

24th JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT FOR THE PARISH OF JEFFERSON

STATE OF LOUISIANA

No.

DIVISION: “ ”

IN RE: _____,
APPLYING FOR NAME CHANGE

FILED: _____
DEPUTY CLERK

PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE

The petition of _____, seeking Court approval of this petition and request for name change to _____, a person of the full age of majority, domiciled in the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, with respect represents the following:

1.

Petitioner was born on February 28, 1983 in New Orleans, Louisiana, and was named _____ at birth. A certified copy of petitioner’s birth certificate is attached hereto, made a part hereof, and marked for identification as Exhibit “1.”

2.

Petitioner has been known for as long as she can remember, with no exceptions of which she is aware, as _____ .

3.

Petitioner further avers that she was granted the lawful use of the name _____ pursuant to an Order of Division “M” of the Eighth Judicial Circuit Court in and for the County of Alachua, State of Florida, entered on the 7th day of July, 2002 and recorded by the Clerk of said Court as Instrument #1850973, in proceedings there bearing case number 02 DR 2530, and a copy of the Order is attached hereto, made a part hereof, and marked for identification as Exhibit “2.”

4.

Petitioner is domiciled in Louisiana at _____ Athania Parkway, Metairie, Louisiana 70001.

5.

Petitioner seeks to change her legal name to _____ for reasons of personal preference.

6.

Petitioner does not have any outstanding judgments against her, has never been convicted of a crime, and is not involved in any pending legal actions.

7.

Petitioner attaches hereto, makes a part hereof, and marks for identification as Exhibit "3," an Affidavit by which she verifies the above on her oath.

WHEREFORE, petitioner prays:

- I. For judgment of this Court to change petitioner's name from _____
_____ to _____ ;
- II. That the District Attorney for the Parish of Jefferson with a copy of this petition and cited to answer same; and
- III. For all such other general and equitable relief as to which petitioner may be entitled in the premises.

Respectfully submitted,

Law Office of Michael G. Calogero, LLC

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ORDER

Considering the foregoing,

IT IS ORDERED that the District Attorney of and for the Parish of Jefferson appear and show cause on the ____ day of _____, 2008, why the name of the petitioner’s legal name should not be permitted to be changed for all purposes, from _____ to _____, and why any ancillary orders or necessary decrees should not issue.

Gretna, Louisiana this ____ day of _____ 2008.

JUDGE, 24th JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

PLEASE SERVE:

Honorable Paul Connick
Jefferson Parish District Attorney
200 Derbigny Street
Gretna, LA 70056

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**AFFIDAVIT OF THE OFFICE OF THE
DISTRICT ATTORNEY ACCEPTING SERVICE,
AND LODGING NO OBJECTION TO
APPLICATION FOR NAME CHANGE**

STATE OF LOUISIANA

UNITED STATES

PARISH OF JEFFERSON

OF AMERICA

BEFORE ME, Notary Public, personally came and appeared:

_____ ,

who, being duly sworn, did depose and say that, pursuant to R.S. 13:4752,

- 1) these proceedings are required to be carried on contradictorily with the Office of the District Attorney for the Parish of Jefferson (“the Office”);
- 2) the Office is authorized to and hereby does accept service of the Petition herein;
- 3) the Office, after performance of duly diligent investigation of the circumstances of the said Petition, hereby urges that it has no objection to the entry of a Judgment of Name Change as prayed herein.

**On behalf of the Office of the
Jefferson Parish District Attorney**

Sworn to and subscribed before

me, the undersigned Notary Public,

on this ____ day of _____, 2008.

NOTARY PUBLIC

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JUDGMENT OF LAWFUL NAME CHANGE

The Petition for Name Change came on for hearing on the _____ day of _____, 2008.

PRESENT: Michael G. Calogero, Esq., attorney for petitioner; and
The Office of the Jefferson Parish District Attorney (by Affidavit).

The Court having considered the verified Petition of _____, and the entire record herein, including the Affidavit on behalf of the Office of the District Attorney for the Parish of Jefferson accepting service of the petition, waiving appearance herein and specifically urging that it has no objection to the relief requested by the petitioner, the court being of the opinion that the facts and law in this matter preponderate in favor of granting the relief requested by the petitioner; accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the name of the Petitioner, _____ be and it hereby is changed to _____; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the petitioner, _____, shall be and is granted her request for name change, and she shall be known by law as _____.

JUDGMENT READ, RENDERED AND SIGNED on this _____ day of _____, 2008, in Gretna, Louisiana.

JUDGE, 24th JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT