



IN THE
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
STATE OF MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION
300 N 2ND STREET, ROOM 512
ST. CHARLES, MO

IN THE MATTER OF

MINOR

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PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF \*GUARDIAN OF THE PERSON
AND/OR CONSERVATOR OF THE ESTATE OF MINOR

Comes now and states that:

(Minor's name) (date of birth) (domicile) (present address)
is the owner of property of the estimated value of Real \$ in Missouri, \$ outside of Missouri, and personal \$; said property or the major part thereof is located in County, State of.

The name and address of any trustees for said minor and the purpose of any said trust.

The reasons for which the appointment of a \*guardian and/or conservator is sought, are:

The petitioner's relationship to minor:

The name and address of the parents of said minor are:

Father: Address:

Mother: Address:

(if mother or father is not living, so state and supply death certificate)

The name and address of step-parents, if any, are:

Address:

Said minor is in the custody of

(name and address)

The said minor \*has/have \*No/a guardian of the person/conservator of the estate, whose name and address is:

Petitioner requests that letters\*guardianship and/or conservatorship be issued to: , who is not now \*guardian/conservator for any wards except:

(name and addresses)

WHEREFORE, petitioner prays that \_h\_ be appointed \*guardian of the person and/or conservator of the estate, of the above named minor under the supervision of the Court.

If there are assets, they are to be deposited and restricted at:

(facility name and address)

The foregoing is made under oath and affirmation and its representations are true and correct to the best knowledge and belief of the undersigned, subject to the penalties for making a false affidavit or declaration.

(Petitioner's signature) Address Phone number

(Petitioner's signature) Address Phone number

(Attorney's signature) Address Phone number

\*strike inapplicable statements

NOTE: On the 2nd page, the "Selection of Guardian of Minor" must be completed and signed if the minor is over 14 years of age. The "Waiver of Right to be Appointed Guardian", "Natural Parent's Consent" and a "Waiver of Service" must be signed by any parent that is not being appointed, unless the Petition is being set for hearing. The "Affidavit of Custody" on 2nd page, must be completed and signed if a guardian is being appointed.

SELECTION OF \*GUARDIAN AND/OR CONSERVATOR BY MINOR

\_\_\_\_\_, the within named minor, over 14 years of age, hereby requests that \_\_\_\_\_, may be appointed as \_h\_\*guardian of the person and/or conservator of the estate.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(minor's signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(address)

WAIVER OF RIGHT TO BE APPOINTED \*GUARDAIN AND/OR CONSERVATOR

I, \_\_\_\_\_, the undersigned father and I, \_\_\_\_\_ the undersigned mother, of \_\_\_\_\_, minor, hereby waive my right to be appointed \*guardian and/or conservator of said minor, and hereby request the appointment of \_\_\_\_\_, as such \*guardian and/or conservator.

The foregoing is made under oath and affirmation and its representations are true and correct to the best knowledge and belief of the undersigned, subject to the penalties for making a false affidavit or declaration.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(father's signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(address)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(mother's signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(address)

AFFIDAVIT OF CUSTODY

(MUST BE FILLED OUT ON ALL CASES FOR GUARDIAN OF THE PERSON)

Comes now Affiant, and having been duly sworn upon his/her oath states:

1. That the child's present address is \_\_\_\_\_; and that the names and addresses of the persons with whom the child has lived in past six months are:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(name) (address) (period of time)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(name) (address) (period of time)

- 2. That the Affiant has not participated in any capacity in any other litigation concerning the custody of the same child in this or any other state.
- 3. That Affiant has no information of any custody proceeding concerning the child pending in a court of this or any other state.
- 4. That Affiant knows of no other persons not a party to the proceeding who has physical custody of the child or claims to have custody or visitation rights with respect to the child.

The foregoing is made under oath and affirmation and its representations are true and correct to the best knowledge and belief of the undersigned, subject to the penalties for making a false affidavit or declaration.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Affiant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Affiant's Signature



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GAURDIANSHIP SUITABILITY STUDY

MINOR'S NAME \_\_\_\_\_ MALE/FEMALE
BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_
PLACE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_
SCHOOL \_\_\_\_\_
GRADE LEVEL \_\_\_\_\_
DOES THE CHILD CONSENT TO GUARDIANSHIP: YES/NO/UNDER AGE
HOW DID THE CHILD COME TO LIVE WITH THE PETITIONER(S):

\_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHPARENTS

MOTHER \_\_\_\_\_ D/O/B \_\_\_\_\_
CONSENTS TO GUARDIANSHIP: YES/NO
UNABLE, UNWILLING, UNFIT, OR DECEASED (CIRCLE APPROPRIATE CHOICE)
EXPLAIN: \_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_

FATHER \_\_\_\_\_ D/O/B \_\_\_\_\_
CONSENT TO GUARDIANSHIP: YES/NO
UNABLE, UNWILLING, UNFIT, OR DECEASED (CIRCLE APPROPRIATE CHOICE)
EXPLAIN: \_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_

IS FATHER'S NAME ON THE BIRTH CERTIFICATE? YES/NO

PETITIONER(S)

FEMALE PETITIONER - NAME \_\_\_\_\_
D/O/B \_\_\_\_\_
RELATIONSHIP TO MINOR: (CHOOSE ONE) MATERNAL/PATERNAL
GRANDMOTHER AUNT SIBLING OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_
MILITARY SERVICE: \_\_\_\_\_ RECORD OF ARREST OR CONVICTION: YES/NO
IF YES, EXPLAIN \_\_\_\_\_
HAVE YOU OR ANYONE ELSE LIVING IN THE HOME BEEN TREATED FOR A MENTAL DISORDER?
(IF SO, EXPLAIN) \_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_

MALE PETITIONER - NAME \_\_\_\_\_
D/O/B \_\_\_\_\_
RELATIONSHIP TO MINOR: (CHOOSE ONE) MATERNAL/PATERNAL
GRANDFATHER UNCLE SIBLING OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_
MILITARY SERVICE: \_\_\_\_\_ RECORD OF ARREST OR CONVICTION: YES/ NO
IF YES, EXPLAIN \_\_\_\_\_
HAVE YOU OR ANYONE ELSE LIVING IN THE HOME BEEN TREATED FOR A MENTAL DISORDER?
(IF SO, EXPLAIN) \_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_

OTHER CHILDREN IN THE HOME

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ MALE/FEMALE  
BIRTHDATE: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_  
SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_  
AVERAGE GRADES: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ MALE/FEMALE  
BIRTHDATE: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_  
SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_  
AVERAGE GRADES: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ MALE/FEMALE  
BIRTHDATE: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_  
SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_  
AVERAGE GRADES: \_\_\_\_\_

OTHERS IN HOME

PLEASE LIST NAME, SEX, AGE, RELATIONSHIP, SCHOOL/OCCUPATION

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

ANY PRIOR HOME/CUSTODY STUDIES:

YES/NO IF YES, EXPLAIN WHY: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

PHYSICAL SETTING - PETITIONERS HOME

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
LENGTH OF TIME AT THIS ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_  
LOCATION OF HOME/TYPE OF NEIGHBORHOOD: \_\_\_\_\_  
DESCRIPTION OF HOME: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER OF BEDROOMS: \_\_\_\_\_ SLEEPING ACCOMODATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

FAMILY MOTIVATION:

AWARENESS OF CHILD'S NEEDS/PROBLEMS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

WHY DO YOU WANT TO ASSUME THIS RESPONSIBILITY? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

HOW DO YOUR OTHER FAMILY MEMBERS FEEL ABOUT THIS PLAN? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

DOES PETITIONER(S) HAVE KNOWLEDGE OF ANY OTHER PARTIES SEEKING GUARDIANSHIP  
OF THIS CHILD? \_\_\_\_\_ IF YES, WHOM? \_\_\_\_\_

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATED: \_\_\_\_\_ SIGNED: \_\_\_\_\_



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ESTATE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

**NATURAL PARENT'S CONSENT TO APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN AND/OR CONSERVATOR  
AND WAIVER OF SERVICE**

I request the appointment of \_\_\_\_\_ as guardian  
and/or conservator of the estate of: \_\_\_\_\_, who is my natural child for the  
following reasons:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I hereby freely and voluntarily consent to the appointment of the above named person,. I understand that such appointment shall be subject to the laws of the State of Missouri and the supervision of the Probate Division. I understand that I shall not have any right or claim to the control or custody of such child or property. I understand that the appointment is permanent and will not be set aside merely at my request. I understand that the appointment will only be set aside upon the resignation of the guardian and/or conservator or upon proof that the fiduciary should be removed upon grounds as provided by law after notice and hearing to all persons interested in the welfare of the child. I hereby state that this consent is freely given without condition and without representation by any person, including the proposed guardian and/or conservator, to the effect that this proceeding is a temporary undertaking which may be terminated by my request.

**I further understand that pursuant to RSMO 475.083, I may request a hearing to terminate the guardianship, but that the guardianship will only be terminated if the Court finds that a parent is "fit, suitable, and able to assume the duties of guardianship and it is in the best interest of the minor that the guardianship be terminated.: RSMO 475.083.2(3). (2001).**

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Sign Full Name

**WAIVER OF SERVICE OF PROCESS**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ the mother/ father of \_\_\_\_\_,  
hereby waive service of summons and petition as required by law in this case, acknowledge receipt of the copy of the petition to be file in the above-styled action, enter my appearance a sparty to this cause and consent that a hearing be held by this Court.

\_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_

Sign Full Name

**NOTARY**

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2000, before me personally appeared, \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_, known to me as the person who executed the within Consent to Appointment of Guardian and Waiver of Service of Summons and Petition and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same for the purposes therein stated, and as his/her voluntary act and deed.

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public \_\_\_\_\_