

**Republic of the Philippines**

**Philippine Consulate General Sydney**

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Petition No. \_\_\_\_\_

**PETITION FOR CHANGE OF FIRST NAME**

1) I, \_\_\_\_\_, of legal age, \_\_\_\_\_, and a resident of \_\_\_\_\_, (complete address) after having duly sworn to in accordance with law, hereby declare that:

1) I am the petitioner seeking the change of first name in:

a.  my Certificate of Live Birth

b.  the Certificate of Live Birth of \_\_\_\_\_ (complete name of owner) who is my \_\_\_\_\_ . (relation of owner to the petitioner)

2) I/He/She was born on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, (city/municipality) \_\_\_\_\_, (province) (country)

3) The birth was recorded under registry number \_\_\_\_\_.

4) The first name to be changed is from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.

5) The grounds for filing this petition are the following: (Ground selected should be explained/ justified in a separate sheet of paper to be attached to this form.)

a.  The first name is extremely difficult to write or pronounce;

b.  I have/He/She has habitually and continuously used \_\_\_\_\_ and I/he/she is publicly known in the community with that first name;

c.  The first name is tainted with dishonor;

d.  The first name is ridiculous;

e.  The first name causes confusion;

6) I submit the following documents to support this petition: (Use additional sheets, if necessary)

- a. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. \_\_\_\_\_
- c. \_\_\_\_\_
- d. \_\_\_\_\_

7) I have/He/She has not filed any similar petition and that, to the best of my knowledge, no other similar petition is pending with any LCRO, Court or Philippine Consulate.

8) I am filing this petition at the Philippine Consulate General in Sydney, New South Wales, Australia in accordance with R.A. No. 9048 and its implementing rules and regulations.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature over printed name of petitioner

**VERIFICATION**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, the petitioner, hereby certify that the allegations herein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature over printed name of petitioner

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this, \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the city/ municipality of \_\_\_\_\_, petitioner exhibiting his Passport No. \_\_\_\_\_ issued at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Administering Officer**

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**ACTION TAKEN BY THE CONSUL GENERAL**

**(Provide the basis for the action taken.)**

**Granted**  **Denied**

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Consul General

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**ACTION TAKEN BY CRG**

**(Provide the basis for the action taken.)**

**Affirmed**  **Impugned**

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Civil Registrar General

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Payment of filing fee (Please attach copy of the official receipt.)

O.R. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Amount paid \_\_\_\_\_

Date paid \_\_\_\_\_