## Options Last name taken following a Declaration of Oregon Registered Domestic Partnership

### Effective June 7, 2013 Revised July 23, 2013

Oregon Revised Statute 106.335 has been amended to read:

(1) Upon entering into a domestic partnership, either party to the domestic partnership may:

(a) Retain the party's middle name, if any, and surname prior to the domestic partnership;

(b) Retain the party's middle name, if any, and change the party's surname to the surname of the other party;

(c) Either retain or remove the party's middle name, if any, and change the party's surname to a combination of one or more of the surnames, or names within the surnames, of either or both parties, with or without a hyphen;

(d) Change the party's middle name, if any, to the party's surname at birth or prior to the domestic partnership; or

(e) Add to the party's middle name, if any, the party's surname at birth or prior to domestic partnership and change the party's surname to the surname of the other party.

(2) Each party must indicate on the Declaration of Domestic Partnership the party's name after domestic partnership.

(3) The name of each party after domestic partnership as indicated on the Declaration of Domestic Partnership shall become the sole legal name of each party after domestic partnership. If a party indicates a name change other than as described in subsection (1) of this section, the party shall request approval of the court pursuant to ORS 33.410.

(4) As used in this section, "middle name" and "surname" mean a name that may consist of one or more different names.

# **Examples of Possible Combinations of Names**

\*( ) indicates middle name may be retained or removed

### Single name in surname

Partner A's pre-domestic partnership name: Jacob Allen Smith Partner A's surname at birth: Wilson

Partner B's pre-domestic partnership name: **Mark Samuel Jones** Partner B's surname at birth: **Jones** 

Partner A's name taken at domestic partnership can only be one of the	;
following:	

First	Middle	Surname (last name)	ORS 106.220(1) section
Jacob	Allen	Smith	(a)
Jacob	Allen	Jones	(b)
Jacob	*(Allen)	Smith Jones or Smith-Jones	(C)
Jacob	*(Allen)	Jones Smith or Jones-Smith	(C)
Jacob	Wilson	Smith	(d)
Jacob	Smith	Smith	(d)
Jacob	Allen Wilson	Jones	(e)
Jacob	Allen Smith	Jones	(e)

Partner B's name taken at domestic partnership can <u>only</u> be one of the following:

First	Middle	Surname (last name)	ORS 106.220(1)
			section
Mark	Samuel	Jones	(a)
Mark	Samuel	Smith	(b)
Mark	*(Samuel)	Smith Jones or Smith-Jones	(C)
Mark	*(Samuel)	Jones Smith or Jones-Smith	(C)
Mark	Jones	Jones	(d)
Mark	Samuel	Smith	(e)
	Jones		

### More than one name in surnames

\*( ) indicates middle name may be retained or removed

Partner A's pre-domestic partnership name: Maria Alicia Sanchez Garcia

Partner A's surname at birth: Sanchez Garcia

Partner B's pre-domestic partnership name: Michelle Sarah Jones Smith

<u>First</u>	<u>Middle</u>	Surname (last name)	ORS 106.220(1)
			section
Maria	Alicia	Sanchez Garcia	(a)
Maria	Alicia	Jones Smith Jones Smith	(b)
Maria	*(Alicia)	Sanchez Garcia Jones Smith	(C)
		or Sanchez Garcia-Jones	
		Smith	
Maria	*(Alicia)	Jones Smith Sanchez Garcia	(C)
		or Jones Smith-Sanchez	
		Garcia	
Maria	*(Alicia)	Garcia Smith or Garcia-Smith	(C)
Maria	*(Alicia)	Smith Garcia or Smith-Garcia	(C)
Maria	*(Alicia)	Garcia Jones or Garcia-Jones	(C)
Maria	*(Alicia)	Jones Garcia or Jones-Garcia	(C)
Maria	*(Alicia)	Sanchez Smith or Sanchez-	(C)
		Smith	
Maria	*(Alicia)	Smith Sanchez or Smith-	(C)
		Sanchez	
Maria	*(Alicia)	Sanchez Jones or Sanchez-	(C)
		Jones	
Maria	*(Alicia)	Jones Sanchez or Jones-	(C)
		Sanchez	
Maria	*(Alicia)	Sanchez Jones Smith or	(C)
		Sanchez Jones-Smith	
Maria	*(Alicia)	Garcia Jones Smith or Garcia	(C)
		Jones-Smith	
Maria	*(Alicia)	Sanchez Garcia Jones or	(C)
		Sanchez Garcia-Jones	
Maria	*(Alicia)	Sanchez Garcia Smith or	(C)
		Sanchez Garcia-Smith	
Maria	Sanchez	Sanchez Garcia	(d)
	Garcia		
Maria	Alicia	Jones Smith	(e)
	Sanchez		
	Garcia		

Partner A's name taken at domestic partnership can <u>only</u> be one of the following:

Partner B's name taken at domestic partnership can <u>only</u> be one of the following:

First	<u>Middle</u>	Surname (last name)	ORS 106.220(1) section
Michelle	Sarah	Jones Smith	(a)
Michelle	Sarah	Sanchez Garcia	(b)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Sanchez Garcia Jones Smith or Sanchez Garcia-Jones Smith	(c)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Jones Smith Sanchez Garcia or Jones Smith-Sanchez Garcia	(c)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Garcia Smith or Garcia-Smith	(C)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Smith Garcia or Smith-Garcia	(C)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Garcia Jones or Garcia-Jones	(C)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Jones Garcia or Jones-Garcia	(C)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Sanchez Smith or Sanchez- Smith	(c)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Smith Sanchez or Smith- Sanchez	(c)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Sanchez Jones or Sanchez- Jones	(c)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Jones Sanchez or Jones- Sanchez	(c)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Sanchez Jones Smith or Sanchez Jones-Smith	(c)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Garcia Jones Smith or Garcia Jones-Smith	(c)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Sanchez Garcia Jones or Sanchez Garcia-Jones	(c)
Michelle	*(Sarah)	Sanchez Garcia Smith or Sanchez Garcia-Smith	(c)
Michelle	Jones Smith	Jones Smith	(d)
Michelle	Sarah Jones Smith	Sanchez Garcia	(e)