



## PUEBLO OF LAGUNA COURT

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### PETITION TO ESTABLISH PATERNITY (COVER SHEET)

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT PETITION IS FILLED OUT ACCURATELY OR TO THE BEST OF YOUR KNOWLEDGE. UNAVAILABLE INFORMATION WILL ONLY DELAY THE COURT PROCESS.

#### PETITIONER(S):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Social No: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tribal Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_ Enrollment No: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Physical Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Social No: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tribal Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_ Enrollment No: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Physical Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

#### RESPONDENT:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Social No: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tribal Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_ Enrollment No: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Physical Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

#### PLEASE DOUBLE CHECK YOUR DOCUMENTS:

- Attach a copy of the Birth Certificate and/or Acknowledgement of Paternity
- Attach any supporting documents
- All Affidavits must be signed in front of a Notary
- Filing Fee of \$6.00 in a Money Order or Cashier's Check
- If you should have any questions or need assistance with the Petition, please refer to our Approved Attorney list for help. Thank you.

## PETITION TO ESTABLISH PATERNITY

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner(s)

Vs.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Respondent.

### CONCERNING MINOR CHILD(REN):

1. Name of Child: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tribal Member:  YES  NO Tribal Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Enrollment Number: \_\_\_\_\_  Eligible for Enrollment
2. Name of Child: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tribal Member:  YES  NO Tribal Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Enrollment Number: \_\_\_\_\_  Eligible for Enrollment
3. Name of Child: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
Tribal Member:  YES  NO Tribal Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Enrollment Number: \_\_\_\_\_  Eligible for Enrollment

### COMES NOW, the Petitioner(s) (parent(s)), and state the following:

1. That I, \_\_\_\_\_, the Natural Father, am a  
Tribal Member:  YES  NO Tribal Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Enrollment Number: \_\_\_\_\_ OR  NON-Native
2. That I, \_\_\_\_\_, the Natural Mother, am a  
Tribal Member:  YES  NO Tribal Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Enrollment Number: \_\_\_\_\_ OR  NON-Native

3. That the Natural Father and the Natural Mother were:
- Legally Married at time of Birth
  - Not Married at time of Birth
4. Petitioner(s) have submitted proof of birth for minor child(ren) in the following manner:
- Copy of Birth Certificate
  - Acknowledgment of Paternity
5.  Natural Father and Natural Mother agree to Petition to Establish Paternity for the purpose of Tribal Enrollment.
6.  Natural Father OR  Natural Mother refuse to sign Affidavit of Acknowledgment, and this matter should be set for court.
7.  Natural Mother requests a court hearing for DNA Testing.

WHEREFORE, the Petitioner(s) states that the information contained in this Petition is true and accurate to the best of my/our knowledge and belief.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Signature

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Signature

**\*Reminder: Affidavit's on the following 2 pages MUST be signed in front of a Notary.**

**IN THE TRIBAL COURT  
PUEBLO OF LAGUNA  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

**NATURAL FATHER'S AFFIDAVIT  
OF CONSENT TO ESTABLISH  
PATERNITY**

IN THE MATTER OF:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.  
(Minor Child(ren))

I, \_\_\_\_\_ am the Natural Father of the above-named person(s) or child(ren), and I hereby voluntarily acknowledge the fact that such person(s) or child(ren) were born out of wedlock to myself and \_\_\_\_\_ (Natural Mother).

I, \_\_\_\_\_ am currently residing in \_\_\_\_\_ (City/Village) in the state of \_\_\_\_\_.

I am an enrolled Laguna Tribal member:

YES, Enrollment No: \_\_\_\_\_

NO, Tribal Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

I am Native and NOT an enrolled member of any federally recognized Tribe.

I am Non-Native.

I acknowledge establishing paternity for the above-named person(s) or child(ren).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Natural Father

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

The foregoing Affidavit of Consent of the Natural Father was acknowledged, subscribed and sworn to me before this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_, (natural father).

(SEAL)

Notary Public: \_\_\_\_\_

My commission expires on: \_\_\_\_\_

**IN THE TRIBAL COURT  
PUEBLO OF LAGUNA  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

**NATURAL MOTHER'S AFFIDAVIT  
OF CONSENT TO ESTABLISH  
PATERNITY**

IN THE MATTER OF:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(Minor Child(ren))

I, \_\_\_\_\_ am the Natural Mother of the above-named person(s) or child(ren), and I hereby voluntarily acknowledge the fact that such person(s) or child(ren) were born out of wedlock to myself and \_\_\_\_\_ (Natural Father).

I, \_\_\_\_\_ am currently residing in \_\_\_\_\_ (City/Village) in the state of \_\_\_\_\_.

I am an enrolled Laguna Tribal member:

YES, Enrollment No: \_\_\_\_\_

NO, Tribal Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

I am Native and NOT an enrolled member of any federally recognized Tribe.

I am Non-Native.

I acknowledge establishing paternity for the above-named person(s) or child(ren).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Natural Mother

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

The foregoing Affidavit of Consent of the Natural Mother was acknowledged, subscribed and sworn to me before this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_, (natural mother).

(SEAL)

Notary Public: \_\_\_\_\_

My commission expires on: \_\_\_\_\_