

**STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE
OF FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME**

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<p>FILING FEE \$50 – for one business and one owner name \$7 – for each additional business name \$7 – for each additional owner name</p>
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**THE FOLLOWING FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES HAVE BEEN ABANDONED
BY THOSE REGISTRANTS LISTED BELOW:**

Current File No.: _____ **File Date:** _____

1) Fictitious Business Name(s): Use a separate page for additional entries, if necessary	Business Phone # (Optional)
2) Business Street Address (PO Box & PMB Unacceptable), City, State, & Zip Code	County
3) 1st Registrant's Full Name (Individual, General Partner, Corp., LLC)	
Residence (or Corporate) Street Address (PO Box & PMB Unacceptable)	
3) 2nd Registrant's Full Name, if applicable (Individual, General Partner, Corp., LLC)	
Residence (or Corporate) Street Address (PO Box & PMB Unacceptable)	
Use a separate page for additional registrants, if necessary	
4) Business was conducted by (CHECK ONE): <input type="checkbox"/> Individual <input type="checkbox"/> General Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Company <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Unincorporated Association other than a Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Co-Partners <input type="checkbox"/> Married Couple <input type="checkbox"/> Joint Venture <input type="checkbox"/> State or Local Registered Domestic Partners <input type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Partnership	
Date business was abandoned: _____	
<p>NOTICE – In accordance with subdivision (a) of Section 17922 of the Business & Professions Code, upon ceasing to transact business in this state under a fictitious business name that was filed in the previous five years, a registrant who has filed a fictitious business name statement shall file a statement of abandonment of use of fictitious business name. The statement of abandonment shall be executed in the same manner as a fictitious business name statement and shall be filed with the county clerk of the county in which the person has filed his or her fictitious business name statement. The statement shall be published in the same manner as a fictitious business name statement and an affidavit showing its publication shall be filed with the county clerk after the completion of publication.</p>	
<p align="center">I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. (A registrant who declares as true information which he or she knows to be false is guilty of a crime.)</p>	
If Registrant was an individual, partnership, trust, married couple, joint venture or Registered Domestic Partner the signature of the individual, general partner, trustee, spouse or domestic partner is required below: Signature: _____ Printed Name: _____	If Registrant was a Corporation or Limited Liability Company the signature of an officer or manager is required below: Entity Name: _____ Signature: _____ Printed Name: _____ Title of Officer or Manager: _____

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL STATEMENT ON FILE IN MY OFFICE.

JOHN TUTEUR, NAPA COUNTY ASSESSOR-RECORDER-COUNTY CLERK

BY: _____, Deputy

ONLY FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAMES FILED IN THE PREVIOUS 5 YEARS MAY BE ABANDONED

Enter the file number and file date from the fictitious business name statement that contains the name(s) being abandoned in the appropriate blanks on the form.

- Box 1** Enter the exact fictitious business name or names being abandoned from the current fictitious business name statement. Use additional sheets if required. Only business names shown on that statement may be listed on this abandonment.
- Box 2** Enter the street address of the principal place of business shown on the original statement. PO boxes and private mail facilities are not acceptable. Enter the county where the business was located in this state.

Registrants (legal owners): If the registrant was:

- (a) an **individual**, enter full name and current residence address
- (b) a **married couple or registered domestic partners**, enter full name and current residence address of both parties to the marriage
- Box 3** (c) a **general partnership, co-partners, joint venture, limited partnership (LP) or limited liability partnership (LLP) or unincorporated association other than a partnership**, enter full name and residence address of each general partner
- (d) a **trust**, enter full name and residence address of each trustee
- (e) a **corporation or limited liability company (LLC)**, enter the name and legal address of the entity
- Box 4** Check the box that described how the business was conducted. Enter date business was abandoned.

Signatures are required as follows: Individual – the individual; Married couple or domestic partners – either; Partnerships, joint venture or other associations of persons – a general partner; Trust – a trustee; Corporations-an officer; Limited Liability Companies – an officer or managing member.

CALIFORNIA BUSINESS & PROFESSIONS CODE

SECTION 17922. (a) Upon ceasing to transact business in this state under a fictitious business name that was filed in the previous five years, a registrant who has filed a fictitious business name statement shall file a statement of abandonment of use of fictitious business name. The statement of abandonment shall be executed in the same manner as a fictitious business name statement, excluding the requirements of subdivisions (d), (e), and (f) of Section 17913, and shall be filed with the county clerk of the county in which the registrant has filed his or her fictitious business name statement. The statement shall be published in the same manner as a fictitious business name statement and an affidavit showing its publication shall be filed with the county clerk after the completion of publication.

(b) The statement shall include:

- (1) The name being abandoned and the street address of the principal place of business.
- (2) The date on which the fictitious business name statement relating to the fictitious business name being abandoned was filed, the file number, and the county where filed.
- (3)) In the case of an individual, the full name and residence address of the individual.
- (4)) In the case of a married couple, the full name and residence address of each registrant.
- (5) In the case of a general partnership, a limited partnership, copartners, a limited liability partnership, a joint venture, or an unincorporated association other than a partnership, the full names and residence addresses of all of the general partners.
- (6) In the case of a corporation, the name and address of the corporation as set forth in its articles of incorporation on file with the California Secretary of State.
- (7)) In the case of a trust, the full name and residence address of each of the trustees.
- (8) In the case of a limited liability company, the name and address of the limited liability company as set forth in its articles of organization on file with the California Secretary of State.
- (9)) In the case of state or local registered domestic partners, the full name and residence address of each domestic partner.

SECTION 17926(a) As used in this section, “statement” means a fictitious business name statement, a statement of abandonment of use of fictitious business name, or a statement of withdrawal from partnership operating under fictitious business name.

SECTION 17930 – Any person who executes, files, or publishes any statement under this chapter, knowing that such statement is false, in whole or in part, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).