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**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON
FOR KING COUNTY**

In Re The Estate of
[FULL NAME OF THE DECEDENT],
Deceased.

No.
ORDER PROBATING WILL,
APPOINTING PERSONAL
REPRESENTATIVE, GRANTING
NONINTERVENTION POWERS AND
FINDING THE ESTATE SOLVENT

I. HEARING

1.1 Date. A hearing was held on the date of this Order.

1.2 Purpose. The purpose of the hearing was to establish and probate the document offered as the Last Will and Testament of the Decedent, and for an order appointing a Personal Representative with nonintervention powers.

1.3 Appearances. [Appearance on behalf of the Petitioner was made by an attorney from [NAME OF LAW FIRM], attorneys for the Petitioner.] or [Appearance was made by the Petitioner.]

1.4 Evidence. In addition to the Verified Petition and the offered Will, testimony was given by affidavit and/or in open court, which was reduced to writing.

1 **II. FINDINGS**

2 On the basis of the evidence the Court finds:

3 2.1 Jurisdiction. The Decedent died on _____, 20____, was a resident of
4 _____ County, Washington, and left property in the State of Washington subject to
5 probate.

6 2.2 Last Will and Testament. The Decedent was legally competent to execute the
7 offered Will, which was executed on _____, in the manner required by law.

8 2.3 Personal Representative. The person nominated in the Decedent’s Will as
9 Personal Representative is legally qualified to act as the Personal Representative.

10 2.4 Heirs, Legatees, Devisees, and Beneficiaries. The names, addresses, and
11 relationships to the Decedent, and ages of (a) each of the heirs, (b) each person named as a
12 nonprobate beneficiary, and (c) each person who is a beneficiary under the Will were
13 properly provided in the Petition.

14 2.5 Solvency. The Decedent’s Estate is solvent.

15 2.6 Qualification for Nonintervention Powers. The Decedent’s Will nominates the
16 Petitioner as the Personal Representative and directs that the Petitioner shall be granted
17 nonintervention powers and may serve without bond.

18 2.7 Notices of Hearing. No advance notice of the hearing on those portions of the
19 Petition that relate to nonintervention powers is required under Chapter 11.68 RCW because
20 the Decedent’s Will nominates the Petitioner as the Personal Representative and indicates
21 that the Petitioner should serve without intervention by this Court. Furthermore, no special
22 notice has been requested under RCW 11.28.240.

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III. ORDER

On the basis of the Evidence and Findings, it is ORDERED:

3.1 Establishment of Will. The testimony of the subscribing witnesses is accepted and certified as proof of the Will. The offered Will is established as the Last Will and Testament of the Decedent and is hereby admitted to probate.

3.2 Personal Representative. [FULL NAME OF PETITIONER] is confirmed as Personal Representative of the Estate, and upon filing an Oath with the Clerk of the Superior Court, shall be issued Letters Testamentary and may serve without bond.

3.3 Nonintervention Powers. The Personal Representative may administer the Estate without further intervention of this Court. The Personal Representative is authorized to transfer all property of the Estate without further order of this Court, including but not limited to the power to lease, mortgage, pledge, exchange, sell or convey all real and personal property of the Estate.

DONE IN OPEN COURT this _____ day of _____, 20__.

JUDGE/COURT COMMISSIONER

Presented by:

[FULL NAME OF THE PETITIONER OR
ATTORNEY NAME AND BAR # IF
REPRESENTED BY COUNSEL]