**State of Minnesota District Court**

County of: Court File Number:

Judicial District: Case Type: Guardianship – At-Risk Juvenile

**In Re the Guardianship of:**

Petitioner

# Petition for Guardianship of At-Risk Juvenile (GAC902) Minn. Stat. ch. 257D

## To: District Court – Juvenile Division, Proposed Guardian, Current Guardian (if applicable)

### Section 1 - Information about the Petitioner At-Risk Juvenile (person aged 18, 19, or 20 who is at-risk)

1. Petitioner brings this action under Minn. Stat. ch. 257D to ask the Court to appoint a Guardian for Petitioner, who is an at-risk juvenile.
2. Petitioner’s full name:

First:

Middle:

Last:

1. Petitioner’s date of birth:
2. Petitioner’s current address:

Street Address:

City, State, Zip:

1. Petitioner’s country of nationality or last habitual residence:
2. Petitioner  is married /  is not married.

### Section 2 - Information about the Proposed Guardian

1. Proposed Guardian’s full name:

First:

Middle:

Last:

1. Proposed Guardian’s address:

Street Address:

City, State, Zip:

### Section 3 - Petitioner’s Statements

1. Petitioner states the following:
   1. The appointment of a guardian is in the best interests of the Petitioner.
   2. The proposed guardian is capable and reputable.
   3. Petitioner and the proposed guardian both agree to the establishment of a guardianship and appointment of a guardian under Minn. Stat. Ch. 257D.
   4. Reunification of the Petitioner with one or both parents is not viable because of one or more of the following (include explanation):

□ abandonment:

□ abuse:

□ neglect:

□ other (explain)

e. It is not in the best interests of the Petitioner to be returned to their or their parent’s previous country of nationality or last habitual residence because:

### Section 4 - Information about Other Cases

1. **Current Guardianship under Minn. Stat. § 257D.08**

Petitioner is NOT currently subject to guardianship under Minn. Stat. § 257D.08 (Guardianship for At-Risk Juvenile).

OR

Petitioner is currently subject to guardianship under Minn. Stat. § 257D.08 and is now asking the Court to appoint a new guardian (the Proposed Guardian).

The Current Guardian’s Name:

First:

Middle:

Last:

The Current Guardian’s Address:

Street Address:

City, State, Zip:

1. **Juvenile Court or Family Court Cases Involving the Petitioner**

Unknown – Petitioner does not know of any other court orders or court cases involving the Petitioner.

No – There are no other court orders or court cases involving the Petitioner in Minnesota or any other state.

Yes – There is another court order or court case involving the Petitioner.

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### Section 5 - Information about the Petitioner’s Parents

1. **Parent 1**
   1. Parent 1’s full name:

First:

Middle:

Last:

* 1. Parent 1’s Address:

Street Address:

City, State, Zip:

OR

Petitioner does not know Parent 1’s address.

* 1. Parent 1’s country of nationality or last habitual residence:

OR

Petitioner does not know Parent 1’s country of nationality or last habitual residence.

1. **Parent 2**
   1. Parent 2’s full name:

First:

Middle:

Last:

* 1. Parent 2’s Address:

Street Address:

City, State, Zip:

OR

Petitioner does not know Parent 2’s address.

* 1. Parent 2’s country of nationality or last habitual residence:

OR

Petitioner does not know Parent 2’s country of nationality or last habitual residence.

### Section 6 – Other Information Petitioner Wants the Court to Know

1. Other Information:

## Requests for Relief

1. Petitioner asks the Court to appoint as Petitioner’s Guardian.
2. Petitioner asks the Court to waive the parental notice requirement under Minn. Stat. § 257D.06 regarding Parent 1 based on the following:

1. Petitioner asks the Court to waive the parental notice requirement under Minn. Stat. § 257D.06 regarding Parent 2 based on the following:

1. Petitioner also asks the court for

1. Petitioner asks the Court to grant such other relief as the Court may deem just and equitable.

I declare under penalty of perjury that everything I have stated in this document is true and correct. Minn. Stat. § 358.116

Date: Signature:

Printed Name:

County and state where signed: Address:

City/State/Zip:

Email:

Phone: