OPINION SUMMARY

MISSOURI COURT OF APPEALS EASTERN DISTRICT

DIVISION ONE

IN THE ESTATE OF: JAMES LARRY WASHINGTON,	)	No. ED108336
	)	Appeal from the Circuit Court of St. Louis County
	)	Honorable Michael David Burton
	)	FILED: June 16, 2020

David B. Washington, a pro se litigant, ("Appellant") appeals from the trial court's September 30, 2019 judgment dismissing Appellant's claims for guardian and conservator compensation for services rendered on behalf of his brother, James L. Washington ("Protectee") filed on May 13, 2019, and August 28, 2019, for the period of February 2013 through April 2018.

REVERSED AND REMANDED.

Division One Holds: The circuit court misapplied the law in dismissing Appellant's claims based on Section 473.360, which time bars some claims not filed within six months from the first publication of notice of letters testamentary or of administration. Instead, it should have applied Section 475.205, "Claims against estate—procedure," for this guardianship proceeding under Chapter 475. We reverse and remand for a ruling on claims for compensation for the compensation requests without a final ruling, which cover Appellant's services as guardian and conservator for the time period from February 2013 through April 2017.

Opinion by: Roy L. Richter, Judge

Robert M. Clayton III, Presiding Judge, and Robert G. Dowd, Jr., Judge, concur.

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