

**PROBATE COURT OF LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO  
JUDGE JACK R. PUFFENBERGER**

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF

\_\_\_\_\_

CASE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICATION FOR PLACEMENT BY LEGAL CUSTODIAN(S)  
[R.C. 5103.16]**

Applicant(s) reside at \_\_\_\_\_  
in \_\_\_\_\_ County, and are the legal custodian(s) to the above child.  
The child was born at \_\_\_\_\_ Hospital at \_\_\_\_\_  
o'clock \_\_.m. on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

Applicant(s) state that the birth parents are \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_ and are either deceased or have abandoned  
the child as determined under Section 3107.07(A) of the Ohio Revised Code.

Applicant(s) request the Court to place captioned child with them for  
purposes of adoption. Applicant(s) further state that this placement will be in  
the best interest of the child. Wherefore, said applicant(s) ask(s) the Court to set  
a hearing on said proposed placement, and that said placement be approved  
in accordance with the provisions of law.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant

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Applicant

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Attorney Name

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Address

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