

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SONOMA
Family Law Clerk's Office

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ADOPTION PACKET
\$7.50

Filing Fee: \$20.00

Included in this packet are the forms needed to file an *Adoption Request*. Hand printed forms will be accepted for filing as long as they are legible. After you have completed the forms, **make one photocopy of each of the documents** you will be presenting to the Court for filing. You may also access and complete these forms online at <http://www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhlep/>.

	Form
How to Adopt a Child in California	ADOPT-050-INFO
Adoption Request	ADOPT-200
Indian Child Inquiry Attachment.....	ICWA-010(A)
Parental Notification of Indian Status.....	ICWA-020
Adoption Agreement	ADOPT-210
Adoption Order... ..	ADOPT-215
Adoption of Indian Child	ADOPT-220
Adoption Expenses	ADOPT-230
Court Report of Adoption	VS-44

Once all of the documents have been submitted for filing, the Probate Court Services (PCS) office will contact you for further action on your request.

There is a \$700 court investigation fee in stepparent adoption matters. You may request to have this fee waived if you qualify. Information and forms regarding waiving court fees and costs are available at the Court.

Local Rules of Court are available online at <http://sonoma.court.ca.gov/>.