

## **PETITION FOR RELEASE OF IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

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LAKE COUNTY PROBATE COURT  
MARK J. BARTOLOTTA, JUDGE  
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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
DIVISION OF PROBATE  
LAKE COUNTY, OHIO

**PETITION FOR RELEASE OF  
IDENTIFYING INFORMATION**

IN RE: \_\_\_\_\_ CASE NO: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Petitioner-Adoptee)

\_\_\_\_\_, Petitioner-adoptee, herein says that  
he/she was born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_,  
Ohio and that HE/SHE HEREBY PETITIONS THIS Court for release of information concerning  
his/her adoption, if any as provided by Section 3107.41 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Petitioner's residential address is \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

Petitioner further says that this Court has jurisdiction to hear this Petition because  
(1) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

Petitioner further says that (2) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ is the agency that was involved in his/her adoption.

Names of his/her adoptive parents are \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner hereby asks the Court to appoint any agency and issue the  
order as is required by Section 3107.41(B)(1) of the Ohio Revised Code and upon receipt of the  
agency's report to grant the relief provided in Section 3107.41(C) of the Ohio Revised Code.  
Petitioner further asks the Court that this petition remain pending as and if so permitted pursuant  
to Section 3107.41(E) of the Ohio Revised Code.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner-Adoptee

- (1) Here recite whichever statement applies:  
-Petitioner is a resident of Lake County, Ohio.  
-Petitioner is/is not a resident of Lake County, Ohio and was adopted in the Probate Court of Lake  
County, Ohio on or about \_\_\_\_\_.  
-Petitioner is not a resident of the State of Ohio and does not know if he/she was adopted in any  
Court in the State of Ohio.
- (2) Insert name of agency if known to petitioner.