

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY OF DU PAGE)

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
DU PAGE COUNTY, WHEATON, ILLINOIS

In the Matter of)

RICKY A. BUTLER and)
CHERYL MARTINO BUTLER)

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to adopt [REDACTED])

DECREE OF ADOPTION

This matter coming on to be heard upon the Petition to Adopt, the Court being fully informed, finds that:

1. The Court has jurisdiction over the subject matter in the parties.

2. The Guardian ad Litem, [REDACTED], has filed an Answer on behalf of the child.

3. The report of DuPage County Probation Department, as investigating agency, has been presented to and examined by the Court and the Court is satisfied from the report that the adoption of the child by Petitioners is for the welfare of the child.

4. The Guardian ad Litem and the investigative agency have received notice of the application by Petitioners for the entry of a judgment.

5. The Petitioner and the child appeared in person in this court.

6. The Petitioners are husband and wife, of legal age, and under no legal disability; reside in Warrenville, DuPage, County, Illinois, and they have resided in the State of Illinois continuously for a period of at least six months immediately

preceding the filing of their Petition.

7. The Petitioners desire to adopt [REDACTED], a male minor child who was born on the [REDACTED] day of [REDACTED], in Winfield, DuPage County, Illinois; and they are not related to said child.

8. The Petitioners acquired the child pursuant to an interim order of this Court on June 2, 1995.

9. That an Order of Termination of parent-child legal relationship with respect to the child's father has heretofore been entered.

10. That the mother of the child has executed her consent to this adoption, which was properly executed and acknowledged and is valid. Accordingly, upon entry of this Decree of Adoption, the parental rights of the mother are finally and irrevocably terminated.

11. The Petitioners are reputable persons with character, ability and means to rear, nurture and educate the child in a suitable and proper manner.

12. The allegations of the Petition of the Petitioners are true and proven as therein alleged and it is for the best interests of the child that the prayer for adoption be granted.

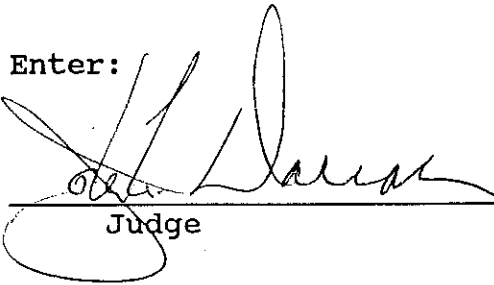
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that from this date, [REDACTED] shall be to all legal intents and purposes, the child of the Petitioners, RICKY A. BUTLER and CHERYL MARTINO BUTLER, husband and wife; and for purposes of inheritance and other legal incidents and consequences, it shall be the same as if the child had been born to

the Petitioners in lawful wedlock.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the name of the child is changed to

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Dated in Wheaton, Illinois this 19th day of
December, 1995.

Enter: 

Judge

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