

STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF _____

JUDICIAL DISTRICT
DISTRICT COURT
PROBATE DIVISION

Court File No. _____

Estate of _____,
Decedent

**ORDER OF INFORMAL APPOINTMENT OF
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE
(TESTATE – SPLIT PROCEEDING)**

The Application for the Informal Appointment of Personal Representative (Testate) signed by _____, came before the Registrar on _____.
The Registrar, having considered the Application, determines the following:

1. The Application is complete.
2. The Applicant has declared or affirmed that the representations contained in the Application are true and complete to the best of Applicant's knowledge and belief.
3. The Applicant appears from the Application to be an interested person as defined by Minnesota law.
4. On the basis of the statements in the Application, venue in this County is proper.
5. Any notice required by Minnesota law has been given.
6. Decedent's Will is comprised of the following:
 Last will dated: _____.
 Codicil() dated: _____.
 Separate writing() under Minnesota Statutes section 524.3-513 dated: _____.
 The Will refers to a separate writing but none has been found.
7. The documents comprising the Will:
 are in the Court's possession for formal probate.
 have been probated elsewhere and an authenticated copy of the Will and statement or order probating the same accompanied the Application.
8. Decedent died on _____ and at least 120 hours, but not more than 3 years (except as permitted in Minnesota Statutes section 524.3-108), have elapsed since the Decedent's death.
9. From the statements in the Application, the person appointed below has priority and is entitled to be appointed personal representative, and is not disqualified to serve as personal representative.
10. The Application indicates that there is no personal representative appointed in this or another county of Minnesota whose appointment has not been terminated.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. The Application is granted.
2. _____ is informally appointed as the personal representative of Decedent's Estate, with no bond or \$ _____ bond.
3. Upon filing any required bond and statement of acceptance and oath, letters testamentary will be issued.

Dated: _____

Registrar

SAMPLE DOCUMENT