| INTERNATIONAL ADOPTION SERVICE PLAN FOR HAGUE ADOPTIONS                                   |                      |                 |          |               |                        |  |
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| PROSPECTIVE ADOPTIVE MOTHER FULL NAME (FIRST, MIDDL                                       | E, LAST, DO NOT SHOF | ITEN OR ABBREVI | ATE)     | DATE OF BIRTH | SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER |  |
| PROSPECTIVE ADOPTIVE FATHER FULL NAME (FIRST, MIDDLE, LAST, DO NOT SHORTEN OR ABBREVIATE) |                      |                 |          | DATE OF BIRTH | SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER |  |
| STREET ADDRESS  | CITY                 | STATE           | ZIP CODE | COUNTRY       | DATE OF PLAN & PROGRAM |  |

This Service Plan outlines the six (6) services that are performed in intercountry adoptions. The following chart is an outline of the six (6) adoption services being rendered for your family as well as who will be responsible for providing these services. As you begin your adoption journey, we want you to be aware of who will be the main provider of these services. World Links is your Primary Provider and we will work with the entities below to ensure all of the services are performed.

## **ADOPTION SERVICES PLAN**

## 96.44A: World Links ensures that all adoption services will be provided in accordance with Hague Convention and applicable rules.

| HAGUE ADOPTION SERVICE   | NAME OF PROVIDER   |
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| Identification of a child for adoption and arranging adoption.                             | The Adoption Authority of Bulgaria & Family National Association (Foreign Supervised Provider -FSP)  |
| Securing of the necessary consent to<br>termination of parental rights and to<br>adoption. | Adoption Authority of Bulgaria. The Adoption Authority is responsible for<br>ensuring the parental rights have been terminated. The legal consents are an<br>essential process for ensuring a child's eligibility and ensuring the ethics of an<br>inter country adoption. The Adoption Authority in Bulgaria is responsible for<br>ensuring that the proper abandonment, relinquishment, or termination of<br>parental rights procedures have been completed in accordance with both<br>foreign law and proper ethical standards prior to a referral being made to the<br>family. World Links will review documents, as permitted.  |
| Performance of a home study or<br>background study on a child and report<br>such a study.  | Home Study. Your Home Study Provider (Exempt Provider) will prepare your<br>home study.<br>Please enter your home study provider information below:<br>Home Study Provider (Agency Name)<br>Agency phone number:<br>Social Worker Name:<br>Email Contact for Social Worker:<br>The home study process includes a review process completed by the Primary<br>Provider agency, home study agency, and family.<br>The home study will comply in all respects with the requirements of both US<br>and foreign law and regulations. The home study will be provided to USCIS,<br>and no referral of a child for adoptive placement shall be formalized until<br>USCIS has approved the family for the adoption of a child from Bulgaria.<br>The Adoption Authority of Bulgaria is responsible for providing child's |
|  | background study. The child's background study will include the reason the<br>child is in care, social background, available family history, medical<br>background, developmental history, photos.<br>World Links will receive the child background study from the The Adoption<br>Authority of Bulgaria and provide it to the family.   |

| HAGUE ADOPTION SERVICE  | NAME OF PROVIDER  |
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| Making a non-judicial determination<br>of the best interests of a child and the<br>appropriateness of an adoptive<br>placement for the child.   | Adoption Authority of Bulgaria shall make a non-judicial determination of<br>the best interests of a child and the appropriateness of an adoptive placement<br>for the child. Central Adoption Authority of Bulgaria shall identify a child for<br>adoptive placement, in conjunction with the standards and procedures set<br>forth by the country of origin and the USA Department of State. Such<br>identification shall include a determination that the adoptive placement would<br>be in the child's best interests taking all relevant factors into account<br>including but not limited to the recommendation and approval of the family in<br>the home study, USCIS and by the Adoption Service Provider (ASP) World<br>Links. |
| Monitoring a case after a child has<br>been placed with prospective adoptive<br>parents until final adoption.   | N/A. Adoption is finalized in Bulgaria. Child cannot be placed with<br>Prospective Adoptive Parents before the finalization of adoption. Prospective<br>Adoptive Parents will visit the child under the supervision of Central<br>Adoption Authority of Bulgaria.   |
| When necessary because of a disruption before final adoption, assuming custody and providing (including the facilitation or the provision of) child care or any other social service pending alternative placement. | N/A. Child cannot be placed with the Prospective Adoptive Parents until finalization of adoption.   |

After each adoption is completed and the child is home, one or more post-placement reports must be conducted. It is expected that you will continue to work with your home study provider on the post placement reports following your adoption. You will be provided with more specific information about post-adoption reporting and dates, along with reminders, following the completion of your adoption and the arrival of your child in your home.

The Service Plan was reviewed by Adoptive Parent(s) on \_\_\_\_\_

Adoptive Parents' Signatures: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,