

<b>STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY</b>	<b>ORDER OF INVESTIGATION AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON GUARDIANSHIP OF INDIAN CHILD</b>	<b>CASE NO. and JUDGE</b>
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Court address

Court telephone no.

In the matter of \_\_\_\_\_  
First, middle, and last name

1. The court has discovered that the minor listed above may be an Indian child.

2. A guardianship was ordered in this case on \_\_\_\_\_ .  
Date

<b>ORDER TO INVESTIGATE</b>
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**IT IS ORDERED:**

3. For the guardianship of the minor,

Name (type or print)

☐ The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services

Address

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City, state, zip

Telephone no.

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Telephone no.

is appointed to investigate and to report to the court in accordance with MCL 700.5204(1).

4. The investigation shall include an inquiry into Indian tribal membership for the minor. If the minor is an Indian child, the report shall contain the information required in MCL 712B.25(1).

5. The guardian shall cooperate with this investigation.

6. The appointed investigator must complete the investigation, file a written report with the court, and serve the report on any interested persons under MCR 5.125 no later than \_\_\_\_\_ .  
Date (7 days before the hearing on the petition)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge signature and date

**(SEE SECOND PAGE FOR NOTICE OF HEARING)**

**NOTICE OF HEARING OF GUARDIANSHIP PROCEEDINGS**

TO:			(Name and telephone no. of natural parent or Indian custodian. State if unknown.)
			(Name and telephone no. of natural parent or Indian custodian. State if unknown.)
			(Name and telephone no. of ICWA Designated Tribal Agent. See list <a href="#">here</a> . State if unknown.)
	Midwest Regional Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs 5600 West American Blvd., Suite 500 Norman Pointe II Building Bloomington, MN 55437 (612) 725-4500		(Use only if identity of parents, custodian, or tribe is unknown. If grandparent(s) are known, please provide name(s) and date(s) of birth on Personal Identifying Information Form [MC 97a].)

**TAKE NOTICE:**

1. The court has discovered that the minor may be an Indian child. The Indian Child Welfare Act and the Michigan Indian Family Preservation Act may apply to this case.
2. A hearing regarding the guardianship of the minor will be held at the date, time, and location listed below:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date and Time

\_\_\_\_\_  
Location

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge

If you choose to attend this hearing and you require accommodations to use the court because of a disability or if you require a foreign language interpreter to help you fully participate in court proceedings, please contact the court immediately to make arrangements.

**USE NOTE:** This order and notice must be sent to the persons prescribed in MCR 5.125(A)(8), (C)(19), and (C)(25) in accordance with MCR 5.109(1). A copy of the order and notice must also be mailed to the guardian by first-class mail.