JOINT PETITION FOR ADOPTION BY STEPPARENT

THE FOLLOWING FORMS ARE TO BE USED WHEN FILING FOR A JOINT PETITION FOR ADOPTION BY STEPPARENT

12.928 **Cover Sheet for Family Court Cases**

12.900 (h) **Notice of Related Cases**

12.981 (b) (1) **Joint Petition for Adoption by Stepparent**

12.981 (b) (2) **Final Judgment of Stepparent Adoption**

12.902 (d) **Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction Enforcement Act Affidavit (UCCJEA)**

12. 981 (a) (1) **Stepparent Adoption: Consent & Waiver by Parent**

12.981 (a) (2) **Stepparent Adoption: Consent by Adoptee**

12.981 (a) (3) **Affidavit of Non-Paternity**

12.981 (a) (4) **Stepparent Adoption: Affidavit of Diligent Search**

12.981 (a) (5) **Indian Child Welfare Affidavit Act**

12.981 (a) (6) **Motion for Search of the Putative Father Registry (when father is unknown)**

12.981 (a) (7) **Order Granting Motion for Search of Putative Father Registry**

A certified copy of the child's birth certificate is also required.

The above-referenced forms can be obtained on the Internet at www.flcourts.org **– Self Help – Family Law Forms and at the Law Library, Room 208, Courthouse Annex, 125 E. Orange Avenue, Daytona Beach, or the Law Library, Room B318, DeLand Courthouse, 101 N. Alabama Avenue, DeLand**

1. **Prepare paperwork.**
2. **File with Family Law Clerk – Rm. 308 – DB – Rm. B-223 – DL.**
3. **Ask clerk to prepare summons if you are serving the other parent.**