

STATE OF VERMONT  
DISTRICT OF \_\_\_\_\_

PROBATE COURT

IN RE ADOPTION OF \_\_\_\_\_

DOCKET NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS OF COMMENCEMENT  
OF ADOPTION PROCEEDING**

TO: \_\_\_\_\_

You are hereby notified that a petition requesting the adoption of \_\_\_\_\_ has been filed in this court.

The petition itself is confidential. You may not receive a copy of the petition unless specifically authorized by the court.

If a hearing in this proceeding has been set on any matter, the purpose and date and time of the hearing is set forth below. If no hearing has yet been set, the entry none has been made under the hearing purpose.

Hearing purpose: \_\_\_\_\_.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ AM/PM.

This is the first action in this proceeding. If you want to receive notice of future hearings, events or motions which may occur in this matter until it is concluded you must enter an appearance in this proceeding with the court. This can be accomplished by returning to the court a completed Form No. 148 entitled "Notice of Appearance" which is attached to this notice. If you have questions about the nature of this proceeding or the purpose or content of this notice, you may inquire by calling or writing the Register of the Court.

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, Probate Register  
Probate Court, District of \_\_\_\_\_