

IN THE \_\_\_\_\_ COURT OF  
\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY, ALABAMA.

**In Re:** \_\_\_\_\_

PETITION FOR SUMMARY  
ADMINISTRATION OF THE ESTATE OF: NO.: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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COMES NOW, Petitioner, \_\_\_\_\_, Pro Se and files the following Petition for Summary Administration of the Estate of \_\_\_\_\_ pursuant to Alabama Statutes Section 43-2-692 and would state as follows:

1. Petitioner is an adult individual eighteen years of age or older. Petitioner presently resides at \_\_\_\_\_.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ passed from this life at the age of \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.
3. At the time of the decedent's death, the decedent resided at: \_\_\_\_\_ City of \_\_\_\_\_, County of \_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_ having a Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Petitioner's relationship to the decedent is: \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The value of the entire estate does not exceed \$25,000.00.
6. The decedent died a resident of this state;
7. No petition for the appointment of a personal representative is pending or has been granted;
8. At least 30 days have elapsed since the notice of the filing of the petition was published as hereinafter provided.
9. All funeral expenses of the decedent have been paid, or alternatively, that arrangements for the payment out of the estate of the decedent of all unpaid funeral expenses have been made by the surviving spouse or other distributee;

10. If the decedent died intestate, the awards due under Alabama descent and distribution statutes to the surviving spouse and to the child or children have been determined by the probate judge, and a certified copy of such determination has been transmitted to the surviving spouse and the child or children;

11. If the decedent died testate, a document purporting to be his will, which on its face, is properly executed, witnessed and attested in compliance with Alabama law, has been duly filed in the office of the judge of probate;

12. Notice of the filing of a petition for a summary distribution was published once in a newspaper of general circulation in such the county in which the decedent was domiciled, or if there is no newspaper of general circulation in the county, then notice thereof was posted at the county courthouse for one week;

13. All claims against the decedent's estate have been paid or arrangement for the payment out of the estate of the decedent have been made by the surviving spouse or other distributee.

THEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Petitioner requests that this Court enter an order directing a summary distribution of the estate; and further that this Court deliver such liquid or negotiable assets of the estate as have come into his possession and release constructive possession of the other personal property of the decedent to the surviving spouse or distributee entitled to the defeasible interest in the property, and such other a further relief as the Court deems just and proper.

This the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Respectfully submitted,

By: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Petitioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name of Petitioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Area Code) Telephone No.

Acknowledgement for Individual

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

\_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY

I, a Notary Public, hereby certify that \_\_\_\_\_ whose name is signed to the forgoing instrument or conveyance, and who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day that, being informed of the contents of the conveyance, he/she/they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

My commission expires:

\_\_\_\_\_

ACKNOWLEDGED, SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_