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## Sample affidavit of correction of name

having been duly sworn to in accordance with law, depose and state THAT: 1. We personally know the person of EARL PADUA ROXAS who was born on April 30, 1994 in Panabo, Davao del Norte, he being the legitimate son of our close friend and neighbor, the Spouses Rafael Roxas and Cher Padua (both deceased); 2. In the Certificate of Live Birth of EARL PADUA ROXAS filed in the National Statistic Office his surname and the surname of his father were erroneously entered and spelled as "ROJAS" while his middle name and of his mother were also erroneously entered as "LADUA"; 3. The true and correct spelling of the middle name and surname of EARL PADUA ROXAS is "PADUA" and "ROXAS", respectively; 4. The names "EARL PADUA ROXAS" and "EARL LADUA ROJAS" refer to one and the same person; 5. We are executing this affidavit to attest to the foregoing facts. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_, Philippines. SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_, Philippines, affiants exhibiting to me their valid proofs of identification. Name Correction Affidavit, as the name suggests, is a document sworn by a person affirming his or her real name as against the wrong spellings or versions of the same name printed erroneously in any document. Such an affidavit may be sworn before either a Notary Public or a Magistrate. A name correction affidavit is the best way to separate the grain from the chaff and to disown the incorrect versions of a name that might have crept in any document by error. It is important to have this affidavit created in case your name has been printed wrongly in any document because it may become difficult to prove that it is the same person being referred to, owing to the different spelling of the name.

<b>AFFIDAVIT OF CORRECTION</b>	
<b>Explanation and Instructions</b>	
<p>This Affidavit of Correction may be used to correct an error on a New Mexico out-of-state vehicle title or manufacturer's statement/certificate of origin (MSG/MCO) that is being presented for the purpose of issuance of a New Mexico title. The affidavit is made by, and must be signed by, the seller/transferor of the vehicle. In the case of a correction to a MSG/MCO, the seller/transferor is the dealer. The signature of the seller/transferor must be notarized.</p>	
<b>Vehicle and Title or MSG/MCO Information</b>	
<p>Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) _____</p>	
Title Number (if title) _____	Title State of Issue _____
Manufacturer Name (if MSG/MCO) _____	
<b>Affidavit and Notarization</b>	
<p>I, _____ (seller's printed name),  under penalty of perjury hereby swear that I have examined the vehicle identified above, and submit the following explanation for the described error, erasure, strikeover, etc. on the title document, and that no fraud was intended.  Description of error: _____</p>	
<p>Correction of error: _____</p>	
<p>I hereby decline under penalty of perjury that the information given in this statement is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.</p>	
<p style="text-align: right;">Signature of person (seller) submitting affidavit _____</p>	
<p><b>Warning: Any person who makes any false affidavit, or knowingly swears or affirms falsely to any matter required by the Motor Vehicle Code is guilty of perjury, which is a fourth degree felony (Sections 66-5-38 and 30-2-3 NMSA 1978).</b></p>	
<p>SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____.</p>	
My Commission Expires: _____	Notary Public: _____
<p>(No notary required if error was witnessed by MVD agent.)</p>	
<p>Signature of MVD Agent _____</p>	

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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES )  
PROVINCE OF SULTAN KUDARAT )  
MUNICIPALITY OF ISULAN )  
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**AFFIDAVIT FOR CORRECTION**

I, **ERNESTO MATIAS**, of legal age, married, and a resident of Kalawang II, Isulan, Sultan Kudarat, after having been duly sworn to in accordance with law depose and say:

- That I am the registered owner of Lot No. 20, Pk-4 containing an area of **FOORTY EIGHT THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED NINETY TWO (48,692) SQUARE METERS**, more or less covered by Homestead Application No. V-4916;
- That as per verification in the Office of Department of Environment of Natural Resources Let No. 20, Pk-45 it was erroneously and subvented entered as Lot No. 64, Pk-20-D-13;
- That it was also provided in the Technical Description Submitted by Geologic Engineer Regie D. Hagoselle that the correct description of my parcel of land is Let No. 64, Pk-20-D-13 instead of Lot No. 20, Pk-45;
- That I am executing this affidavit to ask your good office to correct the lot number entered in the Homestead Application No. V-4916 from Lot No. 20, Pk-45 to Lot No. 64, Pk-20-D-13;
- That I am also executing this affidavit to attest the truth of the above-foregoing statements for whatever legal purposes it may serve best.

**IN WITNESS THEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand this 29<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016 in Isulan, Sultan Kudarat.

**ERNESTO MATIAS**  
Affiant

**SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016 in Isulan, Sultan Kudarat.**

**KYNDELLE A. HILARIO**,  
Notary Public  
Until December 31, 2016  
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BRP No. 92256001-046, 46fman  
ROLL No. 61681014-25-13  
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