

**SMALL ESTATES AFFIDAVIT — TRANSFERRING CERTAIN
PERSONAL PROPERTY IN ESTATES UNDER \$40,000
PURSUANT TO K.S.A. 59-1507b**

STATE OF KANSAS)
) ss:
COUNTY OF _____)

_____ (*name of affiant*), being duly sworn states:

(1) On _____ (*date*), _____ (*year*), _____ (*decedent*) died
 testate or intestate at _____ (*location*), leaving
an estate not exceeding \$40,000 in value, and I have attached a certified copy of the
death certificate to this affidavit.

(2) No petition for the appointment of an executor or administrator of the
decedent's estate is pending or has been granted.

(3) All unpaid debts, claims or demands against the decedent or the decedent's
estate and all estate and inheritance taxes due, if any, on the property transfers involved
have been or will be paid.

(4) That the following are the names, ages, relationships and addresses of the
beneficiaries under the decedent's will or heirs of the decedent:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Relationship</u>	<u>Address</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

(5) The decedent's estate consists of the following personal property: (include the
proceeds from insurance policies payable to the estate and identify the policy by number):

<u>Property</u>	<u>Value</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

(6) Affiant has the right to succeed to the personal property of the decedent, and affiant is over 18 years of age and is legally competent in all respects to make this affidavit and to receive the above mentioned personal property, apportioned among the beneficiaries or heirs, if more than one, as follows: _____

(Signature)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to (or affirmed) before me on _____ (date).

Notary Public

(SEAL)

My Appointment Expires:

Authority

K.S.A. 53-601; 59-1507b.

Time

Any time after death.

Notes on Use

This affidavit may be used to obtain the transfer, to a decedent's successor in interest, of certain personal property that would be transferrable to the decedent, without obtaining letters of administration or letters testamentary, where the total value of the estate subject to probate does not exceed \$40,000. The transfer is treated as one to the personal representative of the decedent, and the receipt of the transfer operates as a full discharge and release of the transferor.