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In the matter of: _____ (child)

PETITION TO OPEN CHILD PROTECTION CASE

I, _____, am designated by the Chitina Tribal Council to open child protection cases in the Chitina Tribal Court, and I petition the Court to open a case regarding the above-named child.

Under Chitina Tribal Court Codes, Title 2, Chapter 1, Section 7, I am providing the following required information that I have gathered myself:

1. I believe the child is a Child in Need of Aid because:

[Attach additional documents to Petition if needed.]

2. The Chitina Village Council gave me permission to open this case:

_____ [signature of Chitina Village Council President, or other council representative]

3. Child's Information

- a. Name: _____
b. Date of Birth: _____
c. Last Known Address: _____
d. Tribal Community child lives in, if any: _____
e. Child's Tribal Citizenship (including Tribes child is eligible to join):

4. Parents' Information

- a. Biological Mother: _____
i. Last Known Address: _____
ii. Tribal Citizenship: _____
b. Biological Father: _____

- i. Last Known Address: _____
 - ii. Tribal Citizenship: _____
- c. Child's Parent, other than biological ["Parent" is defined in Tribal Court Codes, Title 2, Chapter 1, Section 1]: _____
 - i. Last Known Address: _____
 - ii. Tribal Citizenship: _____
- d. Child's Parent, other than biological: _____
 - i. Last Known Address: _____
 - ii. Tribal Citizenship: _____

5. I provided notice of opening this case to all of the children's parents and any Tribes the child is a citizen of or eligible for citizenship in, by these means:

6. Is this an emergency? If so, explain why: [Emergencies are defined in Tribal Court Codes, Title 2, Chapter 1, Section 1)

7. These are the efforts I've completed to safely return the child to its family, before resorting to a child protection case:

 DATE

 Designated Caseworker
 Phone: _____
 Email: _____

For the Clerk to complete:

I, _____, received this Petition on _____.

[Clerk's Name]

[Date]

 [Signature]