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Attorney for (Name):	
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SONOMA Civil & Family Law Courthouse, Family Law Division 3055 Cleveland Avenue Santa Rosa, CA 95403 Telephone: (707) 521-6500	
PETITIONER/PLAINTIFF: RESPONDENT/DEFENDANT: OTHER PARENT/CLAIMANT:	
PETITION FOR GRANDPARENT VISITATION	Case Number:

Petitioner(s) allege(s):

1. Petitioner(s) is (are): Maternal Paternal Grandfather Grandmother of the minor child(ren) listed below:

Child's Name

Birth Date _____ Gender (M/F)

If more room is needed, add an extra page (not a form) and label it "Attachment": See Attachment, no. 1.

2. An action is currently pending for custody and visitation in case number _____ and

- a. No Judgment has been entered; or
b. A Judgment was entered on (date): _____ providing as follows: (describe custody and visitation order)

See Attachment, no. 2:

3. Petitioner(s) has(have) standing to bring this Petition forth, because (must mark one):

- a. Parents are not married to each other
b. The parents are married to each other and one or more of the following exist:
 Currently living separately and apart on a permanent or indefinite basis.
 One of the spouses has been absent for more than one month without the other spouse knowing the whereabouts of the absent spouse.
 One of the parents joins in the Petition with the grandparents (signature on page 2).
 The child is not residing with either parent.
 The child has been adopted by a stepparent.
 One of the parents is incarcerated or involuntarily institutionalized.
c. One of the parents is deceased and the child has not been adopted by a person other than a step parent or grandparent.

4. There is a pre-existing relationship and bond between the grandparent(s) and the grandchild(ren) such that visitation is in the best interest of the child(ren), as described below:

See Attachment, No. 4:

5. The interests of the child(ren) in having visitation with the grandparent(s) will be balanced against the right of the parents to exercise their parental authority, as described below:

See Attachment, No. 5.

6. Describe the relationship between the child(ren) and the grandparent(s). Explain why visitation is in child(ren)'s best interest. Include all facts supporting the requested visitation below:

See Attachment, No. 6.

7. Describe the proposed schedule of visitation:

See Attachment, No. 7.

8. A completed Summons (SUM-100) and Declaration under the Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act (FL-105) is submitted herewith.

9. Petitioner(s) request(s) that the Court grant reasonable visitation with the above named child(ren), and such other relief as the Court may deem appropriate, pursuant to Family Code Section 3103.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing and all attachments are true and correct.

Date: _____

Type or Print Name

Signature of Petitioner

Type or Print Name

Signature of Petitioner

PARENT CONSENT TO PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR GRANDPARENT VISITATION.

I consent to and join in this Petition for Grandparent Visitation.

Date: _____

Type or Print Name

Signature of Parent of Minor Child(ren)