



NEBRASKA STATE PATROL

Fingerprint-based National Background Check for Private Adoptions / Guardianship/Conservatorship

1. Applicant Information

Applicant 1:

Full Legal Name:	Date of Birth:	Social Security Number: (*Optional)	Phone #:
Mailing Address:	City:	State:	Zip:

Applicant 2:

Full Legal Name:	Date of Birth:	Social Security Number: (*Optional)	Phone #:
Mailing Address:	City:	State:	Zip:

* Pursuant to the Federal Privacy Act of 1974, voluntary disclosure of the social security number is requested from applicants for the sole purpose of processing criminal history background checks. This number is used to assist in proper identification.

2. Attorney (leave this section blank if you are representing yourself)

Name of law firm or agency:	Name of attorney or agency contact:
Mailing Address:	City: State: Zip:
Phone #:	Fax: Email:

3. County Court Information (this section must be completed)

Court Case Number:	Court where petition was filed:	Date filed:
Mailing Address:	City:	State: Zip:

4. Signatures

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have received and read the Privacy Act Statement and Non-Criminal Justice Applicant's Privacy Rights statements on sections 6 & 7 of this application.

Applicant 1:	Date:	Applicant 2:	Date:
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5. Submission instructions

1. File petition for adoption with the court
2. Obtain fingerprints for all applicants (if printed somewhere other than a state patrol office, request 2 sets of fingerprints to take with you)
3. Submit completed form to NSP via mail, email or fax along with fingerprint cards and payment
4. Submit payment in the amount of \$75 per applicant. Payment can be by check or money order payable to Nebraska State Patrol, or pay online via credit/debit card or e-check: www.statepatrol.nebraska.gov/services/fingerprinting

Mailing address:	Email address:	Fax Number:
Nebraska State Patrol Criminal Identification Division PO Box 94907 Lincoln, NE 68509-4907	nsp.criminalidentification@nebraska.gov	(402) 479-4321

Authority: The FBI's acquisition, preservation, and exchange of fingerprints and associated information is generally authorized under 28 U.S.C. 534. Depending on the nature of your application, supplemental authorities include Federal statutes, State statutes pursuant to Pub. L. 92-544, Presidential Executive Orders, and federal regulations. Providing your fingerprints and associated information is voluntary; however, failure to do so may affect completion or approval of your application.

Principal Purpose: Certain determinations, such as employment, licensing, and security clearances, may be predicated on fingerprint-based background checks. Your fingerprints and associated information/biometrics may be provided to the employing, investigating, or otherwise responsible agency, and/or the FBI for the purpose of comparing your fingerprints to other fingerprints in the FBI's Next Generation Identification (NGI) system or its successor systems (including civil, criminal, and latent fingerprint repositories) or other available records of the employing, investigating, or otherwise responsible agency. The FBI may retain your fingerprints and associated information/biometrics in NGI after the completion of this application and, while retained, your fingerprints may continue to be compared against other fingerprints submitted to or retained by NGI.

Routine Uses: During the processing of this application and for as long thereafter as your fingerprints and associated information/biometrics are retained in NGI, your information may be disclosed pursuant to your consent, and may be disclosed without your consent as permitted by the Privacy Act of 1974 and all applicable Routine Uses as may be published at any time in the Federal Register, including the Routine Uses for the NGI system and the FBI's Blanket Routine Uses. Routine Uses include, but are not limited to, disclosures to: employing, governmental or authorized non-governmental agencies responsible for employment, contracting, licensing, security clearances, and other suitability determinations; local, state, tribal or federal law enforcement agencies; criminal justice agencies; and agencies responsible for national security or public safety.

7. NONCRIMINAL JUSTICE APPLICANT'S PRIVACY RIGHTS

As an applicant who is the subject of a national fingerprint-based criminal history record check for a noncriminal justice purpose (such as an application for employment or a license, an immigration or naturalization matter, security clearance, or adoption), you have certain rights which are discussed below. All notices must be provided to you in writing.¹ These obligations are pursuant to the Privacy Act of 1974, Title 5, United States Code (U.S.C.) Section 552a, and Title 28 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), 50.12, among other authorities.

- You must be provided an adequate written FBI Privacy Act Statement (dated 2013 or later) when you submit your fingerprints and associated personal information. This Privacy Act Statement must explain the authority for collecting your fingerprints and associated information and whether your fingerprints and associated information will be searched, shared, or retained.²
- You must be advised in writing of the procedures for obtaining a change, correction, or update of your FBI criminal history record as set forth at 28 CFR 16.34.
- You must be provided the opportunity to complete or challenge the accuracy of the information in your FBI criminal history record (if you have such a record).
- If you have a criminal history record, you should be afforded a reasonable amount of time to correct or complete the record (or decline to do so) before the officials deny you the employment, license, or other benefit based on information in the FBI criminal history record.
- If agency policy permits, the officials may provide you with a copy of your FBI criminal history record for review and possible challenge. If agency policy does not permit it to provide you a copy of the record, you may obtain a copy of the record by submitting fingerprints and a fee to the FBI. Information regarding this process may be obtained at <https://www.fbi.gov/services/cjis/identity-history-summary-checks> and <https://www.edo.cjis.gov>.
- If you decide to challenge the accuracy or completeness of your FBI criminal history record, you should send your challenge to the agency that contributed the questioned information to the FBI. Alternatively, you may send your challenge directly to the FBI by submitting a request via <https://www.edo.cjis.gov>. The FBI will then forward your challenge to the agency that contributed the questioned information and request the agency to verify or correct the challenged entry. Upon receipt of an official communication from that agency, the FBI will make any necessary changes/corrections to your record in accordance with the information supplied by that agency. (See 28 CFR 16.30 through 16.34.)
- You have the right to expect that officials receiving the results of the criminal history record check will use it only for authorized purposes and will not retain or disseminate it in violation of federal statute, regulation or executive order, or rule, procedure or standard established by the National Crime Prevention and Privacy Compact Council.³

¹ Written notification includes electronic notification, but excludes oral notification.

² <https://www.fbi.gov/services/cjis/compact-council/privacy-act-statement>

³ See 5 U.S.C. 552a(b); 28 U.S.C. 534(b); 34 U.S.C. § 40316 (formerly cited as 42 U.S.C. § 14616), Article IV(c); 28 CFR 20.21(c), 20.33(d) and 906.2(d).