

**This is a private record.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
My Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email

I am the  Co-Petitioner  
 Attorney for the Co-Petitioner and my Utah Bar number is \_\_\_\_\_

In the District Court of Utah

\_\_\_\_\_ Judicial District \_\_\_\_\_ County

Court Address \_\_\_\_\_

In the Matter of the Adoption of _____ (adoptee's name)	<b>Statement Supporting Motion for Alternative Service</b> (Stepparent Adoption)  Case Number _____  Judge _____  Commissioner _____
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**Instructions:**

- You must complete this form before you file it. Court staff cannot complete this form for you.
- Keep a copy of all documents for your records.
- Attend all court hearings.
- Attach additional pages as needed to complete paragraphs that don't have enough space. Write the paragraph number on the additional page.

I say as follows:

- (1) As required by Section 78B-6-110, personal service of the Notice of Petition to Adopt and Notice of Rights on \_\_\_\_\_  
(name of parent to be served) has been attempted at least two times but was unsuccessful.

(2) My last contact with the above-named parent was on \_\_\_\_\_  
(date) under the following circumstances:

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(3) I have done the following to locate and personally serve the above-named parent:

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(4) My attempts to serve the above-named parent have failed because:

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(5)  I believe that the above-named parent is avoiding service because:

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(6) I believe the following means of service are reasonably calculated, under all of the circumstances, to give actual notice. (Choose all that apply.)

E-mailing the notice to \_\_\_\_\_ (e-mail address).

Mailing the notice by certified mail with return receipt requested to the above-named parent in the care of the following name and address:

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Publishing the notice on the Utah Press Association webpage for 28 consecutive days.

Publishing the notice once a week for 4 consecutive weeks in \_\_\_\_\_, which is a newspaper of general circulation in this county.

Other method (describe):

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(7)  I believe that the probability of actual notice is improved by communicating to the above-named parent by: (Choose  all that apply.)

- Social Network (such as Facebook) at \_\_\_\_\_ (name)
- Twitter at \_\_\_\_\_ (name)
- Text message at \_\_\_\_\_ (number)
- Phone at \_\_\_\_\_ (number)

that service has been made by the means described in Paragraph (6).

(8) I believe the means of service described above are reasonably calculated, under all of the circumstances, to give actual notice because:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
I declare under penalty of Utah Code Section 78B-5-705 that everything stated in this document is true.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Sign here ► \_\_\_\_\_

Typed or printed name \_\_\_\_\_