

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY  
STATE OF OKLAHOMA**

In the Matter of \_\_\_\_\_ )  
the Application of \_\_\_\_\_, )  
a minor, for the Rights of Majority )    No. \_\_\_\_\_

**PETITION**

COMES NOW, \_\_\_\_\_, a minor, by and through his next friend, \_\_\_\_\_, and respectfully petitions this Court to confer upon him the rights of majority concerning contracts and to authorize and empower this applicant to transact business in general with the same effect as if such contracts and business were transacted by a person over the age of eighteen (18) years; and in support of the petition, alleges and shows to the Court the following:

1. That your petitioner is of the age of \_\_\_\_\_ years, being born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

2. (*Check one*)

That petitioner has been an actual and bona fide resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County, Oklahoma, for more than one year next preceding the filing of this petition;

OR

That petitioner is a non-resident of the State of Oklahoma, being a resident of the State of \_\_\_\_\_, but owning real estate located in \_\_\_\_\_ County, Oklahoma.

3. Your petitioner further states that the causes for which he seeks to obtain the rights of majority are as follows: (*Check all that apply*)

Petitioner has lived independently of petitioner’s parent(s) or guardian(s) since \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_ and currently resides \_\_\_\_\_.

Petitioner is enrolled in school at \_\_\_\_\_ and will graduate in \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Petitioner obtained a GED in \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Petitioner is currently employed at \_\_\_\_\_ and is making \$\_\_\_\_\_.\_\_\_\_\_ an hour. Petitioner has held this employment since \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Petitioner plans to attend college or technical school at \_\_\_\_\_ starting in \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Petitioner has \_\_\_\_\_ child(ren).

Petitioner enlisted in the military in \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Petitioner has sole/joint (circle one) custody of \_\_\_\_\_ of petitioner’s child(ren).

Petitioner married \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Other: \_\_\_\_\_.

4. Petitioner further states that he/she/they is of sound mind and fully able to transact his/her/their own affairs and that it is in the best interests of petitioner for the Court to grant the relief prayed for herein.

5. That petitioner's (check one that applies)

Parents, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are both living and live together at \_\_\_\_\_.

Parents, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are both living and live separately. That \_\_\_\_\_ lives at \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ lives at \_\_\_\_\_.

Sole parent is \_\_\_\_\_ who lives at \_\_\_\_\_.

Parents are deceased and petitioner does not have a legal guardian. Petitioner's closest living relative is \_\_\_\_\_ who lives at \_\_\_\_\_.

Parents are deceased and \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are petitioner's legal guardians and live at \_\_\_\_\_.

Parents are deceased and \_\_\_\_\_ is petitioner's legal guardian and lives at \_\_\_\_\_.

Parents are living but do not have legal custody of petitioner and \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are petitioner's legal guardians and live at \_\_\_\_\_.

Parents are living but do not have legal custody of petitioner and \_\_\_\_\_ is petitioner's legal guardian and lives at \_\_\_\_\_.

**WHEREFORE**, petitioner prays that the rights of majority concerning contracts and the transaction of business be conferred upon him/her/them with the same force and effect as if such act or thing done or performed were by a person above eighteen (18) years of age.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner

By \_\_\_\_\_

His/Her/Their next friend

**Petitioner**

Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Add.: \_\_\_\_\_

City, St. Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**Next Friend**

Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Add.: \_\_\_\_\_

City, St. Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**VERIFICATION**

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\_\_\_\_\_, minor petitioner, and \_\_\_\_\_,  
of lawful age, being first duly sworn, upon oath depose and say: That they are petitioner and  
next friend of petitioner, respectively; that they each signed the foregoing petition, having  
first read the contents thereof, and the statements set forth therein are true and correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Next Friend Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Next Friend Printed Name

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

\_\_\_\_\_

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**AFFIDAVIT OF SUPPORT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, am petitioner's \_\_\_\_\_, and have known petitioner for \_\_\_\_\_ years. Petitioner's date of birth is \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_. I believe that emancipation is in petitioner's best interest and that the court should grant his/her/their emancipation because (check all that apply):

- The petitioner married \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.
- The petitioner entered active military duty on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.
- The petitioner has been financially self-supporting since \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.
- The petitioner has lived independently since \_\_\_\_\_, of 20\_\_\_\_\_.
- I, petitioner's \_\_\_\_\_, have relinquished petitioner from parental/legal control by express or implied consent.
- The petitioner has obtained a high school diploma, GED, or educational equivalent; or the petitioner is currently enrolled in a degree-granting institution.
- The petitioner is physically and mentally capacitated of supporting himself/herself/their self.
- Other:  
\_\_\_\_\_

The facts in this Affidavit are true to the best of my knowledge and are made under penalty of perjury.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of affiant

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

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

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**WAIVER OF NOTICE OF HEARING**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby waive notice of the hearing and consent to the petition for emancipation of a minor child in the matter of \_\_\_\_\_ and declare that I have received a copy of this petition.

**Parent/Guardian**

Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Add.: \_\_\_\_\_

City, St. Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian**

Printed: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Add.: \_\_\_\_\_

City, St. Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

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**NOTICE OF HEARING**

TO: All interested parties.

Notice is hereby given that \_\_\_\_\_, a minor, has petitioned this Court to confer rights of majority upon petitioner relating to contracts and the transaction of business.

A hearing for on matter is set for \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, before Judge \_\_\_\_\_ in his/her courtroom in the \_\_\_\_\_ County Courthouse.

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By: DEPUTY APPROVED

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**DECREE CONFERRING RIGHTS OF MAJORITY**

This matter coming on for hearing this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, before me, the undersigned judge, pursuant to an order issued by this Court on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, the petitioner, \_\_\_\_\_, a minor, appearing personally and by his next friend, \_\_\_\_\_. The Court proceeded to examine the said minor, \_\_\_\_\_, witnesses were sworn and examined; and the Court, having examined the file and records herein, finds:

1. That the said petitioner, \_\_\_\_\_, is a minor, to wit: \_\_\_\_\_ years of age, being born on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.
2. That the said petitioner, \_\_\_\_\_, is a resident of this County and had been for more than one year next preceding the filing of the petition herein [*or if a non-resident: owns property in said County.*]
3. That all notices required by law have been given and published.
4. That petitioner is of sound mind and is fully competent to transact his/her/their own affairs and that it is in petitioner's best interests to empower said petitioner to exercise the rights of majority.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the rights of majority concerning contracts and the authority to transact business in general are hereby conferred upon said petitioner, \_\_\_\_\_, and his/her/their said acts in connection therewith are to have the same force and effect as if such business were transacted by a person over the age of eighteen (18) years. The costs of this proceeding are to be paid by said minor.

\_\_\_\_\_  
JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT