

STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF _____

JUDICIAL DISTRICT
DISTRICT COURT
PROBATE DIVISION

Court File No. _____

Estate of _____,
Decedent

**ORDER OF INFORMAL APPOINTMENT OF
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE (INTESTATE)**

The Application for the Informal Appointment of Personal Representative, 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. The Application indicates that the Applicant has conducted a reasonably diligent search, and is unaware of any unrevoked testamentary instrument. The requested appointment does not relate to any will.
6. Any notice required by Minnesota law has been given.
7. 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.
8. 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.
9. The Application indicates that there is no personal representative appointed in this or another county of Minnesota whose appointment has not been terminated.
10. Decedent's heirs are ☐ as identified in the Application or ☐ as follows: _____

_____.

11. All persons identified as heirs under Minnesota law have survived the Decedent by at least 120 hours.

12. (Check appropriate boxes):

- ☐ Decedent left no surviving spouse.
- ☐ Decedent left no surviving descendants.
- ☐ All descendants of Decedent are descendants of Decedent's surviving spouse.
- ☐ There are descendants of the Decedent that are not descendants of the surviving spouse.
- ☐ There are descendants of the surviving spouse who are not descendants of the Decedent.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. The Application is granted.
2. _____ is informally appointed as the personal representative of the Decedent's Estate, with _____ bond.
3. Upon filing any required bond and statement of acceptance and oath, letters of general administration will be issued.

Dated: _____

Registrar

NOTE: If Decedent was a non-resident, check Minnesota Statutes section 524.3-307 for application of a 30 day rule.