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| **Court**  District  Juvenile  Colorado County:  Court Address: | Court Use Only |
| **In the Matter of:**  Petitioners:  For the Adoption of a Child | Case  Number:  Division:  Courtroom: |
| **Final Decree of Adoption** | |

The Petitioners appearing in person, and the Court having heard the testimony and evidence offered in support of the Petition, and being fully advised finds:

1. That the child was born on *(date)* ,

at *(place of birth)* .

1. That the written consent for adoption by the person, persons, or agency having authority to execute the same appears to be genuine and the child is available for adoption.
2. That the Petitioners appears to be of good moral character, to have the ability to support and educate said child, and to have a suitable home.
3. That the fingerprint-based criminal history record checks of the prospective adoptive parent(s), as reported to the Court by the county department of social services, the designated qualified individual, the child placement agency, or Petitioners:

does not reveal a felony or misdemeanor conviction listed under §19-5-207(2.5)(a)(IV), C.R.S. at least 10 years prior to the filing of the Petition for Adoption. Or,

does reveal a felony or misdemeanor offense however the prospective parent has had no further arrests or convictions subsequent to the conviction, and there has not been a pattern of misdemeanors.

1. The TRAILS background check completed by the Department of Human Services does not reflect a confirmed report of child abuse or neglect.
2. The mental and physical condition of the child appears to make him/her a proper subject for adoption by the Petitioner(s).
3. If checked, the best interests and welfare of said child will be served by the post-adoption contact agreement filed by the Petitioners on *(date)* ; and the post-adoption contact agreement is hereby included as part of this Final Decree of Adoption.
4. That the best interests of said child will be served by said adoption; and that the best interests and welfare of the said child will be promoted by the issuance of this Final Decree of Adoption.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged, and decreed that:

1. The Final Decree of Adoption for the child is hereby granted.

2. The name of the child is hereby:

retained. Or,

changed to .

3. The child shall be and is hereby, entitled to all rights and privileges and subject to all obligations of a child pursuant to statute.

Date:

Judge  Magistrate

# Certificate of Mailing

I certify that on *(date)* , I mailed, faxed, or hand-delivered a copy of this Decree to the following:

Attorney for Petitioner(s) or Petitioner(s) *pro se*

Other:

Clerk