

**IN THE PROBATE COURT OF DELAWARE COUNTY, OHIO  
KENNETH J. SPICER, JUDGE**

ESTATE OF: \_\_\_\_\_

Case No. \_\_\_\_\_

**APPLICATION TO REOPEN ESTATE AND APPOINT FIDUCIARY**

The Applicant states that the decedent died on \_\_\_\_\_ and the estate was administered in this county. The Applicant asks that the estate be reopened and that the Applicant be appointed as the \_\_\_\_\_ for the following reason(s):

\_\_\_\_\_ Newly discovered assets exist:

Nature of the assets: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Value of the Assets: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ There is a claim that exists on behalf of the decedent's estate that is pending or requires investigation or pursuit and its nature is: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Other: (provide specifics) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(Check one of the following)

\_\_\_\_\_ The decedent's Will waives bond for this Applicant.

\_\_\_\_\_ Bond is waived as a matter of law.

\_\_\_\_\_ Applicant offers the attached bond in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

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(Check all of the following that are applicable)

- \_\_\_\_\_ The Applicant is
  - \_\_\_\_\_ the previously appointed fiduciary in the estate.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ the prior fiduciary is no longer available for appointment due to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ the alternate fiduciary named in the decedent's Will.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ the sole beneficiary under the decedent's Will or the sole heir at law.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ One of the next of kin of the decedent (and if there are other next of kin with an equal right to be appointed, a fully completed Form 1.0 is attached).

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