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How to Complete Your New York Affidavit of Lost Document

Affidavit of Lost Document — New York

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About this form. Use this sworn statement to request a **replacement** of a lost, stolen or destroyed document, such as a title, certificate, check or stock certificate.

1. **Fill in your information**
   Enter your full legal name and address exactly as they appear on your photo ID.

2. **Complete each statement**
   Read every statement carefully and fill in the blanks. Every statement must be true and complete.

3. **Sign in front of a notary**
   Do **not** sign ahead of time. Bring a current government-issued photo ID. You will swear or affirm that the statements are true. A false statement under oath can be perjury. **First Choice notaries come to you**, and we offer New York, out-of-state and remote options.

After It's Signed

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AFFIDAVIT OF LOST DOCUMENT

New York — Lost, Stolen or Destroyed Document

State (or District / Country) of _____)
) ss.:
County of _____)

I, _____, being duly sworn, depose and say:
full legal name of affiant

I reside at _____, and I am over 18 years of age.

1. I am the owner of, or the person entitled to, the following document:

Type of document: _____

Number / identifying details: _____

Issued by: _____ Date issued: _____

2. The document was lost, stolen or destroyed under the following circumstances:

3. I have made a diligent search for the document and have not been able to find it.

4. I have not sold, assigned, pledged or transferred the document or any interest in it to anyone.

5. If the document is found, I will return it to the issuer or the person relying on this affidavit and will not use it.

6. I request that a replacement be issued, and I agree to indemnify the issuer against any loss caused by its reliance on this affidavit.

_____ _____
Signature of Affiant Date

_____ _____
Printed name Telephone / email (optional)

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JURAT

Sworn to (or affirmed) and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, _____,

by _____.

_____

Signature of Notary Public

New York notaries: Qualified in _____ County; Registration No. _____;

Commission Expires _____

(Notary seal or stamp)

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