

**SUPADOPT 103**

ATTORNEY OR PARTY WITHOUT AN ATTORNEY (Name, State Bar number, and address): NAME: ADDRESS: CITY, STATE, ZIP:  TELEPHONE NO: FAX NO. (Optional): EMAIL ADDRESS (Optional): ATTORNEY FOR (Name):	<i>FOR COURT USE ONLY</i>
<b>SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SANTA CRUZ</b> 1 Second Street, Room 300 Watsonville, CA 95076 Watsonville Branch	
PETITIONER ADOPTING PARENT:  PETITIONER ADDITIONAL ADOPTING PARENT:  PETITIONER ADOPTEE CURRENT NAME:  PETITIONER ADOPTEE BIRTH NAME (IF DIFFERENT):	
<b>ORDER OF ADOPTION (ADULT OR MARRIED MINOR)</b>	CASE NUMBER:

The petition for approval of adoption agreement filed by):

Adopting Parent (s): \_\_\_\_\_

and Adoptee (current legal name) \_\_\_\_\_

formerly (birth name if different than above) \_\_\_\_\_

was heard on \_\_\_\_\_ in Department \_\_\_\_\_ of this court before the

Honorable \_\_\_\_\_, Judge of the Superior Court.

Appearances by:

- Petitioners (name each):

Adopting Parent: \_\_\_\_\_

Adopting Parent: \_\_\_\_\_

Adoptee: \_\_\_\_\_

- Spouses (name each):

Spouse of Adopting Parent: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse of Adoptee: \_\_\_\_\_

The court, having examined the petitioners, reviewed and considered the documentary evidence find as follows:

1. The adopting parent(s) is older than the adult to be adopted.
2. Adoptee is  an Unmarried Adult  a Married Adult  a Married Minor
3. At least one petitioner is a resident of Santa Cruz County.
4. Petitioners entered into a written adoption agreement which has been filed with the court.

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5. Petitioners have agreed to assume toward each other the legal relationship of parent and child and to have all of the rights and be subject to all of the duties and responsibilities of that relationship.
6.  The spouse of the adopting parent has consented in writing to the adoption.
7.  The spouse of the adoptee has consented in writing to the adoption.
8. The adoption is in the best interests of the parties and in the public interest and that there is no reason why the petition should not be granted.

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:**

The petition is granted and that petitioner (adoptee's current legal name):

\_\_\_\_\_

formerly (birth name if different than above): \_\_\_\_\_  
 is hereby adopted by petitioner(s) (adopting parent(s)) \_\_\_\_\_

They shall sustain towards each other the legal relationship of parent and child and have all the rights and are subject to all the duties of that relationship.

The adoptee's name shall  remain the same  be changed to (write out new full name):

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

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Judge of the Superior Court