

Bracketed [...] items to be personalized or deleted, as applicable.

Prove Up in Adoption

Your name is _____ correct?

You are the petitioner in this matter?

Are you here today regarding _____ the child the subject of this suit?

Is _____, a [fe]male child born on _____, in _____, Texas, whose residence was _____ County Texas at the time this suit was filed?

Are you seeking an order from the court creating the parent-child relationship between you and the child?

Are you the [sole/joint] managing conservator of the child?

Is it true that the rights existing between the child ____ and the child's biological mother [and the child and the child's biological father] have been previously terminated?

Is it true that, prior to our appearance here today, the required adoptive home study has been done and is on file with the court?

Is it true that, prior to our appearance here today, the required criminal background checks have been done and are on file with the court?

[Is it true that, prior to our appearance here today, the required health, social/educational and genetic history has been completed and provided to you?]

Is it true that, prior to our appearance here today, the required social study has been done and is on file with the court?

Has the child resided with you in your home for over six (6) months?

Are you familiar with the rights, duties, privileges and powers of a parent under the Texas Family Code?

Are you willing to assume these rights, duties, privileges and powers with respect to the child _____?

Are you asking the court to grant an adoption?

Do you believe this is in the child's best interest?

[Are you asking that the child's name be changed to _____?]

Are you asking that the records in this case be sealed?

[Same questions for other parent OR You have heard the questions I asked _____. If I were to ask you the same questions-, would your answers be substantially the same?]