

IN THE PROBATE COURT FOR PUTNAM COUNTY, TENNESSEE

Docket # _____

IN RE: _____, Deceased
_____, Petitioner

PETITION FOR LIMITED LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION OF A SMALL ESTATE

Comes the Petitioner, _____, and brings this
Petition for Limited Letters of Administration of a Small Estate pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann.
§ 30-4-103 and would respectfully show unto the Court as follows:

I.

The Decedent, _____, died on _____,
20____, at the age of _____ years. The Decedent's place of residence was
_____ Tennessee, which the
Decedent had resided at for longer than six (6) months. The Decedent was not a TennCare
recipient and a release from the Bureau of TennCare is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

II.

The Decedent is survived by the following adult heirs whose name, relationship, and
mailing address appears below:

Each of the above-named heirs is a child of the Decedent, the Decedent had no child predecease him/her and leave surviving issue.

III.

The Decedent died without a Will. Petitioner has made a thorough search for Wills and Codicils signed by the Decedent, but no such Wills or Codicils have been found.

IV.

The Decedent owned no real property at the time of her death.

V.

Decedent owned personal property at the time of her death, the collective value of which is less than Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00), as follows:

(i) _____

(ii) _____

VI.

Each heir at law of the Decedent, is an adult and has consented to the Petitioner, appointment as personal representative of the Decedent's Estate for the purposes of seizing the above referenced personal property of the Decedent and have further consented to the Petitioner serving without bond and without filing any accountings with the Court. Such Consents are attached hereto as Exhibit B.

VII.

Petitioner is willing to collect and preserve all assets of the Estate pay all creditors, and distribute the remainder in accordance with the laws of descent and distribution of the State of Tennessee, pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. Title 300 Chapter 4.

VIII.

Petitioner is not aware of any creditors or potential debts of the Decedent and elects to not give any notice to creditors.

IX.

Petitioner would state that pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 30-1-117(a)(11), the Decedent was not the owner of or held a controlling interest in any ongoing business or economic enterprise that would be part of the Estate to the administered.

X.

Petitioner has not been convicted of any felony or misdemeanor nor sentenced to imprisonment in a penitentiary that would disqualify him/her from serving as a personal representative of an estate as set forth in Tenn. Code. Ann. § 40-20-115 or otherwise.

XI.

Petitioner would state that pursuant to T.C.A. § 30-1-117(a)(11), the Decedent was not the owner of or held a controlling interest in any ongoing business or economic enterprise that would be part of the Estate to the administered.

XII.

Petitioner is ready, willing and alleges to be qualified to administer the Decedent's estate according to law.

PREMISES CONSIDERED; PETITIONER PRAYS:

1. That Petitioner, _____, be appointed personal representative of the Decedent's estate for limited purpose of seizing the above referenced personal property of the Decedent.
2. That the Clerk be directed to administer the oath and otherwise qualify the Administrator and to issue proper limited letters of administration pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 30-4-103(9);
3. That Petitioner be excused from filing any inventory and accountings and from making the Administrator's bond; and
4. For general relief.

STATE OF TENNESSEE

COUNTY OF PUTNAM

I, _____, after first being duly sworn, make oath that the facts contained in the foregoing Petition are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED to before me this the ____ day of _____, 2023.

NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires: _____.