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In Re: Patrick J. Kopp

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IN RE: PATRICK J. KOPP,

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THE HOPKINS LAW FIRM

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA  
CIVIL DIVISION

IN RE: PATRICK J. KOPP,  
(D.O.B. 1/24/97)

: No. 02-1108-C8

: Type of Pleading: Petition for Change of  
: Name of Patrick J. Kopp

: Filed on behalf of: Petitioners

: Counsel of Record for this party:

: LEA ANN HELTZEL, ESQUIRE  
: Attorney at Law

: Supreme Court No. 83998  
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Prothonotary

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**NOTICE**

You have been sued in Court. If you wish to defend against the claims set forth in the following pages, you must take action within twenty (20) days after this Petition and Notice are served, by entering a written appearance personally or by Attorney and filing in writing with the Court your defenses or objections to the claims set forth against you. You are warned that if you fail to do so, the case may proceed without you and a judgment may be entered against you by the Court without further notice for any money claimed in the Complaint or for any other claim or relief requested by the Plaintiff. You may lose money or property or other rights important to you.

YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER OR CANNOT AFFORD ONE, GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW TO FIND OUT WHERE YOU CAN GET LEGAL HELP.

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Clearfield County Courthouse  
Second & Market Streets  
Clearfield, Pennsylvania 16830  
(814) 765-2641

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IN RE: PATRICK J. KOPP, :  
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**PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME**

TO THE HONORABLE COURT:

NOW COMES, Petitioners, David Edner, Patricia Edner and Eric Edner, by and through their attorneys, The Hopkins Law Firm and respectfully request that this Court enter an order changing the name of the minor child in accordance with 54 Pa.Cons. Stat. Section 701 et seq., and petitions the Court as follows:

1. The Petitioners are David Edner and Patricia Edner, the paternal grandparents of Patrick J. Kopp, and Eric D. Edner, the natural father of Patrick J. Kopp, all of whom reside at RR #4, Box 652, DuBois, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania 15801.
2. Patrick J. Kopp was born on January 24, 1997 and is five (5) years of age.
3. The natural mother of Patrick J. Kopp is Pamelyn Kopp whose current place of residence is unknown.
4. When Patrick J. Kopp was four (4) months old, Pamelyn Kopp (natural mother) attempted to kill Patrick. Since that time, Patrick J. Kopp has resided with his father, Eric D. Edner and his paternal grandparents, David Edner and Patricia Edner.
5. The natural mother, Pamelyn Kopp, has not had physical contact with said minor child for over five (5) years. Petitioners would like Patrick J. Kopp's last name to be the same as his natural father and paternal grandparents.

6. Since paternal grandparents and father's name is "Edner", Petitioner desires that the legal surname of the child be changed to "Edner" for classification purposes, to avoid confusion for the child now and in the future, and to establish a consistent and clear identity for the child as the child reaches school age. The Petitioners desire to legally change the child's name in order that he may bear the name of Patrick J. "Edner".

7. There are no judgments or decrees of record or any other matter of like character that would be affected by granting of this Petition. This Petition is not induced by fraud or intent to cause injury or confusion.

8. Patrick J. Kopp, of course, has never been convicted of a crime, or declared delinquent or dependent nor ever placed on probation by any Court for any offense.

WHEREFORE, your Petitioners respectfully request your Honorable Court pursuant to the Act of December 16, 1982, P.L. 1309 No. 295, Section 2, 54 Pa.C.S.A. Section 701, to set a hearing on this Petition for purposes of considering a decree to change the name of Patrick J. Kopp to Patrick J. Edner.

Respectfully submitted,



Lea Ann Heltzel, Esquire  
Attorney for Petitioner

## VERIFICATION

I hereby verify that the statements made in this pleading are true and correct. I understand that false statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S.A. Section 4904, relating to Unsworn Falsification to Authorities.

Dated: 6-6-02

David Edner  
David Edner, paternal grandparent

Dated: 6/6/02

Patricia Edner  
Patricia Edner, paternal grandparent

Dated: 6, 6, 02

Eric D Edner  
Eric D. Edner, natural father

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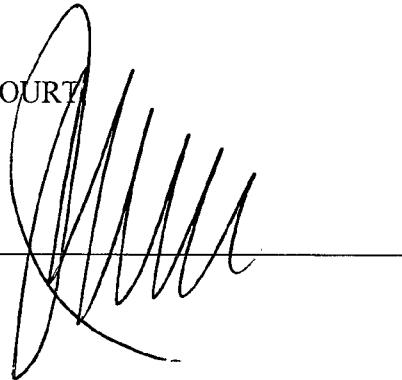
**RULE RETURNABLE**

AND NOW, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2002, upon consideration  
of the foregoing Petition for Name Change, it is hereby ORDERED and DIRECTED that a Rule  
be issued to show cause why said Petition should not be granted.

Rule Returnable on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2002, at 1:30 o'clock  
9 M. in Courtroom No. 1 of the Clearfield County Courthouse, Clearfield,  
Pennsylvania.

BY THE COURT

JUDGE



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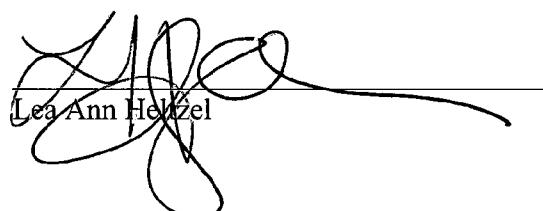
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Petitioner : No.02-1108

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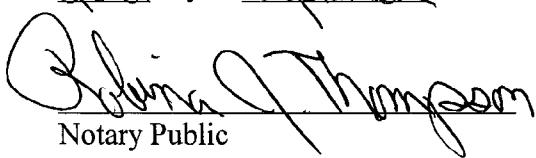
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA )  
COUNTY OF CLEARFIELD ) SS.  
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Lea Ann Heltzel, Esquire, attorney for the above named Petitioner, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and states that Notice of the Petition for Change of Name was published in the Courier Express newspaper on July 26, 2002, as evidenced by the Proof of Publication dated July 31, 2002, attached hereto, and by publication in the Clearfield County Legal Journal on August 2, 2002, as evidenced by the Proof of Publication dated August 5, 2002, attached hereto.



Lea Ann Heltzel

Sworn to and subscribed by me this  
23rd day of September, 2002



Robina J. Thompson  
Notary Public

**NOTARIAL SEAL**  
Robina J. Thompson, Notary Public  
DuBois, Clearfield County  
My Commission Expires April 3, 2004

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Prothonotary

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON  
PLEAS OF CLEARFIELD COUN-  
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CIVIL DIVISION

IN RE: PATRICK J. KOPP,  
(D.O.B. 1/24/97)

No. 02-1108-CD

Notice is hereby given that on July 19, 2002, the Petition of David Edner, Patricia Edner and Eric D. Edner was filed in the above named Court, requesting an Order to change the name of Patrick J. Kopp to Patrick J. Edner.

The Court has fixed the day of September 23, 2002 at 1:30 PM in the Courtroom No. 1 at the Clearfield County Courthouse, Clearfield, Pennsylvania as the time and place for the hearing on said Petition, when and where all interested parties may appear and show cause, if any, why the request of the Petitioners should not be granted.

Lea Ann Heltzel, Esquire  
900 Beaver Drive  
DuBois, PA 15801  
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5th day of July A.D. 2002  
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McLEAN PUBLISHING COMPANY Publisher of  
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By Linda Smith

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 31st day of July, 2002

Steve W. Kronenwetter

Notary Public

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CITY OF DUBOIS, CLEARFIELD COUNTY  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES APRIL 16, 2006

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ATTORNEY FOR

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS  
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Courthouse, Clearfield, Pennsylvania, as  
the time and place of hearing of the said  
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cause, if any, why the prayer of said Petition  
should not be granted.

Lea Ann Heitzel, Esquire, 900 Beaver  
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Register of Wills has granted letters  
testamentary or of administration to the  
persons named. All persons having claims  
or demands against said estates are  
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attorneys named below.

Third Publication

**McCLINCEY, ELDA E.**, Dec'd  
Late of Curwensville  
Co-Executrix: **ENOLA McCLINCEY**  
Co-Executor: **GARY L. McCLINCEY**  
Attorney: **PETER F. SMITH**  
PO Box 130  
Clearfield, PA 16830

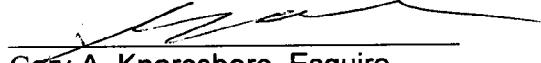
**SHAKESPEARE, DOROTHY C.**, Dec'd  
Late of DuBois  
Co-Executors: **PNC BANK**  
**HOWARD J. SHAKESPEARE**  
Attorney: **TIMOTHY F. BURKE**  
902 Oliver Bldg.  
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

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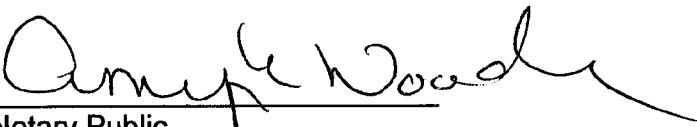
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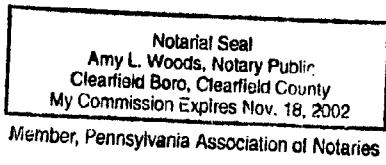
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA :  
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COUNTY OF CLEARFIELD :

On this 5th day of August AD 2002, before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared Gary A. Knaresboro editor of the Clearfield County Legal Journal of the Courts of Clearfield County, and that the annexed is a true copy of the notice or advertisement published in said publication in the regular issues of Week of August 2, 2002, Vol. 14 No. 31. And that all of the allegations of this statement as to the time, place, and character of the publication are true.

  
Gary A. Knaresboro, Esquire  
Editor

Sworn and subscribed to before me the day and year aforesaid.

  
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Notary Public  
My Commission Expires



Lea Ann Heltzel  
900 Beaver Drive  
DuBois PA 15801

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*W.A.S.*  
William A. Shaw  
Prothonotary

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF  
CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA  
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**CERTIFIED LIEN SEARCH**

In Re: Patrick J. Kopp

NO. 2002-01108-CD

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA  
SS:  
CLEARFIELD COUNTY,

I, William A. Shaw, Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that I have examined the indices and there is no lien or judgment entered against Patrick J. Kopp within the last five years past or remaining unsatisfied in this office since 1975.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have  
hereunto set my hand and official seal of  
said Court, at Clearfield, this December 23,  
2002.



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Prothonotary

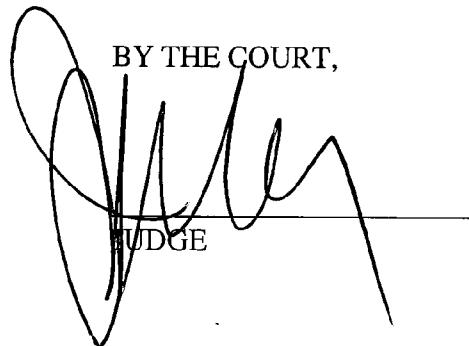
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**ORDER**

AND NOW, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2002, the Petitioner having filed a Motion to Continue and for good cause shown;

It is hereby ORDERED that the Petition for Change of Name scheduled for September 23, 2002 at 1:30 p.m. be and is hereby RESCHEDULED for the 23 day of December, 2002, at 10:30 o'clock A M., in Courtroom No. 1 of the Clearfield County Courthouse, Clearfield, Pennsylvania.

BY THE COURT,  
  
JUDGE

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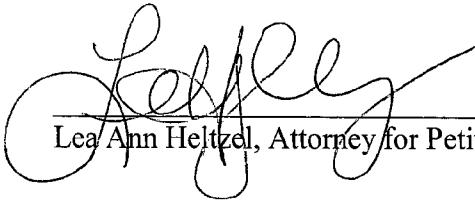
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of Petition for Change of Name of Patrick J. Kopp together with Order of Court dated November 6, 2002, addressed to Pamelyn Kopp, filed on behalf of David Edner, Patricia Edner and Eric Edner, was forwarded by Certified/Restricted Mail on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of December, 2002, addressed as follows:

Ms. Pamelyn Kopp  
R.R. #3, Box 496  
Altoona, PA 16601

  
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Lea Ann Heltzel, Attorney for Petitioners

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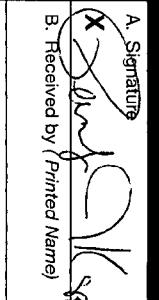
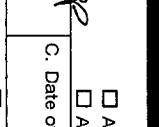
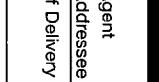
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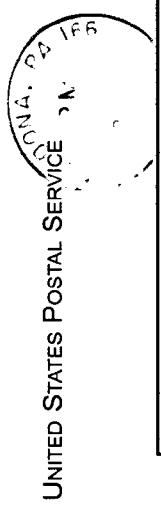
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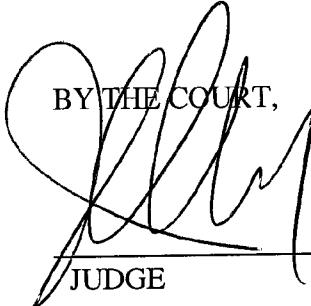
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ORDER

AND NOW, this 26<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2002, upon consideration of Petitioner's Petition for Change of Name, it is hereby ORDERED and DECREED that the name of PATRICK J. KOPP shall be changed to PATRICK J. EDNER and Patrick's birth certificate shall be so amended to so read.

BY THE COURT,  
  
JUDGE

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Prothonotary

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