

# help needed for Recovering database

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I wanted to move my database log file to another drive, but unfortunately I executed wrong command .

```
alter database ABC modify file
(name = 'ABC_log',filename= 'D:\Program Files\Microsoft SQL
Server\MSSQL\data\ABC_log.LDF')
```

instead of

```
alter database ABC2 modify file
(name = 'ABC2_log',filename= 'D:\Program Files\Microsoft SQL
Server\MSSQL\data\ABC2_log.LDF')
```

After this, I found my database in Suspect mode, so I executed these commands

```
sp_configure 'allow updates', 1
GO
RECONFIGURE WITH OVERRIDE
GO
```

```
EXEC sp_resetstatus 'ABC2'
```

And restarted DB services, but database was still in suspect mode, after checking every possibility, I detached that database, I don t know why I did this.

But now I am not able to attach database back. When I try doing this it s give me following error

Error 5173: Cannot associate files with different databases.

By the way when I attach this mdf file, it changes the logical file name to ABC\_Data.mdf

But when I execute following query, it displays different logical file name with ABC.mdf

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dbcc checkprimaryfile (N'D:\Program Files\Microsoft SQL Server\MSSQL\Data\ABC2.mdf', 3)

I believe if I change this logical file name I ll be able to attach database back.

Kindly help me the recovering database.

Note: I do not have the transaction log backup & current DB backup.

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