

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
PROBATE DIVISION
TRUMBULL COUNTY, OHIO**

IN THE MATTER OF
THE ADOPTION OF:

(NAME AFTER ADOPTION)

) CASE NO. 2002 ADP
)
) JOURNAL ENTRY

Pursuant to R.C. 3107.031, the Court hereby appoints _____
_____ as an adoption assessor to conduct a home study for the purpose of
ascertaining whether the petitioner(s) seeking to adopt the minor(s) is suitable to adopt the minor(s).

The assessor shall prepare a prefinalization assessment, if applicable under R.C. 3107.12,
and shall file the prefinalization report with the court not later than twenty (20) days prior to the date
of the final hearing. The assessor shall also prepare and file a written report of the home study at
least ten (10) days prior to the date of the hearing. The report shall contain the assessor's opinion
as to whether the petitioner(s) is/are suitable to adopt the minor child(ren) and other information and
documents specified in the Ohio Revised Code and the Ohio Administrative Code.

The assessor shall also conduct a criminal background check of the local law enforcement
agencies within the county and shall advise the petitioner(s) of the procedures to complete a
"WEBCHECK" background check with the Trumbull County Sheriff's Department. The
WEBCHECK background check must be completed within thirty (30) days of the filing of the
petition for adoption.

DATE

JUDGE THOMAS A. SWIFT

Copies mailed/delivered this ____ day of _____, 2002, to:

