

PUEBLO OF ACOMA
ACOMA, NEW MEXICO

IN THE TRIBAL COURT

In the Matter of the Petition of

_____ No. _____
for the Adoption of:

PETITION FOR ADOPTION

I state the following to be true:

1. That I am over eighteen (18) years of age and reside at _____.
2. That the Tribal Court of the Pueblo of Acoma had jurisdiction over this Matter.
3. The minor child(ren) is/are as follows:

Name of Child(ren)	Date of Birth	Place of Residence
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

4. That the minor child(ren) is/are enrolled in, or is/are eligible for membership in the _____ Tribe/Pueblo.
5. That I am related to the minor child(ren) as _____.
6. The adoption is appropriate because: _____
_____.
7. That I am a fit and proper person to adopt the minor child(ren), and that I will care for and protect the minor child(ren) to the best of my ability.
8. That the consent of all known natural and adoptive parents and guardians has been or will obtained, if possible, except for _____, whose consent should not be obtained for the following reasons: _____

9. That the names and addresses of all adults' relatives of the minor child(ren). As far as can be determined, are as follows:

Name	Address	Relationship to Minor
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

I ask the Court to grant me permission to adopt the minor child(ren) and to have the child(ren)'s name(s) changed accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,

Signature

Print Name

Address

Telephone No.

Email Address (Optional)