



PETITION FOR PROBATE AND GRANT OF LETTERS

Register of Wills of Erie County, Pennsylvania
Patrick L. Fetzner, Clerk of Records

Petitioner(s) named below, who is/are 18 years of age or older, apply(ies) for Letters as specified below, and in support thereof aver(s) the following and respectfully requests the grant of Letters in the appropriate form:

Decedent's Information

Name: _____
A/K/A: _____
A/K/A: _____
A/K/A: _____
Date of Death: _____

File No: _____

Social Security # _____
Age at Death: _____

Decedent was domiciled at death in _____ County, Pennsylvania, with his/her last family or principal residence at _____

Street address, Post Office and Zip Code

Municipality: Twp, Borough, City

Decedent died at _____
Street address, Post Office and Zip Code City, Township or Borough State

Estimated value of decedent's property at death:

- ▶ If domiciled in PA All personal property \$ _____
- ▶ If not domiciled in PA Personal Property in PA \$ _____
- ▶ If not domiciled in PA Personal Property in county \$ _____
- Value of Real Estate in Pennsylvania \$ _____

Total Estimated Value \$ _____

Real Estate in Pennsylvania Situated as follows: (Attach additional sheets, if necessary.)

Street address, Post Office and Zip Code City, Township or Borough County

A. Petition for Probate and Grant of Letters Testamentary

Petitioner(s) aver(s) that he/she/they is/are the Executor(s) named in the Last Will of the Decedent, dated _____ and Codicil(s) thereto dated _____

State relevant circumstances (e.g. renunciation, death of executor, etc.)

▶ Except as follows: after the execution of the instrument(s) offered for probate Decedent did not marry, was not divorced, was not a party to a pending divorce proceeding wherein the grounds for divorce had been established as defined in 23 Pa. C.S. § 3323(g), and did not have a child born or adopted; and Decedent was neither the victim of a killing nor ever adjudicated an incapacitated person.

NO EXCEPTIONS **EXCEPTIONS** _____

B. Petition for Grant of Letters of Administration (If applicable) _____
(c.t.a., d.b.n., d.b.n.c.t.a., pendente lite, durante absentia, durante minoritate)

If Administration, c.t.a or d.b.n.c.t.a., enter date of Will in Section A above and complete list of heirs.

▶ Except as follows: Decedent was not a party to pending divorce proceeding wherein the grounds for divorce had been established as defined in 23 Pa. C.S. § 3323 (g) and was neither the victim of a killing nor ever adjudicated an incapacitated person.

NO EXCEPTIONS **EXCEPTIONS** _____

Petitioner(s), after a proper search has/have ascertained that Decedent left no Will and was survived by the following spouse (if any) and heirs (attach additional sheets, if necessary):

| Name | Relationship to Decedent | Address |
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Oath of Personal Representative

Official Use Only

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA }
 } SS:
 COUNTY OF _____ }

| Petitioner(s) Printed Name | Petitioner(s) Printed Address |
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The Petitioner(s) above-named swear(s) or affirm(s) that the statements in the foregoing Petition are true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief and that, as Personal Representative(s) of the Decedent, Petitioner(s) will well and truly administer the estate according to law.

Sworn to or affirmed and subscribed _____ Date _____
 Before me this _____ day of _____
 _____ 20 _____ Date _____
 _____ Date _____
 _____ Date _____
Acting Deputy For the Register

BOND Required: Yes No

FEES:

Letters..... \$ _____
 Short Certificates ()... \$ _____
 JCP fee..... \$ _____
 Automation fee..... \$ _____
 Commission \$ _____
 \$ _____
 \$ _____
 Total..... \$ _____

To the Register of Wills:

Please enter my appearance by my signature below:

Attorney Signature:

Printed Name: _____

Superior Court ID: _____

Firm Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Fax: _____

Email: _____

DECREE OF THE REGISTER

Estate of : _____ **File No.** _____ **Will No.** _____

A/K/A: _____

AND NOW, this _____ day of _____, _____, in consideration of the foregoing Petition, satisfactory proof having been presented before me, **IT IS DECREED** that Letters _____ are hereby granted to _____ in the above estate and (if applicable) that the instrument(s) dated _____ that is/are described in the Petition be admitted to probate and filed of record as the last Will (and Codicil(s)) of the Decedent.

Clerk of Records