

Case Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Declaration Confirming Parentage in Stepparent Adoption**

This form is attached to [form ADOPT-200](#), *Adoption Request*.

*This optional form may be attached to the form ADOPT-200 if the adopting parent was married to or in a state-registered domestic partnership with the parent who gave birth to the child at the time the child was born. You may instead attach a declaration in another format containing substantially the same information. The birth parent and the adopting parent must complete separate declarations.*

① I (write your name) \_\_\_\_\_ declare as follows:

② Relationship between the birth parent and the adopting parent seeking to confirm parentage (check one):

a.  I am the parent who gave birth to the child to be adopted. I married or entered into a state-registered domestic partnership (including a domestic partnership or civil union from out-of-state that is legally equivalent to a marriage) with the adopting parent who is seeking to confirm parentage (name of adopting parent seeking to confirm parentage) \_\_\_\_\_ and we remain in that union.

b.  I am the adopting parent seeking to confirm parentage. I married or entered into a state-registered domestic partnership with the parent who gave birth (name of parent who gave birth to the child to be adopted) \_\_\_\_\_ and we remain in that union.

③ We were married/registered as domestic partners on (date you entered into your earliest union) \_\_\_\_\_, before our child was born. A copy of our marriage certificate, registered domestic partner certificate, or certificate of out-of-state domestic partnership or civil union is attached.

④ Our child (name of child to be adopted) \_\_\_\_\_ was born on (date) \_\_\_\_\_. A copy of our child's birth certificate is attached.

⑤  Our child was conceived through assisted reproduction in compliance with Family Code section 7613 as described below (Describe how your child was conceived and whether you used a known or unknown donor. A letter from your sperm bank or a written donor agreement verifying conception by assisted reproduction should be attached. If you used a known donor without a sperm bank or written donor agreement, you should seek legal advice before submitting this form):

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