

FORM SUMMARY

Name of Form:	Order Concerning Petition to Expunge Court Record of Adjudication
Form Number:	JD-1781
Statutory Reference:	938.355(4m), Wisconsin Statutes
Benchbook Reference:	JV 11 & 12
Purpose of Form:	To provide a formal order on a petition to expunge the court record of a juvenile's adjudication of delinquency.
Who Completes It:	The juvenile court clerk for signing by the court official.
Who Signs It:	BY THE COURT: Circuit Court Judge.
Distribution of Form:	Court; copies to the petitioner, district attorney and the Crime Information Bureau.
Accompanying Forms:	Generally none.
New Form/Modification:	Modified; last update 11/15.
Modifications:	Added the Crime Information Bureau in the distribution list.
Comments:	<p>A juvenile adjudicated delinquent, after reaching age 17, may petition the court to expunge the court record of the adjudication. The court may expunge the court's record of adjudication if it finds that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• the provisions of the dispositional order have been satisfactorily completed; and,• the juvenile will benefit; and,• society will not be harmed by the expungement. <p>This form may be used either with or without a hearing, depending on the court prerogatives based on the district attorney's recommendation.</p> <p>Presumably, however, if the petitioner files the petition even with a district attorney disapproval, the petitioner is probably entitled to a hearing on the matter.</p>
About this Form:	<p>This form is the product of the Wisconsin Records Management Committee, a committee of the Director of State Court's Office and a mandate of the Wisconsin Judicial Conference.</p> <p>If you have additional information that does not change the meaning of the form, attach it on a separate page. The form itself shall not be altered.</p>