**THE KING'S BENCH (FAMILY DIVISION)**

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B E T W E E N:

 applicant

‑and‑

 respondent

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I/We, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ In the Province of Manitoba, hereby certify:

1. I/We am/are the guardian(s) of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ("the child") who was born at the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_\_ am/pm on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_\_.

2. I/We have been informed that an application for an Order of Adoption of the child has been made or may be made by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

3. I/We acknowledge that:

a)the parents of the child were:

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, born the \_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, died the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

at\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ; and

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, born the \_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, died the \_\_\_\_day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

at\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ;

b) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is/are the legal guardian(s) of the child by order of

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_;

c)I/We have provided the agency with proof of a) and b) in a form and manner acceptable to the director;

(d)I/We have been advised of my/our right to independent legal advice prior to the signing of this agreement;

(e)I/We have been informed that I/we may, by notice in writing to the director, withdraw this consent within twenty‑one days after the date of the consent but not thereafter, and, if I/we do so withdraw, the child will be returned to me/us unless there are reasonable and probable grounds to believe that the child is in need of protection;

(f)I/We have been informed of the availability of openness agreements in *The Adoption Act*, and acknowledge that these agreements can only be made with the consent of the adoptive parents of the child;

4. I/We hereby consent to the making of an Order of Adoption of the said child and I/we acknowledge that I/we fully understand that the nature and effect of an Order of Adoption is to extinguish and terminate all my/our rights and obligations with respect to the child.

SIGNED at the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the Province of Manitoba at \_\_\_\_\_ am/pm this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_.

In the presence of

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Witness Signature of Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Affidavit of Execution**

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in

the Province of Manitoba.

MAKE OATH AND SAY THAT:

1. My occupation is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ .

2. I was personally present and did see the foregoing consent signed by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the

 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ , in the Province of Manitoba.

3. I know the said guardian \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (name) who is \_\_\_\_\_\_ years of age.

4. Prior to witnessing the consent to adoption I explained fully to the guardian the effect of the consent, and advised her/him of her/his right to independent legal advice, in compliance with section 14 of *The Adoption Act*.

5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of her/his own free will and volition decided to sign the consent to adoption.

1. This consent was executed at the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the Province of Manitoba and I am the subscribing witness thereto.

SWORN (AFFIRMED) before me at the )

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ )

in the Province of Manitoba )

this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ A.D. \_\_\_\_ . ) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Witness

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A Barrister‑at‑law entitled to practise in Manitoba

or a Notary Public, or a Commissioner for Oaths,

in and for the Province of Manitoba.

My commission expires\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Copy 1 Court of King's Bench (Family Division)

Copy 2 - Adoption File

Copy 3 - Guardian

Copy 4 - Director

All four copies must be signed and witnessed.