

D.R.L. §§116 (2)

Form 12  
(Order Removing Child From  
Home)

Adoptive

9/99

At a term of the Family court of the  
State of New York, held in and for the  
County of \_\_\_\_\_,  
at \_\_\_\_\_ New York  
on \_\_\_\_\_, .

PRESENT:

Hon.  
Judge

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In the Matter of the Adoption of  
A Child Whose First Name Is

(Docket)(File) No.

ORDER REMOVING  
CHILD FROM  
ADOPTIVE HOME

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\_\_\_\_\_, the adoptive child above named having been placed  
for adoption on or about \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, with the petitioner(s) herein, and a  
petition having been duly filed in this Court praying for an order of adoption pursuant to section  
116 of the Domestic Relations Law; and

This Court having on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, issued an order  
of investigation designating \_\_\_\_\_  
to examine into the allegations set forth in the petition and to make a written report of the  
investigation; and the investigator having duly made and submitted a written report  
of investigation dated \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_; and it appearing from the report that good cause  
exists for the removal of the adoptive child from the home of said petitioner(s); and

The petitioner(s) having been ordered to show cause why the adoptive child  
should not be removed from the home of said petitioner(s); and due notice of this proceeding  
having been given to \_\_\_\_\_ (and

\_\_\_\_\_) ;  
and the Court having taken proof of the facts shown by the investigations and the Court being  
satisfied that the welfare of the adoptive child requires that (he)(she) be removed from the home  
of the petitioner(s);

Now, therefore, it is hereby

ORDERED that \_\_\_\_\_, the adoptive child, be and  
(he)(she) hereby is removed from the home of \_\_\_\_\_ (and \_\_\_\_\_ )  
and is (transferred to the Family Court) (returned to) (placed with [specify ]:  
);(and it is further)

(ORDERED that a copy of this order be served upon  
\_\_\_\_\_, an authorized agency.)

PURSUANT TO SECTION 1113 OF THE FAMILY COURT ACT,  
AN APPEAL FROM THIS ORDER MUST BE TAKEN WITHIN 30  
DAYS OF RECEIPT OF THE ORDER BY APPELLANT IN COURT,  
35 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF MAILING OF THE ORDER TO  
APPELLANT BY THE CLERK OF COURT, OR 30 DAYS AFTER  
SERVICE BY A PARTY OR THE LAW GUARDIAN UPON  
THE APPELLANT, WHICHEVER IS EARLIEST.

ENTER

\_\_\_\_\_  
(J.F.C.) (SURROGATE.)

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

Check applicable box:

Order mailed on [specify date(s) and to whom mailed ]: \_\_\_\_\_

Order received in court on [specify date(s) and to whom given]: \_\_\_\_\_