

TITLE TO REAL ESTATE

1788 PREVIOUS EDITIONS OF THIS ACT

State of South Carolina,
County of Greenville.

Agreement for adoption of Child.

This agreement made this 24 day of October, 1938, AD by and between Alpha Omega Gibson, an unmarried woman, and J. M. Hopkins and Laura Graham Hopkins, husband and wife
Witnesseth:

That whereas, said Alpha Omega Gibson is the mother of a male infant born out of wedlock in the City of Greenville, in the State of South Carolina, and on the 2nd day of February, 1938, named Grady Lee Gibson, and

Whereas, the said Alpha Omega Gibson is destitute and unable to provide or cause to be provided suitable care and nourishment for said infant, or to properly provide or cause to be provided suitable care, nurture and education for the said infant as it shall grow to manhood, and

Whereas, the said J. M. Hopkins and Laura Graham Hopkins, husband and wife, are and have been residents of the said State of South Carolina for more than one year last past and are possessed of money, property, and income enough to suitably nurture, care for, educate, bring up and provide for the said male infant, and to the full performance of all of said things they are ready and willing, and by their acceptance of this trust do hereby bind themselves to carry out and perform, fully agreeing to accept said infant as their own child, as if born to them in lawful wedlock and to make said male child their heir.

Nowtherefore by reason of the above stated facts, and in consideration of the agreement aforesaid, the said Alpha Omega Gibson does hereby relinquish in favor of said J. M. Hopkins and Laura Graham Hopkins, husband and wife, all her rights as mother of said infant, and does hereby surrender and renounce all right, title and interest of every nature in and control over said infant from this time forth, and does hereby consent that the said infant shall be adopted by and be the child of the said J. M. Hopkins and Laura Graham Hopkins, and does further consent to the entry of a decree to that effect by any court of competent jurisdiction.

It is further understood that it is the desire of the adopting parents to change the name of this male infant from Grady Lee Gibson to William Mauldin Hopkins, and the said Alpha Omega Gibson hereby consents to said change of name.

In witness whereof the said Alpha Omega Gibson and the said J. M. Hopkins and Laura Graham Hopkins have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals this 24 day of October, 1938, A. D.

Witnesses:

P. L. Cogburn
Lois Ford.

Alpha Omega Gibson (L. S.)

J. M. Hopkins (L. S.)

Laura Graham Hopkins (L. S.)

State of South Carolina,
County of Greenville.

Personally appeared before me Lois Ford, who, being duly sworn, says that he saw the above named parties sign, seal and as their act deliver the above instrument and that he with P. L. Cogburn witnesseth the execution thereof.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 24th day of October, 1938 A. D.

Harry L. Hingson (L. S.)
Notary Public for S. C.

Lois Ford.

No Stamps.



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