

IN THE IOWA DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR _____ COUNTY

In re the Amendment of the
Marriage Certificate of :

Case No. _____

Order Amending
Marriage Certificate

And

By _____
Petitioner(s) (Person(s) Requesting
Amendment).

Now on this _____ day of _____, the Petition for Amending Marriage Certificate under Iowa Code Section 144.38 comes before the Court for review. After reviewing the Petition and supporting evidentiary documentation as provided with said Petition, the Court finds as follows:

That said Petition for Order Amending Marriage Certificate is denied for the following reason(s):

Comes now the Court and after reviewing Petition for Amending Marriage Certificate finds

- 1) That the Petitioner is a qualified person(s) to request such amendment.
- 2) The full names and dates of birth of the persons on the certificate that is requested to be amended is as follows:
 - a. Name: _____
 - b. Date of Birth: _____
 - c. Name: _____

d. Date of Birth: _____

The date of marriage of the parties listed is as follows:

Date of Marriage _____

3) That this Petition to Amend a Marriage Certificate is not being filed to request to change a legal name after marriage.

4) The Petitioner provides the following information to the Court:

a) THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS LISTED THE SAME AS ON THE ORIGINAL MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE:

Party 1) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	First	Middle	Last name prior to marriage	Last name after marriage

Party 2) _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	First	Middle	Last name prior to marriage	Last name after marriage

Date of Marriage _____
(Month) (Day) (Year)

Place of Marriage _____

Other Information _____

b) ITEMS LISTED ABOVE ARE REQUESTED TO BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

Item _____ Correction _____

Item _____ Correction _____

Item _____ Correction _____

Item _____ Correction _____

Item _____ Correction _____

5) Check either A or B:

___A. A certified copy of the marriage certificate to be amended is attached to this petition; or,

___B. A certified copy of the marriage certificate is not available because (state reasons marriage certificate is not available): _____

6) The following additional evidentiary documents were submitted and reviewed by the Court, and support the requested change:

- Military entry or discharge papers
- Certificate of Birth when used to correct age, birthplace, or name of a parent (certified copy)
- Employment record
- School enrollment records, transcripts, or high school diploma
- Life insurance policy or pension plan
- Hospital or physician medical record
- Social security application (micro print)
- Other (specify) _____

After full review of evidentiary documentation, the Court hereby Orders the Iowa Department of Public Health to amend the marriage certificate referred to herein as requested in 4(b) above.

JUDGE, _____ JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF IOWA