

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR SUMNER COUNTY, TENNESSEE
AT GALLATIN**

IN THE MATTER OF:

_____ **Docket No.** _____
Petitioner (First, Middle, Last Name)

PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME

Comes now the Petitioner, _____, in the
(Full Name)
above styled and numbered case, and files this petition requesting change of name and for cause of action would show unto the Court the following facts, to-wit:

1. Petitioner is an adult resident, citizen of _____, Sumner County,
(City)
Tennessee.

2. Petitioner would further show unto the Court that he/she was born in
_____ County, _____ on _____ and that his/her name
(State) (Date of Birth)
appears as _____ on his/her birth certificate.
(Legal Name)

3. Petitioner respectfully requests that he/she be permitted to change his/her name to
_____.

4. Petitioner herein states that: a) he/she is not a felon or criminal; b) that the reasons for the name change are personal; c) that he/she does not seek to change his/her name in order to avoid or evade any debts or obligations as he/she is not indebted to anyone in any significant amount; d) that the name change does not adversely affect the rights of any minor children nor require that their names be changed; and e) that he/she does not request this change of name for any illegal purpose.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, YOUR PETITIONER PRAYS:

1. That upon the hearing of this cause, the court order the legal change of the name of the Petitioner to _____.

2. For all other relief, both general and special, to which he/she may be entitled in the premises.

Petitioner (Signature)

STATE OF TENNESSEE
COUNTY OF SUMNER

I, _____, being first duly sworn according to law, state that the contents herein are true.

Petitioner (Signature)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this ____ day of _____, 2016.

Notary Public/Deputy Clerk
My Commission Expires: _____