

STATE OF ALABAMA )  
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MORGAN COUNTY )

PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF A.I.M., MINOR, BY KELLY SHEPPARD

NOTICE TO:

DAVID L. MCDONALD, ALLEGED LEGAL FATHER, WHEREABOUTS  
UNKNOWN

ALL FATHERS, KNOWN AND UNKNOWN, WHEREABOUTS UNKNOWN

You will take notice that KELLY SHEPPARD filed their petition on June 25, 2024, to adopt A.I.M., a minor, alleging that the said legal father, David L. McDonald, Whereabouts Unknown, and said Fathers, Known and Unknown, Whereabouts Unknown, have abandoned said minor. Please be advised that if you intend to contest this adoption, you must file a written response within thirty (30) days hereof with the attorney for the Petitioner, whose name and address is shown below and with the Clerk of said Probate Court. If you fail to respond within thirty (30) days the court may construe that failure as an implied consent to the adoption of the minor child, A.I.M., and as a waiver of the right to appear and of further notice of the adoption proceedings. Additionally, if the adoption is approved, your parental rights pertaining to the minor child A.I.M., will be terminated by the adoption proceedings.

Done this the 12<sup>th</sup> day of July 2024.

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Judge of Probate

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