

PIKE COUNTY PROBATE COURT
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**THE FOLLOWING ARE REQUIRED UPON THE INITIAL FILING OF A
PETITION FOR A FOREIGN ADOPTION (NO EXCEPTIONS):**

1. Check to Probate Court for filing fees - \$150.00
2. Foreign Birth Certificate with Certified Translation
3. Foreign final order or adoption decree with certified translation which has been verified and approved by the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS)
4. Adopted child's VISA
5. A check or money order for \$21.50 made payable to the "Treasurer, State of Ohio" will need to be provided at the final hearing for a certified copy of the new birth certificate.