age 18 years of age or older
 - (4) Born at *(place of birth):*
 - (5) Sex *(as stated on original birth certificate):* Male Female
 - (6) Current residence address *(street, city, county, state, and zip code):*

c. Reason for name change *(explain):*

d. Relationship of the petitioner to the person whose name will be changed:

- (1) Self
- (2) Parent
- (3) Guardian
- (4) Guardian ad litem or attorney for minor appointed by juvenile court
- (5) Near relative *(indicate relationship):*
- (6) Other *(specify):*

e. If the person whose name will be changed is under 18 years of age, provide the names and addresses, if known, of the following persons:

- (1) Parent *(name):* _____ *(address):* _____
- (2) Parent *(name):* _____ *(address):* _____
- (3) *(Only if neither parent is living)* Near relatives *(names, relationships, and addresses):*

f. If the person whose name will be changed is 18 years of age or older, that person must sign the following declaration:

DECLARATION	
<p>I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that <i>(check one)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> I am not <input type="checkbox"/> I am under the jurisdiction of the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (in state prison or on parole) or in county jail and <i>(check one)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> I am not <input type="checkbox"/> I am required to register as a sex offender under Penal Code section 290.</p> <p>Date: _____</p>	
_____ <small>(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF PERSON WHOSE NAME IS TO BE CHANGED)</small>	 _____ <small>(SIGNATURE OF PERSON WHOSE NAME IS TO BE CHANGED)</small>

(If petitioner is represented by an attorney, the attorney's signature follows):

Date: _____

_____ <small>(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)</small>	 _____ <small>(SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY)</small>
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(Each petitioner must sign this petition in the space provided below or, if additional pages are attached, at the end of the last attachment.) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the information in the foregoing petition is true and correct.

Date: _____

_____ <small>(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)</small>	 _____ <small>(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONER)</small>
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Date: _____

_____ <small>(TYPE OR PRINT NAME)</small>	 _____ <small>(SIGNATURE OF PETITIONER)</small>
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ADD ADDITIONAL SIGNATURE LINES FOR ADDITIONAL PETITIONERS

SIGNATURE OF PETITIONERS FOLLOWS LAST ATTACHMENT

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY STATE BAR NUMBER: NAME: _____ FIRM NAME: _____ STREET ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ STATE: CA ZIP CODE: _____ TELEPHONE NO.: _____ FAX NO.: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____ ATTORNEY FOR (name): Self-Represented	FOR COURT USE ONLY
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PETITION OF (name of each petitioner): <div style="text-align: right;">FOR CHANGE OF GENDER (Minor)</div>	
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE—RECOGNITION OF MINOR'S CHANGE OF GENDER AND ISSUANCE OF NEW BIRTH CERTIFICATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and CHANGE OF NAME	
CASE NUMBER: _____	

1. NAME CHANGE

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

(Check only if the petition (form NC-500) includes a request for change of name. If not checked, go to item 2.)

- a. A petition has been filed seeking change of name from (minor's current name):
to (proposed name):
- b. **THE COURT ORDERS** that any person objecting to the name change described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection **within six weeks of the date this order is issued**. If no written objection is timely filed, the court will grant the petition without a hearing.

2. GENDER AND SEX IDENTIFIER CHANGE

TO ANY LIVING PARENT OF MINOR WHO DID NOT SIGN PETITION

(Check only if the petition (form NC-500) was not signed by all living parents of minor.)

TO ALL LIVING GRANDPARENTS OF MINOR

(Check only if the petition (form NC-500) was brought by a guardian, a dependency attorney appointed as guardian ad litem, or an attorney acting for a minor under Welfare and Institutions Code section 601 or 602, and all parents are deceased or cannot be located.)

- a. Petitioner (name of petitioning adult): _____ filed a petition on behalf of
(name of minor): _____
requesting a decree recognizing that minor's gender and sex identifier is changed to
 (1) female
 (2) male
 (3) nonbinary

and an order for issuance of a new birth certificate reflecting minor's changed gender and sex identifier.

- b. **THE COURT ORDERS** that any living parent or, if all parents are deceased or cannot be located, all living grandparents show cause, if any, why the petition should not be granted by filing a written objection that includes any reasons for the objection **within six weeks of the date this order is issued**. If no written objection is timely filed, the court will grant the petition without a hearing.

Date: _____

JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

Request to Dispense with Notice

Only complete the next form if all living parents of the minor did not sign the forms AND you cannot locate and serve the other parent(s).

You may attach any documents that support your request to the next page.

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT ATTORNEY STATE BAR NUMBER: NAME: _____ FIRM NAME: _____ STREET ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ STATE: CA ZIP CODE: _____ TELEPHONE NO.: _____ FAX NO.: _____ E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____ ATTORNEY FOR (name): Self-Represented	FOR COURT USE ONLY
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ORDER RECOGNIZING MINOR'S CHANGE OF GENDER AND SEX IDENTIFIER AND FOR ISSUANCE OF NEW BIRTH CERTIFICATE <div style="text-align: center;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and DECREE CHANGING NAME</div>	CASE NUMBER: _____

1. The petition was duly considered
- a. at the hearing on (date): _____ in courtroom: _____ of the above-entitled court.
- b. without a hearing.

THE COURT FINDS

2. Petitioner is a California resident or seeks a change to a California birth certificate.
3. a. All notices required by law have been given.
- b. The following person seeking recognition of a change of gender and sex identifier is a minor (specify present name):
- c. The petition includes a request regarding a change of name.
- (1) Petitioner requests that minor's name be changed to (specify new name):
- (a) The minor is a resident in this county.
- (b) The minor's birth certificate was issued in this county.
- (2) A certified copy of a court decree changing minor's name was attached to the petition.
- d. The petition was signed on behalf of the minor by
- (1) all of minor's parents (names):
- (2) fewer than all of minor's parents (names):
- (3) a guardian (name):
- (a) The minor is likely to remain in the guardian's care until the age of majority.
- (b) The minor is not likely to be returned to the custody of the parents.
- (4) an attorney guardian ad litem appointed by the juvenile court (name):
- (5) an attorney representing minor who is asserted to be a person described in Welfare and Institutions Code section 601 or 602 (name):
- (6) a near relative or friend (name and relationship to minor):
- (a) All of minor's parents are deceased.
- (b) No guardian has been appointed for minor.
- e. (For name change) Minor is not is required to register as a sex offender under Penal Code section 290. This determination was made (check one) by using CLETS/CJIS based on information provided to the clerk of the court by a local law enforcement agency.

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3. f. No timely objections to the proposed changes were made.
- g. Objections to the proposed changes were made by *(name and relationship to minor)*:
- h. *(If objections by parent)* After considering objections by minor's parent, the court is satisfied that the proposed recognition of change of gender and sex identifier
 is in the best interest of the minor, and the petition should be granted.
 is not in the best interest of the minor, and the petition should be denied.
- i. The court is satisfied that all the allegations in the petition are true and sufficient, that the proposed recognition of change of gender and sex identifier (and name, if requested) are not fraudulent, and that the petition should be granted.
- j. Other findings *(if any)*:

THE COURT ORDERS

4. The gender and sex identifier of the minor *(name)*:
 has been changed to
- a. female.
- b. male.
- c. nonbinary.

THE COURT FURTHER ORDERS

5. The name of *(present name)*:
- a. is changed to *(new name)*:
- b. was previously changed by court decree to *(name)*:
6. A new birth certificate must be issued reflecting the change of gender described in item 4
 and change of name described in item 5.

If minor was born in California, a certified copy of this order shall be filed by the petitioner within 30 days with the State Registrar. When the State Registrar receives a certified copy of this order and payment of the applicable fees, the State Registrar shall establish for the petitioner a new birth certificate reflecting the gender of the minor as it has been altered and any change of name specified in this order.

7. Other orders:

Date:

 JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT