



**CATHOLIC ADOPTION SERVICES  
OF WASHINGTON STATE**

A PROGRAM OF CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICES OF WESTERN WASHINGTON

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**REQUEST TO SEARCH FOR BIRTH PARENT  
WAIVER OF CONFIDENTIALITY,  
CONSENT TO CONTACT AND REUNION SERVICES  
HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT  
ADULT ADOPTED PERSON**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, request that Catholic Community Services conduct a search for my birth parents on my behalf. I waive my right to confidentiality and authorize Catholic Community Services to divulge to my birth parent information about me that they may find of interest, including my contact information, unless otherwise stipulated by me in writing to Catholic Community Services. I further consent to actions taken by Catholic Community Services for the purpose of facilitating contact between my birth parents and myself.

I will hold Catholic Community Services and any and all of its employees harmless for any damage or injury that may result from complying with my wish to search for and contact my birth child and facilitate contact between us.

I have read this agreement or had it read and explained to me and fully understand its meaning and effect.

Birth Date of Adoptee: \_\_\_\_\_

Adoptive Parents' Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Catholic Community Service's Office through which the adoption was completed,

Circle one:      Seattle      Tacoma      Vancouver      Everett      Bellingham

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

Place of Signing: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number (Day): \_\_\_\_\_ (Evening) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ signed or attested before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public in and for the State of \_\_\_\_\_  
residing at \_\_\_\_\_  
My appointment expires: \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete and return this form with a check for \$350.00 payable to Catholic Community Services.

Mail to: Catholic Community Services

Adoption Department  
100 23rd Avenue South  
Seattle, Washington 98144-2302

Upon receipt of the completed form and fee, we will order the file. We are usually able to review the file and provide the non-identifying background information within one week of receiving the file. Searches for birth parents may take considerably longer.

If you would like to discuss your request further or have questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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