

Petition to Establish Paternity

Case Number: _____

In the _____ Court of (county): _____ County, Alabama

State of Alabama, ex rel.

v.

Plaintiff's First and Last Name*(the person filing this Petition)*_____
Defendant's First and Last Name*(the other parent)***Important!** You must file this form in the same county where the child lives.**① Name, address, and date of birth of the child involved in this paternity case (print):**Child's Name: _____ Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy): _____
first middle lastAddress: _____
street address city county state zip**② Information about the man you think is the child's biological father:**Alleged father's name: _____
first middle lastAddress: _____
street address city state zipHas this man ever been married to the mother of this child? Yes NoDoes the child's birth certificate list this man as the father? Yes No* I do not know.

*If No, who is listed as the father? _____

③ Information about this child's birth mother:Mother's name: _____
first middle lastAddress: _____
street address city state zip

Phone #: (_____) _____

Was the mother married to another man during the 12 months before the child was born? Yes* No***If Yes, fill out below:**Husband's name: _____
first middle lastAddress: _____
street address city state zip

Date of marriage: _____

Date of divorce (if applicable): _____

④ Genetic Testing

Do you want the Court to order genetic testing to prove that the man whose name is listed in ③ is the father of this child? Yes No

If you check "Yes," the court may ask you to pay all or part of the cost of the genetic tests.

⑤ Other Cases Involving This Child

Has this child been involved in any other court case, like child support, juvenile, DHR, or other paternity cases? Yes* No

*If Yes, fill out below:

When and where were the orders made?			What kind of orders did the court make?
Date	County	State	

⑤ I ask the Court:

- for a hearing to decide if the Defendant is the legal father of the child listed above, and
- to make the Orders I have asked for in this *Petition* and any other orders I may be entitled to.



Petitioner's Signature

Date: _____