

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE DECREE OF NAME CHANGE (ADULT)

## HEADING

- Choose the county in the drop down box below the first blank. This is where you are filing your Petition.
- Enter your **current** first, middle, and last names.
- The clerk of the district court will give you a case number when you file the Petition. You must include the case number on any papers you file.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF  COUNTY, NEBRASKA  
Choose the county | county where Petition filed

IN RE NAME CHANGE OF  (your full name)

CASE No.  (case number assigned by clerk of court)

PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE (Adult)

## BODY OF THE DECREE

Opening Paragraph (This paragraph is not numbered):

- Enter the date of the hearing.
- Enter your **current** first, middle, and last names.

This matter came on for hearing on  (date)

upon Petition for Change of Name by the petitioner  (your current full name)

The numbers below give instructions for completing the numbered paragraphs with the same numbers in the Decree.

Paragraph II:

- Enter the county in which you live and where the Petition was filed in both blanks.

At the time of filing the Petition herein, the petitioner was a resident of  County and has been a bona fide resident of  County for more than one year prior to the filing of the petition.

(county where Petition filed) (county where Petition filed)

Paragraph III:

- Enter your **current** first, middle, and last names.
- Enter your **new** first, middle, and last names.

Petitioner wishes to change their name of  (your current full name), to  (your new full name)

